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OLDEST CHURCH WILL CELEBRATE SEPTEMBER 7th

Shiloh Baptist Organization Founded in 1727 by Paul Palmer, Man of Intelligence and Power

COULDN'T STOP HIM

From This Beginning Baptist Faith Has Spread Throughout Counties of Eastern North Carolina

Raleigh, Aug. 19.—Two counties are expected to join in a great celebration, September 7 at Shiloh, commemorating the 200th anniversary of the founding of the Shiloh Baptist Church, claimed to be the oldest house of worship of that faith in the State, and among the oldest of any denomination.

The church, history records, was founded in 1727 by Paul Palmer, an Englishman who made his home in Delaware. A man of intelligence and power who drew hundreds to his side, his power could not be checked by the established church, and Sir Richard Eyerhard, in 1729, two years after the founding of the Shiloh church, wrote to the Bishop in London that it was "impossible to stop him."

Palmer was a land owner and slave holder and stood high among the people. Having come in touch with persecuted Baptists of New England and thus having his spirit quickened and his methods formed for larger work, he settled in Perquimans County and organized the first Baptist Church in North Carolina.

Though the church was organized in Perquimans, its local habitation soon came to be in Camden; it was described as having an "arm" in Perquimans and an "arm" in Camden. The Perquimans group did not flourish because of Quaker dominance, but the Camden group, more favorably situated, flourished and was soon the center of influence for the early Baptists of the Albemarle region. It was known even as late as 1790 as "the Church in Camden," later bearing the name of "the Church at Shiloh."

Under a varied and intelligent ministry from the time of Paul Palmer to John D. Elwell, the church progressed, and under the leadership of the latter experienced one of the greatest revivals ever written into North Carolina history.

Through the efforts of the early ministerial heroes of Shiloh the Baptist faith grew, and Baptist churches were planted all over the Albemarle section from the Atlantic to the Roanoke. New "arms" were established from the mother church in all sections and finally settled strongly into the very stronghold of the "establishment."

As to the doctrine and discipline of the "mother church," there was no marked difference from the policy of Baptist churches of today. The prototype of the "mother church" was the General Baptist Church of England, which had a moderate Calvinism. The higher Calvinism was later brought into North Carolina from Philadelphia.

"The court of union" was one of the peculiar institutions at Shiloh in its days of infancy. The "court," including the pastor and six members of the church, made its business the attending to difficulties arising about the private secular affairs of church members. The institution died out, not a great while after the founding of the church.

Noted men of history have been products of the old Shiloh church. Colonel Gideon Lamb, of Revolutionary fame, probably heads the list through his service to the Nation. He was honored as a soldier and was with the Continental troops at the battle of Germantown. To the ministry, Shiloh has contributed Evan Forbes, Abner Berry and John L. Pritchard.

Pritchard was one of the first students of Wake Forest College, and sacrificed his life in the Wilmington fever epidemic of 1852. A. W. Burfoot, Charles S. Burgess, Gideon N. Bray and Charles B. Williams are also Shiloh's contributions to the ministry.

Three Are Killed In Freight Wreck

Shreveport, La., Aug. 19.—(AP)—Three members of a Texas and Pacific Railway freight train crew were killed when the engine exploded three miles north of here today.

SEARCH FOR WHITE WINGS HAS BEEN ABANDONED

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 19.—(AP)—Search for the white wing of a plane, reported to have been sighted 165 miles east of the Virginia Cape Fear by the steamer Gulf Point had been abandoned here today, following failure of the destroyer Shaw to find any trace of it.

Cowboy Tenor



Los Angeles critics are calling Arnold Blackner, former Wyoming cowpuncher, one of the greatest tenors in years. Blackner recently sang, his first operatic selection at the Hollywood Bowl, where thousands applauded his remarkable voice.

A. Lee Rawlings To Open Offices In Elizabeth City

A Lee Rawlings & Company, certified public accountants of Norfolk, Virginia, are arranging to open offices in Elizabeth City at an early date. The firm will occupy offices in the Virginia Dare Hotel arcade as soon as the new quarters are ready for occupancy and Harry W. Bundy will be resident manager.

Mr. Bundy is an Elizabeth City boy and a certified public accountant of North Carolina. He has been a member of the staff of A. Lee Rawlings & Company for the past seven years and being thoroughly trained in their methods is fully qualified to represent the concern as resident manager.

A. Lee Rawlings & Company is one of the oldest accounting firms in the South, having been in business for approximately 70 years. The firm employs an average staff of from 25 to 30 men and are well and favorably known throughout the South and especially in Elizabeth City, where they have a large clientele.

In addition to the executive offices, which are in Norfolk, Virginia, the firm has at the present time branch offices in Raleigh and Wilmington, North Carolina.

GOVERNOR McLEAN HOME NEXT MONDAY

Tenderfoot Lake, Wis., Aug. 19.—(AP)—The woods and lakes of Wisconsin will see Governor Angus W. McLean of North for one week longer and the Governor is beginning to look forward to duties of another 13 months. He will be back in Raleigh, Monday, August 22.

The brisk air of the northland has brought renewed vigor and spirit to pick up the gubernatorial routine, the Governor, who has been sojourning here for a seven week's vacation, says.

Disposition of a printing contract for the current biennium, about 50 pardon requests, and possible appointment of two additional court judges, are in the office, from telephone calls by which the Governor has kept in touch with Tar Heel government.

PRIZES OFFERED IN THE SEARCH FOR LOST FLIERS

Millionaires of Hawaii, Michigan and San Francisco Offer Prizes for Recovery of Missing Planes

PACIFIC IS SILENT

One Bright Spot in Tragic Situation Is the Ideal Weather Prevailing Over the Entire Ocean

San Francisco, Aug. 19.—(AP)—The jinx which preceded the take-off in the \$35,000 Dole prize flight, continued in its wako today. Out into the far-reaching expanses of the Pacific went the appealing call of the radio, aided by searching airplanes, destroyers and submarines in quest of two lost airplanes—the Miss Doran and the Golden Eagle.

James Dole, the Hawaiian millionaire who put up the prize for the race, today opened his purse again, this time to offer \$20,000 for the recovery of the missing planes and the occupants. To this amount William Mallock, Michigan millionaire, who entered the Miss Doran in the race, added \$10,000 for the recovery of the occupants of the Miss Doran, dead or alive. George Hearst, publisher of the San Francisco Examiner, also offered \$10,000 reward, \$5,000 for the rescue of the occupants of each missing plane.

But the trackless wastes of the Pacific were silent to the appeal of the agencies of modern communication. All day yesterday and through the night the question was radio cast: Where are Miss Mildred Doran, attractive 22-year-old Michigan school teacher; J. A. Pedlar, pilot of her monoplane; Lieutenant V. R. Knope, her navigator; Jack Frost, pilot of the Golden Eagle and Gordon Scott, his navigator? Every pilot in the Pacific kept a constant watch for the ill-fated planes or their crews, but no trace of them was heard. Their gasoline supplies exhausted many hours ago, their food sufficient for about two days more, the missing aviators if they have escaped death, were either riding along the waves in their planes or had abandoned them for a rubber life raft. Perhaps they were safe on some isolated island far away from the lines of communication or they may have been battered down to the depths if their planes crashed into the sea.

Conduct Campaign Against Rats In This Section

Miss Ann Wright and Miss Madge Case, working under the authority of the United States Public Health Service, are conducting a rat-killing campaign in the Albemarle section of North Carolina, visiting all the counties in this part of the State. They are now in Pasquotank County and Elizabeth City and have about two weeks more work to do before finishing their campaign of this section.

They have been in this work for a number of years and have visited this section before. They have travelled all over the continent and have been to Hawaii. They visit grain stores, theatres, warehouses, and business houses of all sorts where rats are causing destruction and in one day and night rid the premises of these destructive pests, using a drug recommended by the United States Public Health Service for this purpose.

In order to effectively rid a town of rats it is necessary to have the co-operation of the people, and Misses Wright and Case hope that they will be given this co-operation here.

BODY OF DR. McDANIEL LIES IN STATE AT CHURCH

Richmond, Va., Aug. 19.—(AP)—The body of the Rev. Dr. George White McDaniel, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Richmond, who died late yesterday as the result of a stroke of paralysis suffered about a week ago, will lie in state in the church at 10 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Funeral services will be held in the church at four o'clock with interment in Hollywood Cemetery.

Dr. McDaniel first suffered a stroke of paralysis in 1925 but recovered and resumed his active duty within a few months. The second stroke occurred on August 10 and he was never able to leave his bed again. The members of his family, his widow and two children, Mary and John Harrington, were at his bedside at his death, as well as a number of relatives and friends.

Peele Hall To Be Name New General Class Room Building at State College

In Memory of William Joseph Peele Who Led Movement That Resulted in Founding College

CONSIDERED RADICAL

His Ideas at That Time Thought Too Liberal Were Later Accepted; Was a Friend of Daily Advance

Str. Walter Hotel, Raleigh, Aug. 19.—Peele Hall will be the name of the new general classroom building which will be erected at State College, according to A. S. Brower, business manager of the college.

The building is to be named in honor of the late W. J. Peele, of Raleigh, who led the movement which resulted in the foundation of State College and who delivered the address on the occasion when the cornerstone for the first State College building was dedicated in 1888. Mr. Peele served on the board of trustees of State College from that time until the time of his death in 1919.

William Joseph Peele was one of the State's most distinguished citizens of the past generation. In addition to conceiving the idea and campaigning for the foundation of State College, he was the prime mover in the establishment of the State Historical Commission and served as one of its directors from its foundation until his death.

By profession Mr. Peele was a lawyer, and, although he was keenly interested in public affairs, he never held elective office. In 1880 he came to Raleigh from his home in the eastern part of the State, and opened a law office. He was a close personal friend of Walter Hines Page, and with him, was one of the organizers of the Wagona Club, which led the fight for progress in North Carolina during its existence.

Mr. Peele attended the University of North Carolina, and was one of its most prominent and active alumni. He reached high rank as a scholar in Greek and Latin, and for this reason it is deemed especially appropriate, by the State College officials, that the general classroom building, dedicated to fostering a love for the liberal arts among the professional and technical men being educated at State College, should be named for him.

During his life Mr. Peele was considered as the leader of liberal sentiment in this State. At the time when he began the movement to found State College, the idea of an institution of higher learning which taught practical subjects was considered very radical. In addition, he labored to promote better relations between the white and negro races, at a time when the Civil War was not yet 20 years past.

Mr. Peele attained some distinction as an author. He wrote several legal volumes which were widely consulted, and his "Distinguished North Carolinians" is today regarded as the authoritative volume on that field of history. In addition, Mr. Peele was the first historian to propose the theory that the Civil War had its origin in economic causes, a theory which is now universally accepted by trained historians.

He was the author of a text book on Civics which was for a number of years used in the North Carolina public schools.

Mr. Peele was keenly interested in Roanoke Island and had many friends there. He was the uncle of Herbert and Joseph Peele of Elizabeth City and was greatly interested in the establishment and development of The Elizabeth City Daily Advance, of which they are the publishers.

STREET IMPROVED BY TRACTOR DEMONSTRATION

The two blocks of Pool street, extending from Elizabeth to Pearl streets, received a badly needed dressing up Friday morning when the Auto & Gas Engine Works gave a practical demonstration of the Fordson tractor equipped with the Trackson full crawler, which claims a pulling power of three tons. The grader used is a part of the present street equipment.

Home Is Dynamited In The Henderson Mill Strike

Henderson, Aug. 19.—(AP)—The home of M. E. Partin, who walked out with 800 strikers in the Harriet Cotton Mill here two weeks ago, but returned to work later, was dynamited early today.

The blast tore off the back porch of his home and shattered the windows of his and other homes in the neighborhood. There were no injuries. Partin and his two daughters and two sons had returned to their work in the mills after several days of idleness following the general walk-out.

Willis Day and Johnny Paul, who had also returned to work after walking out with the other strikers, reported that there were small explosions in the yards of their homes during the night. There have been no arrests.

The explosion occurred, Partin said, shortly after 1 o'clock while he and his family were sleeping. The blast was very light and not an attempt upon Partin's life, but an effort to frighten him and his family. The blasts at the Day and Paul homes were also very light and created but little disturbance.

Citizens generally were ignorant as to the explosion today, and seemed not to know that the home of one of their number had been damaged. Leaders of the striking forces knew but little of the occurrence and reserved their opinions.

It is not known whether Partin and his daughters and sons, all mill workers, were among those who struck for higher wages two weeks ago, or whether they were among the large group who were forced from work when the majority of the Harriet Mill operatives walked out.

Sheriff Kearney of Vance County said today he had no clues which might lead to the apprehension of the parties responsible for the explosion, and city authorities were equally at a loss. An investigation is in progress from both angles.

Meantime, five men charged with strikes in connection with the departure of National Guard troops last week, brought to trial this morning had their hearings postponed until September 17.

"Being a native North Carolinian, it was a source of pride to bear such a splendid program by the Elizabeth City group this evening. We hope that they come again, as their two programs have not been surpassed by any station."

"Listener: Miss Mary E. Braswell, "Country Club of Virginia," "Richmond, Virginia, formerly of Enfield, N. C."

"Please accept my thanks as well as that of my family for the excellent program broadcast by our friends from Elizabeth City, North Carolina. The talks and solos were especially enjoyed."

Supreme Court Denies Appeal Made by Counsel For Sacco and Vanzetti

Full Bench of Massachusetts High Court Overrules Exceptions to Decisions of Both Judges

NO NEW TRIAL

Exceptions Were to Refusal Grant Writ of Error, New Trial, and Stay of Execution

Boston, Aug. 19.—(AP)—Counsel for Sacco and Vanzetti announced today they will apply to the United States Supreme Court for a writ of certiorari in behalf of the condemned men. It will be based on points involving the due process clause of the United States Constitution, they said.

Arthur D. Hill, chief of defense counsel, made the announcement. Ten certified copies of the record in the Sacco-Vanzetti case have been ordered from the clerk of the Norfolk Superior Court as required by the practice of the United States Supreme Court.

"We propose to go today to see Chief Justice Hall of the Superior Court," he added, "and state to him that we are able to file a petition for a writ of certiorari with the Supreme Court of the United States based on the Federal question of relating to violation of the due process clause of the constitution of the United States."

"We shall then ask Chief Justice Hall to grant a stay of sentence until the record can be printed in accordance with the rules of the Supreme Court of the United States."

"We believe that Chief Justice Hall has authority to grant this stay under the case of Bryan versus Bates, Allen 201."

Mr. Hill and Richard C. Evans, also of defense counsel, prepared to leave immediately for Fitchburg, the home of Chief Justice Hall.

Boston, Aug. 19.—(AP)—The full bench of the Massachusetts Supreme Court today overruled the exceptions by Sacco-Vanzetti defense counsel to decisions by Justice George A. Sanderson of that court and by Judge Webster Thayer of the Superior Court and refused to grant a writ of error.

The decision was announced just after 9 a. m., by the Supreme Court recorder with whom the justices filed it yesterday.

The exceptions were to the refusal of Justice Sanderson to grant a writ of error and to the refusal by Judge Thayer of a new trial a revocation of sentence and a stay of execution. Arguments on these exceptions were made last Tuesday before the Supreme Court sitting before the full bench and at their conclusion defense counsel filed a petition for writ of error with the full bench. The court had queried Arthur D. Hill, chief defense counsel, as to why this procedure had not been followed in the first place.

Arguments for the "state writ" were made by Attorney General Arthur K. Reading. The four justices were Henry K. Brayley, who presided in view of the illness of Chief Justice Arthur P. Ruggs, Edward B. Pierce, James B. Carroll and William C. Wall.

These legal steps by counsel for Nicola Sacco and Bartolomeo Vanzetti, whose respite from execution for murder expires at midnight on August 22, were based chiefly on allegations of prejudice on the part of Judge Thayer, who presided at the trial and whose previous refusal to grant a new trial was upheld by the Massachusetts Supreme Court last April.

The decision upheld the ruling of Judge Thayer that the motion for a new trial came too late because sentences had been pronounced.

"Neither the judge nor any of his associates had jurisdiction," the decision said, to entertain the motion for a revocation of sentence.

With regard to the petition for a writ of error the decision says: "The wording of the statute is clear and must be construed as meaning that the issuance of a writ of error in a capital case rests in the sound judicial discretion of the single justice to whom the application is presented," and that, "the petition was rightly denied."

Williamston, W. Va., Aug. 19.—(AP)—Two factions of the Williamston police force met in the street early today, and a gun battle ensued, during which two officers were killed.

VIRGINIA FARMERS VISIT THIS SECTION

Attracted by stories going out of Elizabeth City concerning the adaptability of the soil of this section for lucrative truck farming, prominent farmers of Virginia visited here Thursday looking over the situation. They spoke in high praise of the splendid agricultural conditions in the Elizabeth City district, and were particularly interested in the prospects for soy bean cultivation.

Chief's Out

Chief Flying Wolf of the Chayenne Indians, landed at the Oakland (Calif.) airport in a biplane and tried to enter the Pisco-Monolith race, feathers and all. His application was rejected, however, because he had no entrance money, no backer and a plane insufficiently sturdy for so long a hop.

Two Submarines Go To Aid The Search

Washington, Aug. 19.—(AP)—Two submarines have been ordered from the Island of Hawaii to investigate reports of an "object in the water" on the route of the Dole Hawaiian flight in which two planes are missing. Rear Admiral McLean, commander of the submarine division reported today to the Navy Department.

Explosion Wrecks Arkansas Theatre

Gordon, Ark., Aug. 19.—(AP)—An explosion which occurred about two o'clock this morning partly wrecked the Wright Theatre here causing damage of from \$20,000 to \$25,000. A negro who entered the theatre during the last performance last night with a package under his arm is suspected of having placed a bomb in the balcony where the explosion occurred.

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