

BAPTISTS REPORT \$48,172,806 IN CASH

FORWARD MOVEMENT BRINGS IN LARGE SUM FOR MISSIONS, EDUCATION AND BENEVOLENCES.

ASK FOR \$27,000,000 MORE

This Sum Needed to Complete Campaign Quota by End of 1924—People Are Called to Prayer.



DR. L. R. SCARBOROUGH Who Will Lead Southern Baptists in Raising \$27,000,000 in 1924.

Up to December, 1923, Southern Baptists had paid in on their subscriptions to their 75 Million Campaign the sum of \$48,172,806.72. It is announced by the Campaign headquarters in Nashville, four years of the five-year period have now expired, leaving approximately \$27,000,000 to be raised by December, 1924, if the original Campaign objective is to be reached.

In the hope of obtaining this amount of money for the further advancement of all the general missionary, educational and benevolent enterprises fostered by Southern Baptists, the Campaign Conservation Commission has inaugurated an intensive effort that it is expected will reach every state district association and local church in the territory of the Southern Baptist Convention during this year.

Dr. L. R. Scarborough, who was general director of the original Campaign organization, has been asked to return to the Nashville headquarters from his home at Fort Worth for this closing year of the forward movement and give his personal attention to the direction of the special effort that will be waged for collecting the full \$75,000,000 by the time the period for the program expires in December next. Dr. Scarborough, through the assistance of the various state and associational workers, will seek to enlist every Baptist in the South in some definite share in this closing year of the Campaign.

Baptists Have Big Income
While the goal that has been set for 1924 is considerably larger than any that has yet been attained by Southern Baptists in a single year, Dr. O. E. Bryan, budget and stewardship director of the Campaign, announces that Southern Baptists have an annual income of at least \$1,500,000,000, and he and the various state stewardship directors will continue their effort in enlisting the local churches in the matter of systematic and proportionate giving, with a view to developing Southern Baptists to the point that they will give according to their means, and give regularly week by week. A tenth of the Southern Baptist income, if given to the denomination, would make available for religious work each year the sum of \$150,000,000.

Each State Has Had Share
Indicating the sources from which the money already collected on the Campaign has come, the following contributions by states are announced: Alabama, \$2,206,071.06; Arkansas, \$1,667,304.13; District of Columbia, \$233,827.81; Florida, \$796,783.73; Georgia, \$4,389,440.02; Illinois, \$564,416.95; Kentucky, \$5,091,181.78; Louisiana, \$1,195,977.19; Maryland, \$599,451.11; Mississippi, \$2,494,281.79; Missouri, \$2,020,075.46; New Mexico, \$199,325.22; North Carolina, \$4,058,732.45; Oklahoma, \$1,206,943.76; South Carolina, \$1,002,527.60; Tennessee, \$3,117,153.25; Texas, \$7,320,697.61; Virginia, \$5,184,003.76; and specials from all sources, \$1,693,308.04.

On the basis of distribution agreed upon by the various states the following amounts have gone to the various causes co-operating in the Campaign: State missions, \$8,671,105.17; home missions, \$7,225,921.01; foreign missions, \$11,561,473.61; Christian education, or 119 Baptist seminaries, training schools, colleges and academies \$13,488,885.87; 21 Baptist hospitals; \$2,167,776.29; 19 Baptist orphanages \$3,372,096.47; and ministerial relief \$1,686,948.23.

After conference with the general missionary, educational and benevolent causes which are embraced in the Campaign, Dr. Scarborough announces that raising of \$27,000,000 in 1924 will not only enable all Southern Baptist enterprises to meet all their obligations but to make large advances at home and abroad as well.

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LATTIMORE STORM DAMAGE IS HEAVY

Lands Badly Washed—Personal Mention of People Coming And Going.

Special to The Star.
Lattimore was visited Thursday evening by a severe rain, wind, electric and hail storm, while did several thousand dollars worth of damage. The Lattimore Oil company and Mr. S. B. Cooper were the hardest hit. It was the worst storm that has ever visited here. Messrs Will Crowder, Alfred Falls, two of our largest cotton farmers suffered heavy damage by hail and land being washed. Mrs. L. C. Toms Misses Vertie Bridges and Ruth Padgett left recently for Asheville to attend the summer school.

Mr. Hugh Harrill and Miss Edith Harrill are attending the summer school at Boone.
Mr. Bunyan Harrill is at the summer school at Wake Forest.
Dwight Bridges and Guy Daves who graduated at Wake Forest this year have returned home.
Mr. Thomas Green is at home from Mars Hill college.
Raymond and Gordon Washburn are at home from Buies Creek academy. Raymond is a member of the baseball team which won the state championship of N. C. for prep schools.
Hal Bridges has returned home from Wake Forest college.
Harley Bridges has returned from a business trip to Spartanburg, S. C.
Austin Jones, George Blanton, John Raburn and Carl Jones will leave today for Camp McClellan, Ala. to attend the fourth annual encampment of the C. H. T. C. for 30 days.
Mr. Arthur Padgett and Earl Stover of Hickory, spent last Sunday

with homefolks.
Loftin Crawley spent last Sunday visiting in Carthage, this state.
Chief Yeoman Robert F. Greene of the naval hospital at Hampton Roads, Va., is expected home on a visit in a few days.
John Eskridge, Forrest Crowder, J. T. Kanipe and Gleason Hamrick have each purchased a new Ford.
Mr. Aubrey Calton and Miss Will-orree Calton spent Sunday at Chimney Rock.
YOUNG BOY ELECTROCUTED BY HIGH-VOLTAGE WIRE
Gastonia Gazette.
Robert Ford Childers, a young boy of 18 years, was instantly killed Monday morning when the steam shovel that he was operating at High Shoals came in contact with a high voltage electric line of the Southern Power Company.
Childers, who was an employee of

the P. R. Huffstetler Company, of Gastonia, was engaged in grading for a mill site in High Shoals. The machine was being moved to Gastonia to complete the grading on the Davis Lake near this city, and had been moved some distance by the workmen. The boy was a fireman and was on top of the boom of the shovel, trying to help with the lowering as the power wire was reached. The insulation of the wire was evidently bad. At any rate, the current ran through the steel framework and the young man was killed.
A crowd was present but were powerless to render the least assistance for the youth who died at the first shock. The body was brought back to Gastonia for burial but up until this afternoon the funeral arrangements had not been made.
Tongues That Sting.
Did you ever see a Portuguese man-of-war fish—one of those beautiful

creatures of the sea that looks like a great soap bubble and shows all the colors of the rainbow? Yet the Portuguese man-of-war fish is "touchy" and if you come in contact with its long tentacles, you will soon find that it can sting.
That is the way it is with many people. They look pleasant; they are bright and gay; and as long as everything goes their way, there is no trouble. But if you oppose them or do anything that they do not like, they, too, are "touchy," and their tongues sting. Are you that kind?—Selected.
Anything that is based on the sound plan of the greatest good for the greatest number is bound to succeed.
A man with a cool head, a ruly tongue and good health can look the world in the face and dare it to do its worst. If the ex-kaiser is planting a rose garden, as reported, he will raise nothing but thorns, if he gets what he deserves.

Fanatic Kills Five In One Family
Chicago, June 30.—Beaten to death and their bodies carefully covered by sheets or blankets, Otto Eder, taxicab chauffeur, his wife, Frances, and their three sons, Roy, 11 years old, Harvey, six, and Jack, three, were found in their home early today.
There was no disorder in the house and no attempt at robbery was apparent.
The police said they thought the family had been killed by a half-witted relative or a boarder filled with a lust to slay.
"It looks to me like the work of a man simply filled with a lust to kill," said Henry A. Wolf, chief of police of Elmhurst, the suburb in which the Eders had lived. The body of Eder and the two youngest boys were found in a bedroom, their heads smashed. Mrs. Eder, who was about to become a mother, lay in the dining room, and the body of the oldest boy had been tossed into a half-filled bath tub. The tub then had been covered with a blanket.
Two neighbors who investigated soon after midnight had become alarmed by protracted silence in the Eder home, said they had heard the relative of the Eders who is sought by the police call the eldest boy late yesterday afternoon.
16 CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT NOW BEFORE CONVENTION
When the roll call of states was started Saturday sixteen candidates for the presidency had been nominated by the Democratic National Convention. Among the nominees are five United States senators and the Governors of six states. Here is the list in order of the candidates respective states.
O. W. Underwood Ala.
J. T. Robinson Ark.
William G. McAdoo Calif.
Ex-Sen. W. Saulsbury Del.
Samuel M. Ralston Ind.
Gov. J. M. Davis Kan.
Gov. Albert C. Ritchie Md.
Sen. W. N. Ferris Mich.
Gov. Chas. W. Bryan Neb.
Gov. F. H. Brown N. H.
Gov. G. S. Silzer N. J.
Gov. Alfred E. Smith N. Y.
David Houston N. Y.
Ex-Gov. James M. Cox Ohio
Sen. Carter Glass Va.
John W. Davis W. Va.
233 TONS OF COPPER COINS TO BE Poured IN SMELTER
After circulating, many of them for more than a century, in the Dutch East Indies, 233 tons of copper coins were unloaded in New York recently on their way to a smelting plant in New Jersey. Many bore the date of 1790; others were worn so smooth that their age could not be determined.
These symbols of the trade of a corner of the world that readers of English associate chiefly with the novels of Joseph Conrad soon will be transmuted into just copper, practically pure copper, however, worth about \$250 a ton.
The coins were collected by the Dutch government ten years ago when the old issues were recalled and replaced with new.
Too many people believe only that which they want to believe.

ELECTRIC CURLING IRONS
A guaranteed Iron, specially priced for quick selling at... **\$1.00**



GRANULATED SUGAR
Limit 10 lbs. to a customer.
While 2,000 lbs lasts **79c**
10 lbs

Materials
CANTON
CREPE
FLAT CREPE
AND
SATIN BACK
CREPE

126 New Summer Frocks IN A GREAT SALE! SATURDAY AND MONDAY

Colors
BLACK
BROWN
TAN NAVY
GREY
COPEN
MEXICAN
GREEN



WE have just received these wonderful values in women's dresses. This exceptional purchase was brought about by our enormous buying power. It was necessary for us to take the whole lot in order to offer you these wonderful values in Spring Dresses. We invite you to call and try them on. In that way you are best able to judge.

Consider It! Don't Let This Chance To Save Money Pass!

Every Dress in this Lot Worth From **\$25.00** to **\$40.00**
AN EVENT OF WHICH WE ARE PROUD!
MADE POSSIBLE THROUGH QUANTITY BUYING!

\$18.50

AT A MOST
Extraordinary
SPECIAL
PRICE OF
WHILE THEY
LAST

Large Selection Of The Newest Models—Now The Vogue—And The Popular Colors.

Men Who Take Pride In Their Appearance Should Come In and See Our New "MARX-MADE" WOOL Suits

"Snappy" Suits For Men
This is the home of a high grade make of men's clothes. Guaranteed to give entire satisfaction, and practically every material and style that's new can be found in this line. Priced by us at only

\$24.50



Boy's Suits For Summer
Wonderful stylish, snappy dressy appearing suits that the young American likes, made to fit perfectly, like dad's, neat stripes, too, dark and medium shades, for only

\$7.50

80 Square Percal SHIRTS

Genuine 80 square percale dress shirts, in a large assortment of colors and sizes, in stripes and checks at a money saving price. Men here's your chance, grab this value at

VERY SPECIAL \$1.48

Boys' Wash Suits

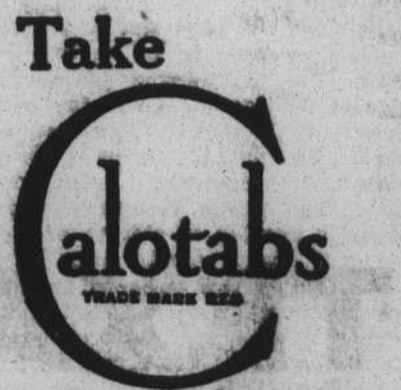
One big table to select from, some trimmed in brown and blue, with white bodies, others self trimmed; sizes 3 to 9.

\$1.25

Unionalls For The Kiddies

Made of durable material with low neck, strongly reinforced, double seams, just the garment for every day wear, and at a special price of

\$1.39



for the liver
Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.

IF

The Boll Weevil don't get you—Looks like the HAIL will. Several hail storms this week. Some farmers damaged twice this week. Some had hail insurance, some did not. Many insuring this week.

The hail storm Tuesday afflicting nothing but the stalk standing.

Farmers
The cost to carry hail insurance is small. You cannot afford not to insure. This is a hail storm year, looks like. Protect your crops with our hail policy and be on the safe side. See us at once—tomorrow may be too late.

J. L. Suttle, Mgr. Ins. Dept.
Cleveland Bank & Trust Co.
Shelby, N. C.