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BAPTISTS IN ASHEVILLE

GREAT SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

MEETS IN ASHEVILLE MAY 17TH AND FOLLOWING

Great mountain city is making fine preparation for Baptists

Asheville, N. C. April 22.—Delegates and visitors to the sixty-first annual session of the Southern Baptist Convention are exhibiting keen interest in the meeting, which begins May 17, to be held at Asheville, the "Heart of the Blue Ridge Mountains" of Western North Carolina.

The local committee, of which Dr. Calvin B. Waller, pastor of the First Baptist Church, is chairman, is receiving requests in large numbers for information about Asheville, reservations, headquarters of various committees, etc.

A visit to Asheville, and these wonderful Carolina mountains is an event to be looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure. Inasmuch as Asheville has become famous throughout the entire country as the center of the most marvellously beautiful mountain region on the American continent, it not perhaps, the entire world.

It was only a little while ago that Asheville really discovered itself, and the magnitude of wealth offered in the mountains round about. Within a little 100 mile circle thrown around Asheville are located sixty-four mountain peaks with an altitude of 6,000 feet and over twenty-four of which are higher than Mount Washington (6,290 feet) of the New England States which until about a half century ago was heralded as the highest peak east of the Rockies. This list of twenty four peaks includes the "King of Mountain Peaks of the East," Mount Mitchell, 6,711 feet above sea level.

During the Summer of 1915 Asheville was connected with the top of Mount Mitchell by one of the most unique and wonderful mountain railways in the country, so that tourists and visitors to Asheville may go to the "Top of Eastern America," leaving Asheville in the morning, spending three or four hours on the top of the mountain, returning to Asheville by eight o'clock in the evening, in time for supper.

A great many of the Baptists of the South will remember with pleasure the convention which met in Asheville in 1902. Since that time Asheville has had marvellous growth, and now has the finest and most famous tourist hotels on the American continent. The hotel and boarding house facilities of Asheville, it is said, are unsurpassed by any city of perhaps two or three times its size in the country.

The Battery Hotel has been designated as headquarters of the Convention, with the Langren Hotel as headquarters of the Woman's Missionary Union.

Other large and prominent hotels of the city are: Grove Park Inn, the Manor, Margo Terrace, the Sannacoa.

Rev. M. M. Graham, pastor of the Wesleyan Methodist church is conducting a revival meeting at Concord this week.

REV. W. R. BEACH ACCEPTS

PASTORATE KINGS MTN. AND GROVER CHURCHES

WILL PREACH HERE 4TH SUNDAY IN MAY

Baptist minister comes from Bryson City, N. C.

Rev. W. R. Beach of Bryson City, who was recently called to the pastorate of the Kings Mountain and Grover Baptist churches, has signified his acceptance of the work. He is expected to move here and be ready to take hold of the work in time for the services of the fourth Sunday in May. That will enable him to meet the Grover appointment the first Sunday in June. There is some talk now of having the Grover congregation meet with the Kings Mountain church, on the fourth Sunday, and then the congregation here return the visit to Grover the first Sunday in June. This arrangement, however, has not been worked out, only suggested.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET FOR GASTON

The following ticket was nominated for Democratic Ticket for Gaston County at the primary held Saturday April 15 from 1 to 7 o'clock, P. M.:

- For House of Representatives—J. C. Pruett, of Dallas; A. J. Rankin, of Belmont.
- For Sheriff—W. Neil Davis.
- For Register of Deeds—O. R. Carpenter, of Stanley.
- For Treasurer—Carl Finger.
- For Coroner—Vernon G. Grier.
- Surveyor—Chester Black.
- For County Commissioners—R. L. Stowe, South Point; A. T. Lindsay, Crowders Mountain; Will Kendrick, Cherryville.

The vote was lower than for many years there being only about 2,000 votes cast in the entire county.

For Register of deeds there were three candidates, Messrs. O. B. Carpenter, of Stanley; W. O. Gardner, of Mt. Holly, and C. S. Whitney, of Bessemer City. Mr. Carpenter won over his opponents by 817 votes.

For the House of Representatives Mr. A. J. Rankin led the ticket with approximately 1400 votes, while Mr. J. C. Pruett came next, while Mr. H. S. Sellers received the lowest number of votes.

BROTHER AND SISTER, OLD AND BLIND, DIE

Mr. Robert (Uncle Bobby) Murrays died last week aged about 75 years. He was blind and had been practically helpless for several years. A few days prior to his death his sister, Mrs. Geo. Sellers, who was also blind and helpless died at a ripe old age. They were buried at old Shiloh cemetery near Grover. They both spent their last days and died in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus. Love near old Apple Gap on Kings Creek. Mrs. Love is a daughter of Mrs. Sellers who died about a year ago after long illness.

Biggest Vote Offer of Entire Race Ends This Saturday Apr. 29, 2 p. m.

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Race Between 9 Workers Promises A Red Hot Finish--Ford Auto, Piano, and Scholarship Soon Will Have New Owners.

With everything connected with the printing trade going up, The Herald (in common with many other journals) is compelled to announce an advance of subscription rate. We have heard very few adverse comments. After May 13 The Herald will be \$1.50 the year. A large number of our readers have renewed from 1 to 5 years in advance. Many more will do so before the contest ends. Any reader failing to do so will be losing 30c on each dollar that they might as well save. At the same time one can aid a friend in the race. Look over the following vote schedule. You aid your favorite most by subscribing during "Double Vote Period" when each payment means MORE VOTES than any time during the race.

"Double Vote Period" positively ends this coming Saturday, Apr. 29, at 2 P. M. IT WILL NOT BE REPEATED.

Excites Much Admiration.

Mr. W. K. Mauney has had many folks in looking at his new, big lathe, and other fine equipment he installed last week. It sure improves his garage facilities for expeditiously turning out repair work. Mr. Mauney's Garage is now the finest equipped on The National Highway between Charlotte and Spartanburg.

But more comment has been made over this brand new Ford Car standing in the garage display window. Many friends of various workers say "my favorite must have it." Well there is only ONE way this friend will win—that is for you to subscribe—DO IT NOW, while double vote offer is ON. Your subscription if paid by 2 P. M. next Saturday helps more than ANY time during the balance of the race.

Candidates Nominated.

Following are the candidates nominated in The Herald's Automobile Contest. All were given 1,000 votes to start with.

KINGS MOUNTAIN.		
Miss Ada Ware	KINGS MOUNTAIN, R. F. D. 2.	428,175
S. P. Goforth	HICKORY.	427,300.
Miss Mabel Long 803—14th St.	KINGS MOUNTAIN.	425,100.
H. B. Jones	ABERDEEN.	270,375.
Miss Birdie Faires	KINGS MOUNTAIN, R. F. D. 3.	161,775.
W. C. Blackwell		153,050.

Look Vote Schedule Over Carefully.

IF PAID APR. 17 TO APR. 29 - 2 P. M.	MAY 1 TO 6	REG. SCHEDULE.	Votes
On payment of \$ 1.00	7,200	5,400	5,400
On payment of \$ 1.50	11,200	8,400	8,400
On payment of \$ 2.00	16,000	12,000	12,000
On payment of \$ 3.00	24,000	18,000	18,000
On payment of \$ 4.00	32,000	24,000	24,000
On payment of \$ 5.00	40,000	30,000	30,000
On payment of \$ 6.00	50,000	37,500	37,500
On payment of \$ 7.00	60,000	45,000	45,000
On payment of \$ 8.00	70,000	52,500	52,500
On payment of \$ 9.00	80,000	60,000	60,000
On payment of \$10.00	100,000	75,000	75,000

Won Extra Votes

For turning in the greatest number of new subscribers last week Miss Ada Ware won 100,000 extra votes; S. P. Goforth was second getting 75,000; Miss Mabel Long, third winning 50,000; and W. C. Blackwell, fourth getting 25,000. Mr. Goforth turned in the greatest amount of cash on old subscription business, winning 100,000 votes thereby, while Miss Ware was second on this count getting 75,000 extra votes, Miss Long was third winning 50,000 and Miss Faires fourth, securing the 25,000 extra offered.

Neck and Neck Race

By adding the extra votes up it will be seen that Miss Ware and Mr. Goforth each won 175,000 extra last week; Miss Long won a total of 100,000 extra while Miss Faires and Mr. Blackwell got their 25,000 each. It surely is a neck and neck race between the three leaders in these standings, ALL EXTRA VOTES HAVE BEEN ADDED IN THE STANDINGS.

Last Extra Votes

50,000 and 25,000 extra votes will be given the candidates turning in the greatest and second greatest NUMBER of NEW subscriptions this week, while 50,000 and 25,000 extra votes will go to the candidate turning in the greatest and second greatest amount of cash on old subscription business. THESE ARE THE LAST EXTRA VOTES THAT WILL BE OFFERED IN THE CONTEST. WIN THEM! All newspaper coupon votes are void AFTER THIS WEEK, SO GET THEM IN.

GROVER SCHOOL CLOSE

COMMENCEMENT WAS BIG SUCCESS

NEW BUILDING READY FOR THE FALL TERM

Many medals and prizes won—Excellent records of attendance

The Grover commencement was carried out last week in grand style. The weather was elegant and the people were "in the spirit of the meeting." In fact, when it comes to school and the education of their youth the Grover people seem to be unanimous. Miss N. M. Livingstone has been principal of the school for the past six years and is likely to continue for the next six. She has done a wonderful work and the people have supported her nobly and so far as we can learn they are now united upon her.

The editor of The Herald was present Thursday and he has never seen more enthusiasm among teachers, pupils, patrons and all concerned.

Thursday's program consisted of three contests and the awarding of medals and prizes. The graduating exercises were held Thursday night and the Literary address by Rev. T. D. Bateman of Shelby.

The first contest Thursday was the 7th grade declaimers contest. This was hotly contested among six fine boys. It was a pleasing sight to see those boys vying with each other. This medal was won by Mr. Jack Westmoreland. This medal was given by Mr. C. F. Hambricht. The other forenoon contest was for girls High School medal which was won by Miss Evi Lee Sheppard. This medal was furnished by S. R. Anthony. Then came dinner which was well in keeping with the other items on the program.

After dinner came the boys High School declaimers contest in which Mr. Woodford Moss won the medal. Editor Page delivered the three contest medals and another to Miss Vera Turner. Miss Turner is a member of the graduating class and hasn't missed roll call in six years. This medal was given by the principal.

Supt. J. Y. Irvin was present and delivered the following medals and prizes: Miss Addie Moss, medal for improvement, punctuality and neatness in the primary department. Medal given by the teacher, Miss Grigg. Hoyt Keeter medal for improvement, neatness and punctuality in the High School department. Given by Miss Alston, the assisted teacher. Miss Gladys Malone medal for improvement, punctuality and neatness in intermediate department.

There were 41 books given out, mostly Bibles, 32 to pupils who hadn't missed roll call for the entire eight months.

Out of an enrollment of 144 the average attendance has been 100 for the entire year.

The judges in the contests were Supt. J. Y. Irvin and Mrs. W. B. Nix, of Shelby and G. G. Page of Kings Mountain.

The work on the new school building is going right along and by the time for fall opening the Grover school will be snugly housed in a strictly up-to-date and commodious brick building that will be in keeping with the progress of the school.

THE REVIVAL GOES ON

MEETING WILL CONTINUE THROUGH THE WEEK

MANY PROFESSIONS - CONSIDERABLE INTEREST

Great sermon to men Sunday - meeting held in Methodist church

The big tent meeting will continue this week. Interest and attendance has steadily increased from the start. There have been quite a number of professions and scores of others have asked for prayers. People are attending in unprecedented numbers. They come from Grover and other neighboring sections. The congregations number as high as fifteen hundred at times.

On account of the heavy wind Sunday afternoon the men's meeting was held in the Methodist church. That spacious auditorium was crowded to its capacity and scores were turned away. Mr. Browning preached for an hour and a half one of the most convincing and forceful sermons to men we have ever heard. The wind badly rent the tent so that it had to be lowered Monday and repaired. The meeting will go on through the week but there are no further announcements at this writing.

S. S. ASSOCIATION MEETS AT SINAI

The Baptist S. S. Convention will meet with Mt. Sinai Baptist church. The program is as follows: Saturday 9:30 devotional exercises conducted by Rev. John McCurry, followed by roll call of Sunday Schools. At 11 o'clock election of officers. 10:30 discussion of query, Why is the Sunday School Enrollment? Less than the church Enrollment? Speakers, Rev. Bate Hestrick and E. S. Glasco. At 11 o'clock, discussion, Should the S. S. of the Kings Mountain Association meet together one time this year? Speakers, D. S. Lovelace and A. P. Brake 11:30 Who is responsible for the S. S. Work of the Kings Mountain Association, conducted by Rev. A. C. Irvin and T. C. Holland. Intermission. 1 p. m. What are the benefits derived from a S. S. by J. L. Blanton and J. H. Quinn, followed by open discussion.

Sunday, 9:30 devotional exercises conducted by Rev. A. C. Irvin. Music furnished by Mt. Sinai class. 10 o'clock Sunday School lesson taught by Prof. James B. Smith. 10:30 What is the Mission of a S. S. Association by Prof. John Irvin and D. G. Washburn. 11 o'clock sermon by Rev. W. E. Lowe. Collection for home and foreign missions. Intermission. 1:30 p. m. The great mission of the S. S. of our Southland, by Geo. P. Webb. Open conference. We urge every school to send delegates to this meeting.

JOE E. BLANTON, Secy.

DR. HOOD FOR CORONER

Dr. J. S. Hood of Kings Mountain is making the race for County Coroner. Dr. Hood is very popular and is well fitted for the office and we hope he gets it.