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A TRIP

To the Mountains of Kentucky, on September 26th, 1904.

[Written for Mountain Advocate.]

On the above morning I boarded the 9:42 train at Bowling Green, Ky., and started on a journey to Barbourville by way of Louisville to the Kentucky Annual Conference, which was held September 29, 1904, reaching Louisville at 12 m. Then waiting with several of the brethren of the Louisville district for the 8 a. m. train, we started for the seat of conference, speeding away through the mountains and valleys, viewing the beautiful hill slopes and mountain sceneries, of which it is impossible for human minds to describe. At 4:30 p. m. we reached our final destination, and there we were kindly greeted by Dr. G. N. Jolly, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church of Barbourville, who very courteously assigned us to our respective homes for a few short days.

It was the writer's highly esteemed privilege of being entertained at the home of the Hon. John A. Black, who also entertained the bishop and Rev. Thos. Handford, D. D., of Augusta, Kentucky. We can truly say that Mrs. Black, with her three sons, and also the sister of Bro. Black played a very important part in the entertainment of their guests.

I am sure I voice the sentiment of the entire delegation, when I say that the people of Barbourville are indeed very hospitable, intelligent, and most certainly Christian, and this is quite an advertisement for Union College, which is located in this beautiful mountain town. Prof. Faulkner, president of Union College, gave to the conference free access to the college and beautiful campus, which we most certainly enjoyed on the settees under the beautiful trees. The chapel was thrown open to the business sessions and evening anniversaries, and the recitation rooms to the different committee meetings.

And, let me say in connection with this, to any one who is contemplating sending their children away to school, they can find no better or safer place in the State of Kentucky than Union College in the town of Barbourville, surrounded by so many beautiful hills and mountains, which is also strictly a prohibition town; also Christian, and possessing the highest standard of morals.

This session being the best the writer has been privileged to attend since becoming a member. I think it was equally enjoyed by both ministers and laymen.

Our beloved bishop manifested such Christ-like spirit in every session. On the Lord's day he preached a most excellent sermon on the "Humanity of Christ." The simplicity of the discourse was exceedingly great.

Monday noon, October 3rd, brought us to the close of this very delightful session, and the bishop, with a few very fitting words, addressed the preachers, who sat patiently waiting to hear their fatal doom pronounced. He said that he had appointed preachers to twenty-four thousand years' work, and that only one refused to go. And so we decided at once to go to the place assigned us after a statement of this kind.

The bishop read the appointments, the doxology was sung

and the bishop pronounced the benediction, and we bade each other farewell.

But the writer, with four of the Louisville preachers, being still hungry for more of the mountain scenery, boarded the 4:00 p. m. train for the city of Middlesboro, near Cumberland Gap, reaching the city and going to the Epworth hospital of the Methodist church, which is one of beauty and modern improvements. We were cordially received and highly entertained by Mr. Harvey Wintuska and wife, formerly of Bowling Green, Ky., who are now in charge of the hospital.

After a good night's rest, we were furnished (next morning) with mountain horses, and with Bro. Wintuska as our guide, we galloped away on horseback to Cumberland Gap to view, with pleasure, the place where Daniel Boone (the first white settler in Kentucky) crossed the great chain of the Cumberland mountains; and also where Bishop Ashbury made his first adventure into the beautiful State of Kentucky.

Turning from this we ascended mountains until we came to the top of the pinnacle, towering above Powell Valley, and looking into the face of several States, we could see the smoky mountains, the Blue Ridge, and also Look-out Mountain, towering above the beautiful city of Chattanooga, Tenn.

The great steam cars in the valley were seemingly no larger than a toy train. And feeling so grateful to our Heavenly Father for his great blessings to us, we joined in singing the grand old national hymn, "America." At the close Rev. J. M. Ackman read a short scripture lesson, after which Dr. Ogden led in a very beautiful prayer. Again singing that beautiful hymn, "Rock of Ages," closing with the doxology and benediction. It seemed that we were almost in the presence of Jehovah.

After securing a few relics, we started down the mountain slope, stopping at the beautiful bubbling spring to get a drink, which proceeded from the side of that great mountain, we were made to exclaim, "Praise God from whom all blessings flow." On our return to the city we were permitted to view the beautiful lake, lying between the great mountains, which is about three miles long; this lake furnishes the city water.

The Middlesboro Hotel is a very beautiful structure, built at a cost of \$2,000,000. In the evening, after bidding farewell to friends, we boarded the 4:45 p. m. train and started on our journey for home, sweet home; and we can truly say, in the language of the poet, "Be it ever so humble, there's no place like home."

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Pastor in Charge,
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CALEB POWERS

To Have Gov. Black's Aid in New Trial.

Information was received here last Friday that former Governor Frank S. Black, of New York, will assist in the defense of Hon. Caleb Powers, now under sentence of death for alleged complicity in a conspiracy to kill William Goebel. Gov. Black volunteered his services in the case, believing Powers innocent, but exactly what part he will take in the case is not known.

The cause is now pending before the Court of Appeals of this State, having been submitted on briefs last May. If the Court of Appeals reverses the decision of the lower court the case will go back for a new trial. If the death sentence is affirmed, effort will be made to appeal the case to the Supreme Court of the United States on the Federal question involved.

Gov. Black has expressed himself to his friends in New York, it is said, as being convinced from the evidence he has read in the case that Caleb Powers is not guilty of the charge against him. His offer of services to the leaders of the counsel for the defense followed.

Two Bluegrass Farms FOR SALE.

I have in my hands for sale the following farms in Madison county: The two farms of Mrs. J. W. Smith, the first known as the Hugueny place and containing about 270 acres.

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CHORUS

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DEATH OF H. H. STEELE

One of the Oldest Citizens of Our Town Passed to the Great Beyond.

Last Saturday evening at his home in this city, after a few weeks of suffering, Mr. Harrison H. Steele sank peacefully to rest in the arms of his Savior.

Mr. Steele was 71 years of age, and for many years had been an earnest and faithful member of the M. E. church of this city, and his death will be felt in the whole community.

The funeral services were conducted at the church on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. T. B. Stratton, his pastor, assisted by Rev. J. P. Faulkner, an old friend of the family.

The church was well filled with friends of the family, who had assembled to pay their last respects.

The following were chosen as the pall-bearers: G. W. Gray, D. W. Clark, Dr. J. R. Smyth, Alex. Vaughn, J. R. Jones, Dan. H. Williams.

After services at the church were concluded the remains were gently borne to the local cemetery and laid to rest to await the judgment morn.

A widow and five children, Dr. J. R. Steele, of Junction City, S. F. Steele, of Minneapolis, Minn., Mrs. Flem D. Sampson and two little girls, Gertrude and Gladys, besides a host of friends were left to mourn their loss.

Just before the Angel of Death summoned him to his last reward he called his family around his bedside and asked them all to meet him in heaven, leaving words of comfort to the living that the God he had served in life was with him in the hour of death.

"Blessed is the death of the righteous in the sight of the Lord."

MORE EVIDENCE

Showing the Need of Water Works in Our Town.

Last Monday the little town of Corinth, in the northern part of this State, was almost entirely blotted off the map by a great conflagration, twenty-one houses being burned before the fire was burned out. The cause was that the town had no fire protection, and when the blaze started there was no water to fight the fire.

The same thing will occur here some day, and the city of Barbourville will be entirely blotted off the map if some protection is not given to the property. Just now when all the wells and cisterns of the town are dry and no water is at hand, what would we do? What could we do but stand by and see property melt away before the fiery flames should such a calamity befall us?

Awake, citizens, let's be up and doing. A few dollars spent now in the erection of a water-works may save thousands of dollars in property, and at the same time save us a great amount in the way of fire insurance.

Let's not allow the season to go by and not see a water-works plant installed in our town.

The many natural advantages we have enumerated over and over until they have become by-words upon the streets, and yet the citizens will sit idly by and make no effort to get the plant established.

OVERFLOWED CORRESPONDENCE

Lindsay.

Candidates at every cross-road. W. P. Chance delights in seeing a beef die.

A mistake in last week's type should be: Voters who support one man or set of men, certainly cannot hope much for their posterity. If there is to be a royal family, we can not hope for the plebian.

The noted Mack Stansberry was seen passing through here last Friday.

A new stone chimney is added to the comforts of George Eagle's home.

The result of to-day's speaking at Flat creek is not yet known to your correspondent.

Our school teacher spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks at Knox Fork, and while there heard two grand sermons delivered by his grandfather, Rev. H. D. Barnett.

The report is that if Mr. T. J. Wyatt had been let have his way at the speaking at Black's, our next County Judge would now have been a mere bundle of shoe strings. We all like to boast of our "blue blood," but I believe Mr. Wyatt himself would shudder at the thought of entering the court room and finding the judge's chair occupied by a pile of raw-hide strips.

The Misses Faulkner and Terrell were seen in our midst last Monday.

Dear reader, please notice Flem D. Sampson's letter in the Knox Fork items of last week, and think if you can find a man of nobler spirit than he. In this election of November 12, are you going to support a man like this, who so meekly gave way to his defeat and declared himself strongly for the nominee four years ago, or are you going to help the one who said, "I will have the office though the majority of the people are against me?"

Naturally, men are watching for November 12th, but all eyes of this neck o' the woods are looking forward to the time when they can have a bridge in this community. We certainly know Mr. Wyatt's heart desire would be to give us a bridge, but we have never forgotten the lesson that was taught us by Mr. Wyatt in a previous bridge in which he made a claim for \$500 just to satisfy his own selfish wants. The voters of Knox county are going to stand by our hero of economy, F. D. Sampson, on November 12th, and say by that act that we are going to have a County Judge whom we can look to for prosperity. He will certainly stamp improvement upon the wings of time, and no voter will ever regret casting a vote for such a man. XERXES.

Hopper.

Quite a number of our people from this place attended the big memorial meeting of Laurel county last Friday, Saturday and Sunday. All who were present report a nice time.

The candidates for the various county offices were with us last week on their campaign circuit.

Mrs. D. T. Smith, of Hammons' Fork, who has had rheumatism for the past five weeks, is slowly on the mend.

A number of candidates took supper at Mr. Bige Hopper's the other night. On their departure some one of them took Will's hat and left an old worn-out one in its stead; the old one being so small that it will only rest on Will's shoulder. He says he would be glad if some of them would come back and bring his hat home.

George W. Messer says he would like to say to the Hinyar

correspondent, if he is married, that his case is similar to Ephraim's and the 'possum (of which you have all heard.) M. O. G.

Scalf.

Well, well, Mr. Editor, here come Dry Gourd again.

Everything is heating up about the election. The voters are just waiting for the 12th of November so they can get to enjoy their freedom again, to make some happy and some sad.

'Possum are now getting ripe and sweet potatoes have been dug; and if we had that mighty five-ounce 'possum that W. S. Woollum caught a few days ago, Dry Gourd would sit back and say, "O! that must be poison grease."

M. H. Hubbard has purchased a fine come dog and says they must look out. DRY GOURD.

Our Supplement.

We present to each of our readers this week in the form of a supplement, "Uncle Sam" taking the measurement of Roosevelt, and says, "He is good enough for me." Also we furnish a chart showing the increase and decrease in business under the different administrations. This is a splendid study, and should be carefully considered by every voter before he casts his vote next Tuesday.

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State-at-Large.
George Denny, Lexington, Ky.
James B. Wilhoit, Ashland, Ky.

1st District.	Thomas B. McGregor
2d "	David Browning
3d "	J. McKenzie Moss
4th "	John P. Haswell, Jr.
5th "	Matthew J. Holt
6th "	David B. Wallace
7th "	Louis L. Bristow
8th "	B. J. Bethurum
9th "	Osborn F. Bryan
10th "	Henry D. Fitzpatrick
11th "	William R. Ramsey

REPUBLICAN NOMINEES FOR CONGRESS IN KENTUCKY.

1st District.	Jesse C. Speight
2d "	W. H. Overby
3d "	William H. Jones
4th "	Ben L. Bruner
5th "	William C. Owens
6th "	Leslie Applegate
7th "	Joseph W. Calvert
8th "	Nelson D. Miles
9th "	John B. Bennett
10th "	Theodore B. Blakely
11th "	Don C. Edwards.

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