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Perkins, W. P.
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Pettit, S. W.
Pettet, S. B.
Pearce, B. C.
Pecker, G. R.
Phillips, A. D.
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Turner, Hezekiah L.
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Richmond Dispatch.

SATURDAY.....NOVEMBER 12, 1870.

THE CIRCULATION OF THE DISPATCH IS LARGER THAN THE COMBINED CIRCULATION OF ALL THE OTHER DAILY NEWSPAPERS OF THE CITY.

Virginia Annual Conference M. E. Church, South.

[Reported for the Richmond Dispatch.]

SECOND DAY.

LYNCHBURG, VA., Nov. 10, 1870.

The Conference was called to order at 9½ A. M., Bishop Pierce in the chair. After the usual services of singing, reading a portion of the Scriptures, and prayer by Rev. George W. Nolley, the roll was called, and the minutes of yesterday were read and approved. Several members, not arrived yesterday morning, answered to their names to-day.

The examination of the characters of the elders of the remaining districts was at once taken up, continued, and finished about 12½ P. M. Not a single charge was preferred against the character of any of the ministers.

The presiding elders gave verbal reports of the condition of the Church and its members in their various districts. They represented a steadily-advancing interest in the cause of religion, and presented other gratifying encouragements to the members of the Conference.

The name of a local deacon was mentioned who asked for admission into the travelling connection. The Examining Board, however, after a fair trial as to his qualifications, could not agree to recommend the granting of his petition, on the ground of his deficient education. A lengthy and interesting discussion ensued, participated in by Bishop Early, Revs. Whitehead, Peterson, Davis, Edwards, and others, as to the proper qualifications of a minister, arguing the subject *per se* as well as in reference to the requirements imposed by the laws of the Church on the point. The vote being taken, the candidate was rejected. It is proper to add that no objection whatever was intimated concerning his moral or Christian standing; but he was refused admittance simply on the ground of his educational deficiency.

Appropriate resolutions relative to the death of the late Rev. Wm. A. Smith, D. D., formerly a member of this Conference, were adopted.

Rev. James M. Anderson, of Albemarle, announced that he was empowered to receive subscriptions for the Nashville *Christian Advocate*.

On motion, the following gentlemen were appointed a committee to nominate the Examining Board for the ensuing term of four years: Rev. J. C. Granbery, D. D., Rev. J. D. Blackwell, Rev. Jas. C. Martin.

Rev. R. N. Sledd, Chairman Committee on Public Worship, announced that Rev. P. W. Archer would preach at Centenary Church to-night, and also repeated the announcement of Rev. Mr. Waggoner for Court-street Church to-night.

The Conference did not adjourn until after 2 P. M.

The following list is a complete one of the members of the various standing committees, with the exception of the Mission Board, specified in yesterday's letter:

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

Clerical.—Revs. J. C. Granbery, D. D., J. M. Anderson, R. N. Sledd, David M. Wallace, Alex. M. Hall, Chas. H. Hall, Paul Whitehead, Wm. W. Duncan, Charles E. Watts. *Lay*—Jeff. W. Stubbs, John M. Godwin, Major Garland B. Hanes, T. T. Pettus, J. J. Lampkin, T. B. Hamlin, E. H. Williams, J. H. Dawson, W. D. Quesenberg.

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COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

Clerical.—Revs. F. M. Edwards, Adam C. Bledsoe, J. D. Blackwell, L. J. Hansberger, Jos. H. Amiss, Thomas L. Williams, James C. Martin, William F. Bain. *Lay.*—Asa Snyder, Lawrence Sanford, James D. Crawley, George B. Finch, John A. Wingfield, Thomas M. Newson, William S. Byrd, W. T. Chandler.

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COMMITTEE ON MEMOIRS.

Revs. P. F. August, H. P. Mitchell, W. G. Williams, A. G. Brown.

All the committees are busily at work during the afternoon, and will probably begin to bring in their reports to-morrow.

The Bishop and his council of presiding elders are engaged afternoons and nights in preparing the list of appointments of ministers for the coming year.

Both the churches were crowded to-night to hear Revs. Mr. Waggoner and Archer. Our space does not allow of a synopsis of either sermon. MED.

Maryland Baptist State Convention—Interesting Services.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

BALTIMORE, MD, Nov. 10, 1870.

The Baptists of Maryland and of the District of Columbia are assembled in the First Baptist Church in this city, in their Thirty-fifth Annual Meeting. A. Fuller Crane is president.

There were over six hundred additions to the churches during the year, and the reports from the field were so cheering that, on motion of Rev. Dr. Fuller, the Convention joined in prayer and thanksgiving to the Giver of all good.

Among the visitors present are Rev. H. L. Burrows, of Missouri; M. T. Sumner, of Alabama, and E. J. Willis, A. E. Dickinson, and W. F. Broadus, of Virginia.

Rev. J. E. Chambliss preached the introductory sermon, and an able and eloquent discourse it was.

The results of the late elections have given great joy to the Conservative masses of this State. **

A HEAVY BLOW.—The gale of wind which, on Wednesday afternoon, rid the horizon of the rain-clouds, culminated in a grand "northeaster" at night, and as the sharp and piercing blasts swept around the corners of the streets and peered into crevices between doors and windows, humanity predicted that winter, with its icy touch, was making his *debut* into Baltimore. At 7 o'clock a loud crash was heard in the vicinity of Light street and Fort avenue, and upon examination it was found that eight new three-story brick buildings, belonging to Mr. Willis, had been unroofed, and that the roofs had been blown upon the back buildings of each house, causing the roofs of the back buildings to fall in. The upper walls of the eight houses were also thrown down, and in their descent considerable damage was done to the interior of the houses. The total loss of Mr. Willis by this sudden visitation of wind will reach $3,000. *Baltimore American.*

REVIVAL.—Rev. A. E. Dickinson is carrying on a protracted meeting in the First Baptist Church of Washington, D. C., in which quite a number of persons are seeking the pearl of great price.

There is universal complaint of the difficulty of getting hands to pick cotton in the South.

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

A. W. ROSEN, High Constable, will sell at the corner of Ross and Governor streets, at 5 P. M., two framed houses, counters, show-cases, &c., &c.

GRUBBS & WILLIAMS will sell at 4½ P. M. three small brick tenements on the corner of high and Church streets, Oregon Hill.

JAMES M. TAYLOR will sell at 4 P. M. the large three-story brick store and dwelling, No. 2102 Main street.

HILL & GODDIN will sell at 4½ o'clock P. M. five building lots fronting on Marshall street and Lafayette avenue.

COOK & LAUGHTON will sell at 10 A. M., at the horse lot, horses, mules, top-buggy, &c.

LOCAL MATTERS.

State Convention of Disciples.

A State Convention of the Disciples of Christ met at the Sycamore Church, on 11th, between Broad and Marshall streets, yesterday. A large number of Disciples were in attendance, representing different sections of this State and of West Virginia.

The meeting was called to order by Elder John A. Dearborn, pastor of the Sycamore Church, who, on behalf of the Disciples in this city, extended the brethren a kindly greeting and a cordial Christian welcome. On his motion, Professor W. K. Pendleton, President of Bethany College, was called to the chair.

Professor Pendleton, on taking the chair, expressed his peculiar pleasure in revisiting a locality endeared to him by so many pleasing recollections, and at meeting some of the fathers whom he had known in other years, as well as some who were descendants of those whom he had loved and honored, and who were now passed away.

After remarks to this effect, Prof. Pendleton read the 103d Psalm, and an appropriate prayer was offered by Elder R. L. Coleman.

The following permanent officers of the Convention were then chosen:

Prof. W. K. Pendleton, President.
Silas Shelburne, Vice President.
W. H. Clemmitt, Secretary.
F. B. Davis, Assistant Secretary.
Chas. H. McGruder, Treasurer.

Messrs. Peter Ainslie, John A. Dearborn, R. C. Cave, Benj. Creal, and Dr. J. W. Williams having been appointed a committee for the purpose, reported the following order of business for the Convention:

1st. The Convention to be opened by religious exercises.
2d. Enrolment of delegates.
3d. The interest of the *Christian Examiner*.
4th. State organization.
5th. The scheme to support superannuated ministers.
6th. Reports of district conventions and churches.
7th. Miscellaneous business.
8th. Time and place of next meeting.
9th. Appointment of an introductory preacher for the next meeting.

The privileges of the floor were extended to Rev. Dr. Burrows, Rev. Messrs. Wilson, Chambliss, and other ministers who have kindly offered the use of their pulpits to this Convention on the Lord's day.

The proposed order of business was agreed to, and the Convention took a recess until 7½ o'clock P. M.

Before the recess was taken the following delegates were enrolled:

Ground Squirrel Church, Hanover—Elder Silas Shelburne, A. C. Davis.
King's Chapel, Hanover—T. S. Mallory, Fabins Hendrick.
Ephesus Church, Richmond county—T. N. Balderson.
Gordonsville—F. B. Davis.
Emmaus Church, Caroline—Luther Wright.
Gethsemane, Hanover—Elder Dr. P. P. Duval, J. B. Barrick, Wm. Gibson.
Macedonia Church—Elder R. C. Cave, H. C. Eddins.
Gilboa Church—Joseph Coates, Dr. Madison Pendleton, Dr. J. W. Pendleton, V. G. Hundley, Burrus Robinson (colored), John Kinney (colored).
Charlottesville—Jos. Norris, T. J. Wertenbaker.
Salem Church—T. A. Hope, Wm. West (colored).
Tye River Church—H. H. Coffery.
Berea Church—P. H. Cutler.
Lebanon, Warwick—John Minson, W. B. Moore.
Bethpage, Louisa—A. T. Coates, Parker Richardson.
Slash, Hanover—H. C. Tyler, W. M. Wingfield, J. L. Dison, J. Kersey.
Corinth, King William—James M. Davis, Wm. A. Sweet.
Jerusalem, King William—George Corr, S. B. Lipscomb.
Antioch, Caroline—John H. Taliaferro, James T. White, D. C. Dejarnette.
Westville, Mathews—Christopher T. Browne, J. W. White, Al. Bohannon.
Rochelle, Madison—Benjamin Creel.
Rappahannock, Essex—Muscoe Garnett, G. W. Booth.
Lebanon, Coochland—S. R. Nuckolls, T. A. E. Perkins.
Lebanon, Caroline—A. R. Flipps.
Forest Grove, Goochland—Hugh Davis.
Liberty, Prince Edward—J. C. Rowlett, R. B. Wilson.
Perseverance, Lunenburg—C. G. Hawthorn.
Zion, Dinwiddie—J. D. Stone.
Sycamore, Richmond—J. A. Dearborn, J. B. Cary, Chas. McGruder, E. B. Spence, W. H. Clemmitt, Charles W. McFarland, T. D. Quarles, G. B. Stacy, G. A. Ainslie.
Jetersville, Amelia—John Wingo.
Cool Spring—Samuel E. Lee.
Smyrna, King and Queen—Dr. S. S. Henley, Bernard Henley, T. M. Henley.
Olive Branch—F. W. Hammond.
Piedmont Coöperation—R. L. Coleman, R. C. Cave.
Southeastern Coöperation—C. Bullard, Benjamin Creel.
Tide-water Coöperation—R. Y. Henley.
Southwestern Coöperation—C. S. Lucas, W. S. Bullard, G. W. Abell.

EVENING SESSION.

The Convention met pursuant to adjournment, President W. K. Pendleton in the chair. Services opened with prayer by Elder L. A. Cutler.

The report of the Committee on the *Christian Examiner*, being the especial order of the evening, was presented and read by John A. Dearborn. Brother E. B. Spence moved the adoption of the report. This motion caused a lengthy discussion, in which Messrs. Garnett, Coleman, Ainslie, Bullard, Clemmitt, Shelburne, Henly, Cave, and Cutler engaged.

Col. John B. Cary moved that the report be laid on the table, which was lost.

Brother Garnett offered the following substitute for the report of the committee:

"Whereas Brother W. H. Clemmitt has proposed to publish the *Christian Examiner* as a private enterprise for one year from the 1st of January, 1871,

"*Be it resolved*, That his proposition be accepted." Adopted.

On motion of Brother Garnett, a subscription was taken up to liquidate the present debt of the *Christian Examiner*.

The next order of business being the report of the Committee on State Organization, it was moved that the Convention take into consideration the propriety of organizing on the plan of the St. Louis missionary coöperation. Owing to the lateness of the hour this motion was laid over until this morning's session.

On motion of Elder Coleman, the Convention then adjourned to meet at 10 o'clock A. M. to-day.

The following are the appointments for preaching by the Disciples' Convention:

First Baptist Church.—W. K. Pendleton at 11 A. M.

Second Baptist.—L. A. Cutler at 11 A. M.; W. Bullard at 7½ P. M.

Third Baptist.—C. Bullard at 11 A. M.; D. A. Snow at 7½ P. M.

Colored Baptist (corner 30th and Broad streets).—Wm. West in the afternoon.

First (Colored) Baptist.—Burruss Robinson at 7½ P. M.

Sycamore (Disciples').—R. L. Coleman at 11 A. M.; J. W. Williams at 7½ P. M.

There will be a Sunday School celebration at the Sycamore Church at 3½ P. M.

Every Saturday and *Appleton's Journal* for this week, both excellent Nos., from Ellyson & Taylor, news dealers.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES TO-MORROW.—We note the following special appointments:

Broad-street Methodist Church.—Rev. J. L. M. Curry, LL. D., at 11 A. M. and 7½ P. M.

Clay-street Methodist.—Rev. Mr. Wadsworth, of Alabama, will officiate morning and evening. Final contributions for Rev. T. A. Ware will be received at the morning service.

Nicholson-street Methodist.—Rev. R. H. Mullen at 11 A. M. and 7½ P. M.

Oregon Hill Methodist.—Rev. A. W. Sale at 11 A. M. and 7½ P. M.

Grace-street Presbyterian.—Services at 11 A. M., by the pastor.

Second Presbyterian.—Rev. Dr. Hoge at 11 A. M. and 4 P. M.

Manchester Methodist.—Rev. Dr. Brown at 11 A. M.

St. Mark's Episcopal.—Services at 11 A. M. and 7½ P. M.

Fulton Baptist.—Rev. E. T. Baird at 3½ P. M.

Sidney Baptist.—Rev. S. F. Taylor at 11 A. M.; Rev. W. W. Wood at 7½ P. M.

QUALIFICATION OF THE NEW CITY OFFICERS.—Several of the city officers elected on Tuesday, having received their certificates from the commissioners, qualified yesterday.

Mr. A. M. Keiley took the oaths of office before Judge Guigon, and was immediately inducted into the office of Mayor by Mr. Ellyson, the retiring Mayor. Messrs. N. M. Lee, City Sergeant, and Andrew Jinkins, Clerk of the Hustings Court, also qualified before Judge Guigon. Mr. Lee's sureties are Edwin A. Smith, Stephen Mason, and R. D. James; and his deputies are Thos. U. Dudley, Ro. Ould, Jr., James L. Capston, and A. F. Lee. Mr. Jinkins's sureties are Thomas U. Dudley and W. W. Timberlake, and his deputy is Mr. Wm. P. Lawton. Mr. B. H. Berry qualified as Clerk of the Chancery Court before Judge Fitzhugh, with Col. Thos. J. Evans and Chastain White, Esq., as his sureties. His deputies are Messrs. John A. Meanly and John W. Anderson. Capt. Wise, Commonwealth's Attorney, subscribed to the oaths of office before Judge Wellford, as did Mr. Sheild, Clerk of the Circuit Court.

POLICE COURT—*Justice J. J. White presiding.*—Charles White and Preston Haven (assistant junk dealers), charged with having in their possession a lot of iron, the property of John Mahoney, were sent on for indictment.

Charles Gentry (not the policeman) was fined $2 for being drunk and disorderly.

J. P. Williams and J. E. Burnley (colored) were fined $2 each for fighting in the streets.

Charles Coles