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WANTED—Typewriter purchasers. We have over 200 new rebuilt and second hand typewriters for quick sale, cheap.

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WANTED—Peas of all varieties. Pay highest prices. JNO. A. MCGILL, The Spot Cash Grocer

MONEY TO LEND ON REAL ESTATE—We can lend Anderson county farmers in any amount up to twenty-five thousand dollars...

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE. On Monday, March 16, at 11 o'clock, in front of court house, will sell to the highest bidder, singly and in pairs, a lot of county mules.

JUDGE OF PROBATE SALE. STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of Anderson. In Court of Common Pleas.

John T. Haynie, as Executor of the last will and testament of J. L. Haynie deceased, and as testamentary Guardian of the Plaintiff defendant.

Terms Cash, no bid to be received for less than twelve hundred and fifty (\$1250.00) dollars. If terms of sale are not complied with, to be resold at risk of former purchaser.

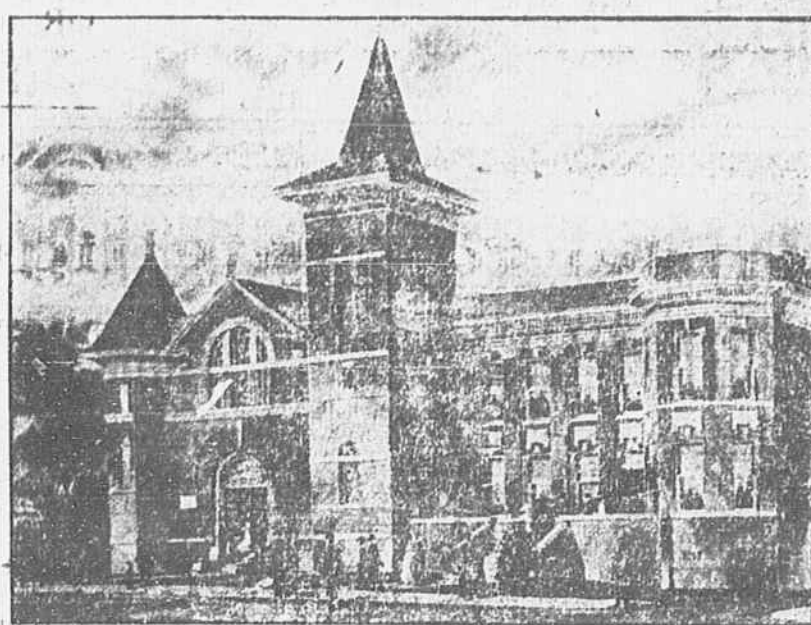
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BANK OF ANDERSON, S. C. The Strongest Bank in the County

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ANDERSON



HAS THE LARGEST CONGREGATION IN THE STATE; 1,210 MEMBERS

ANNUAL MEETING OF BAPTISTS WELL ATTENDED LAST NIGHT

SPLENDID SHOWING AS TO MEMBERSHIP AND AS TO FINANCES; OFFICERS OF SUNDAY SCHOOL WERE RE-ELECTED; THE REPORTS SUBMITTED



DR. JOHN F. VINES, Pastor.

The annual meeting of the congregation of the First Baptist church was held last night, and despite the rain there were over 500 persons present.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. O. L. Orr, after which the regular business of the session was taken up. The first report, from the "Sunbeams" was read by Dean Ratliff.

Hale Bawley and Earle Daniel presented the report on the Royal Ambassadors, under the leadership of Mrs. Vines until vacation and since last fall under the leadership of Prof. Chambers.

The Christian Growth club submitted its report through Miss Louise Shearer, treasurer. This club had 42 members. Mrs. P. E. Clinkscars was the leader.

Prof. C. M. Faithful presented the report of the Laides Aid Society, on behalf of the secretary, Mrs. Rufus H. Gaines. The enrollment is now 97.

HAD A GOOD YEAR

Report of Sunday School First Baptist Church for 1913

We are thankful to report a prosperous year, not so great as we had hoped for, but doubtless more successful than we deserve for the energy expended.

The school at present comprises: Officers and Teachers, 44; Pupils, Beginners, Primary, Junior, Intermediate and Adult, 935.

We are grateful to our pastor, Dr. Vines, Mr. Shumate and of their helpful suggestions during the year.

The Senior Baraca class is due our sincere thanks which we officially express for fitting up the beginner's room.

The history for 1913 has been recorded. We cannot change it. We can only rejoice in our success, and express regrets at our failures; hence a few observations for 1914 regardless of who shall execute them.

ing after the church grounds and property, taking messages of comfort to the bereaved, preparing refreshments for the monthly meetings, etc.

The splendid report of the Woman's Missionary Union was read by Mr. Rufus Fant. This is published in full elsewhere and there should be added the statement that during the last quarter \$308.81 has been raised for home missions.

The Sunday school report, published in full was presented by Dr. Smethers. This was followed by the report of Mr. J. E. Barton, treasurer, of the Senior Baraca Class, showing that \$685.22 had been raised by them during the year.

Dr. A. L. Smethers, superintendent and Messrs. C. B. Earle and Thomas Allen assistants.

The music for the annual meeting was very fine, the choir having a number of new selections—"The Hills," "Over the Hills," and several others. Mr. Rice sang a solo, "Love Divine."

is desired. The average last year was 61 per cent of the enrollment. Let us do better.

Many members of the church are not in the school. Come out and tell us why you did not come before.

An important factor in the further development of the school is better equipment. At present, there are seven classes reciting in the auditorium, and at least 4 classes that ought to be divided; but we have no place for them.

We need more young men and women to hear the call of God to teach and to sacrifice if need be to fit themselves for efficient leadership.

Most of all, we long to see many of our boys and girls introduced to Christ in such an affective way that they will surrender their lives to Him.

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Tentative plans provide for a full week to be allotted to the meeting. The association will probably convene Monday afternoon, and business sessions will be held that night and Tuesday.

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was devoted to a week of prayer for foreign missions.

Our contributions for the years have been as follows: State Missions \$253.16, Foreign Missions 539.14, Home Missions 525.90, Miscellaneous 278.95.

Respectfully submitted, Total \$1,687.95. Have raised for home missions in the last quarter \$305.85.

Mrs. J. F. VINES, President. Mrs. J. M. Sullivan, Secretary. JAN. P. MASSEY DEAD

Member of Orr's Regiment Has Passed Away. Died at his residence in Defiance, Iowa, March 11, J. Jan. F. Massey, formerly of Anderson county. The deceased was in the 84th year of his age.

MYSTIC SHRINERS. Atlanta Making Big Preparations To Receive Them. Atlanta, March 11.—Georgians will think the Ajura Borealis has moved south when this city lights up in May to welcome the Shriners of North America to Divle for their national convention.

Every building, every lamp post, every door in the business district of Atlanta, will be decorated with blazing electric lights.

Even the statue on the top of the capitol will hold a flaming torch aloft, and the great dome itself to be outlined in electric fire.

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FIRST BAPTIST HAD GREAT YEAR

THE TOTAL MEMBERSHIP IS NOW 1,210; A NET INCREASE OF OVER 50

ANNUAL REPORTS

Annual Statement of Treasurer, D. A. Ledbetter, Shows That \$26,000 Was Contributed

The First Baptist church of Anderson has just closed a remarkable year as shown by the reports submitted at the annual meeting last night. The clerk, Jas. H. Craig, showed that the total membership is 1,210, and the treasurer, D. A. Ledbetter, reported that the church last year raised the remarkable sum of \$26,002.24, including the \$12,874 that members of the church gave to Anderson College.

The secretary's report showed that there had been 87 accessions to the church in the year, 54 by letter and 33 by baptism. There were 7 deaths and 10 members transferred from other churches. Total membership 1,210. Net gain 53. Total membership 1,210.

Receipts. Cash on hand for Current expenses last report 73. Amount received from miscellaneous funds 360.33. Contributed as follows: Six mile academy and T. W. Y. Quinby school 5.00.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

We are greatly pleased in announcing that we have again secured the services of the great Optician, Dr. J. E. LITTLEFIELD who will be with us Monday, March 16th, taking complete charge of our optical department.

All examinations are free of charge. We would like to have you consult him.

Walter H. Keese & Company Jewelers and Opticians.

Cash received, on subscriptions and other wise 6,383.86

Total Disbursements \$12,543.92

Paid Pastor's Salary \$3,000.00, Assistant Pastor 450.00, Paid Organist 500.00, Sexton 450.00, Sunday accounts 450.00, Visiting Ministers 1,213.77, Water and Lights 107.50, Coal 124.47, Repairs 213.88, Stenographers 25.00, Fuel 453.30, Home Missions 1,776.72, State Missions 1,160.38, Foreign Missions 1,049.16, Ministerial Education 100.00, Orphanage 745.00, Aged Ministers 58.18, Ladies Aid Society 125.81, Undesignated 330.00, Clemson college church 61.00, Miss Jessie King, Marga-

ret Home & Bible Fund 2.50, Russian College 169.00, Anderson College 35.00, Dr. Quinby Fund 66.32, Cash on Hand 66.32

For Tigerville and Six Mile Academy 5.00, Building and Loan 1.50, Ladies Aid 20.00, Ladies Aid 20.00, Ladies Aid Society 25.75, Aged Ministers 41, Orphanage 94.82, Ministerial Education 1.87, Foreign Missions 10.00, State Missions 26.52, Fees 38.32, Current Expenses 71.02

TOTAL \$12,543.92

Amount collected by Baraca class that didn't go through 500.00, Amounts collected for Sunday Endowment that did not pass through my hands 500.00, TOTAL \$12,543.92