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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7, 1922.

DELEGATES OF FOUR COUNTIES

Met to Select Candidates for District Director Co-operative Ass'n.

Clemson College, May 30.—Delegates from the four counties of District No. 2—Greenville, Anderson, Pickens and Oconee—met here today to nominate two candidates from this district for district director in the South Carolina Co-operative Association. L. L. Rice, of Anderson, was elected chairman; J. P. Poole, of Greenville, vice chairman; T. A. Bowen, of Pickens, secretary; J. T. Long, of Anderson, J. P. Strubling, of Oconee, W. P. Conyers, of Greenville, C. H. Carpenter, of Pickens, were selected as executive committee members, with L. L. Rice as secretary of the executive committee.

J. Wade Drake, of Anderson, and J. P. Richardson, of Greenville, were selected as candidates for district director to be voted upon by the association members of the district.

A resolution was passed to have the personal and business records of the two candidates published in the papers of the district to enable the members to vote more intelligently for a director, and a committee consisting of James M. Richardson, of Greenville; J. R. C. Griffin, of Anderson, and A. B. Bryan, of Clemson College, was appointed for this purpose.

A resolution, the purpose of which is to insure the exclusion of politics from the organization, was adopted, with the suggestion that the State organization incorporate this provision in its by-laws.

Before adjournment the meeting was addressed by W. W. Long, director of the Extension Service, who urged the need for a much larger membership as a means of controlling a larger proportion of the cotton grown in the State.

Clemson College was selected as the meeting place for the regular meetings of the district organization.

The following delegates were present:

Greenville County—J. P. Poole, J. P. Richardson, R. F. Watson, M. D. Moore, W. P. Conyers, Dr. W. F. Eubanks, James M. Richardson and John G. Greer.

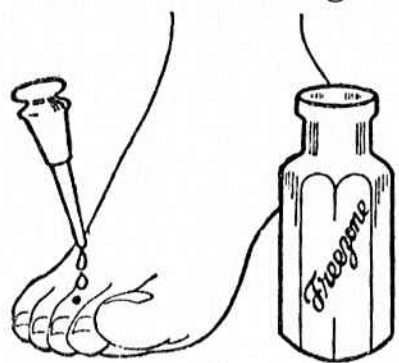
Anderson County—J. Wade Drake, D. A. Geer, L. L. Rice, J. H. Anderson, J. R. C. Griffin, B. B. Bleckley, John T. Long, L. M. Mahaffey, D. J. Smith, W. A. Watson.

Pickens County—C. H. Carpenter, H. M. Phillips, O. D. Epps and T. A. Bowen.

Oconee County—J. P. Strubling, J. H. Brown and S. L. Brown.

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REV. D. W. HIOTT'S FIFTY-TWO

Year Record—Unusual Career of a Well-Known Baptist Minister.

(Greenville News.)

Fifty-two years ago, on a moon-shiny night in May, David Weston Hiott was converted at a camp-meeting in Colleton county, and since that time he has been an active minister of the Gospel, establishing a record for continuous service which few if any other ministers in this section can equal.

On the Sunday night following his conversion young Hiott preached his first sermon, and since that time he has been pastor of fifty-one churches. Twenty-five of these churches are known as town churches, while the remainder were "country churches."

At the present Mr. Hiott is pastor of the Alice Baptist church and also of Keowee, Barker's Creek and Cross Roads churches. Virtually all of his charges have been in Anderson, Pickens and Oconee counties, although he has served as pastor of several churches in Georgia, as well as a few groups of churches in the lower part of the State.

Mr. Hiott, who was born in Colleton county on June 24, 1852, received his first schooling in the country schools of his native county. He later graduated from the Colleton High School and then taught in the Walterboro High School.

He attended the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, which then was located in Greenville. He left the seminary in 1876, and since that time he has never returned to school except to the school of life, which has kept him busy preaching, ministering to the dying and bereaved, officiating at marriages, organizing churches, taking an active part in fraternal organizations, and on one occasion launching into the game of politics.

Mr. Hiott was a candidate for the office of State Superintendent of Education on the Sheppard ticket in 1892, his candidacy being brought by the conditions existing at that time, and which are fresh in the minds of many of the older inhabitants. While he received a flattering vote—approximately 31,000 ballots—he has never again offered for office, either State or county.

Mr. Hiott was reared a Methodist, and it was at a Methodist camp-meeting that he was converted; but he united with the Baptist church. The Rev. George H. Pooser was preaching, and the testimony which so touched the lad as to alter his life's course was offered by James C. Coker, later a foreign missionary.

On the Sunday night following his conversion Mr. Hiott preached his first sermon. He doesn't remember the date other than that it was in May, 1870. Since that time he has served as pastor of the following town or city churches: Four in Easley (Easley Baptist, Geer Memorial, Glenwood and Alice), Toocoo, Martin, Pickens, Westminster, Seneca, Liberty, Central, Norris, Catechee, two at Williamston, two at Honea Path, Pelzer, Townville, Pendleton, Wedgefield, Dudley, Holly Hill, Eutawville and Simpsonville.

The country or rural churches which Mr. Hiott has served as pastor are: Corinth, Pisgah, Enon, Mountain Springs, Fork Shoals, Shady Grove, Welcome, Dorchester, Eureka, Hopewell, Lebanon, Neals Creek, Barker's Creek, Broadmouth, Little River, Keowee, Mt. Bethel, Bethel, Gramams, Hepsibah, George's Creek, Corinth No. 1, Griffin, Cross Roads, Mt. Carmel and Secona.

Although reared in the lower part of the State, Mr. Hiott has formed an attachment for the Piedmont which cannot be broken even by time. When a young man he heard of this section of the State, it being pictured by one of the mission secretaries as "the coming section of the State." The description made such an impression upon the young minister that he wanted to cast his lot in the Piedmont.

When a student in the seminary at Greenville Mr. Hiott was invited to preach at Liberty on one occasion, and later was called to accept the pastorate of that church. From that time on his churches and friends throughout the Piedmont have grown by leaps and bounds. While he returned to Holly Hill on one occasion the old appeal was too strong and after an absence of about two years he returned to make his home in Pickens and Anderson counties, in view of the Blue Ridge mountains and in the center of one of the garden spots of Dixie Land.

Has Baptized Over 3,000.

Mr. Hiott has baptized more than three thousand persons in the fifty-two years that he has been a minister. He has also officiated at funerals in more than eighty burial grounds. However, he is unable to give even an estimate of the number of funerals he has conducted. Like-

wise he has kept no record of the number of marriages performed.

On one occasion Mr. Hiott received 125 members into the church at Shady Grove, in Anderson county. He baptized 93 persons on the last day of the meeting. He received one entire family into the church, baptizing all of them without any assistance. He also baptized all the members of another family with the exception of one.

On Aug. 8, 1876, Mr. Hiott was married to Miss Ella E. Martin, of this section. They have nine children, as follows: Mrs. John A. Terrell, Mrs. R. S. Long, Misses Addie and Marie Hiott, and five sons—Gary and Whitsett, Edgar W. and Harry and Julian.

Mr. Hiott has taken an active part in the various fraternal organizations to which he belongs and has been honored by all of them at various times. He is chaplain of the Grand Lodge of South Carolina Masons. He is also a Past Chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, and is a Sovereign Representative of the Woodmen of the World.

Pickens county was the second county in the State to abolish the legalized sale of whiskey, about a score of years ago, and it was Mr. Hiott who led in this fight. While Pickens followed only Cherokee in this respect, the prohibition movement has spread until not only all of the State, but the entire nation, has fallen into the "dry" column.

To converse with Mr. Hiott is to feel something of his personality, and one is not left in doubt as to why, throughout the years he has been so successful in dealing with men. A big heart, a broad smile and a willing hand ever stretched forth to help a falling brother, fail to properly express this man. He is all that—and more, too.

Newspaper men, accustomed to mingle with the extremes of society as well as the middle stratas of humanity, feel the difference in conversing with a man of Mr. Hiott's personality, but find themselves unable to convey the thought that occurs to them.

Asked what was his favorite piece of verse or prose, Mr. Hiott produced a slip of paper entitled "Tell Him Now." The words are so full of the truth of life, as well as of good and sound advice, that they are passed on as being expressive of the kind of man this individual is who for more than half a century has given his life and service for others.

The little verse follows and makes a more appropriate close to this story than anything we could write—

Tell Him Now.

"If with pleasure you are viewing Any work a man is doing—

If you think some praise is due him now,

Don't withhold your approbation Till the parson makes oration

And he sleeps with snowy lilies on his brow;

For no matter how you shout it, He won't really care about it—

He won't know how many tears drops you have shed;

If you think some praise is due him, Now's the time to pass it to him—

For he cannot read his tombstone when he's dead.

More than fame and more than money

Is the comment, warm and sunny; And the hearty, warm approval of a friend;

For it gives to life a savor, And it makes you stronger, braver,

And it gives you heart and spirit to the end.

If he earns your praise, bestow it; If you like him, let him know it—

Let the word of true encouragement be said;

Do not wait till life is over, And he's underneath the cover,

For he cannot read his tombstone when he's dead."

They Can't Save the World.

(From Butler Herald.)

One thing is certain and that is that this world will never be saved by men who work only eight hours a day or less. Thomas Edison says: "To-day I am wondering what would have happened to me by now if, 50 years ago, some fluent speaker had converted me to the theory of the eight-hour day, and convinced me that it was not fair to my fellow-workers to put forth my best efforts in my work. I am glad that the eight-hour day had not been invented when I was a young man. If my life had been made up of eight-hour days I don't believe I could have accomplished a great deal. The country would not amount as much as it does if the young men of fifty years ago had been afraid they might earn more than they were paid. There were some shirkers in those days, to be sure, but they didn't boast of it. The shirkers tried to conceal or excuse his shiftness and lack of ambition."



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"Rhubarb, or 'pieplant,' as it is sometimes called, cannot be grown universally, but is limited to certain definite sections. Information as to whether rhubarb will or will not grow in a given locality can be obtained from the local seedsmen or from neighbors who have had experience in growing it.

Rhubarb is propagated by planting pieces of the roots secured by dividing older hills, and six to ten hills will usually supply plenty of rhubarb for the average family, states the United States Department of Agriculture.

Rhubarb should be planted exactly the same way as asparagus, that is, the roots or crowns should be covered four or five inches in deeply spaded



Rhubarb a Generous Producer.

and well enriched soil; there is little danger of having the soil too rich for rhubarb. The hills should be three and a half to four feet apart, if more than one row is planted.

This wonderful staple of the family garden can generally be planted along the fence where it will be out of the way of cultivation.

The thick leaf stems are the part used, and none should be pulled from the plants the first year after seeding, but a large supply will be available the second season, and the hills will, as a rule, continue to produce satisfactory crops of stems for several years, after which they should be divided and reset.

Rhubarb should receive the same attention and treatment during winter as asparagus, and the plants should never be allowed to ripen and seed. The roots may be brought into the greenhouse, pit, coldframe, or cellar during the winter and forced.

By placing a barrel over a rhubarb plant much longer and tender stalks may be grown.

This is one plant that does not thrive in warm climates. It is most popular, especially in the sections where it is grown, in the early part of the spring.

The use of rhubarb is principally for making pies and sauces, and many housewives can the stems for winter use.

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Caught Human Head While Fishing.

Newport News, Va., June 14.—A human head, that of a white man, encased in a ragged hempen sack, was drawn to the surface at Young's mill pond, near this city, Tuesday by Major Geo. Collins and Judge C. W. Robinson, of the Newport News Circuit Court, while they were fishing for minnows.



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White Haired Alabama Lady Says She Has Seen Medicines Come and Go But The "Old Reliable" Thedford's Black-Draught Came and Stayed.

Dutton, Ala.—In recommending Thedford's Black-Draught to her friends and neighbors here, Mrs. T. F. Parks, a well-known Jackson County lady, said: "I am getting up in years; my head is pretty white. I have seen medicines and remedies come and go but the old reliable came and stayed. I am talking of Black-Draught, a liver medicine we have used for years—one that can be depended upon and one that will do the work."

"Black-Draught will relieve indigestion and constipation if taken right, and I know for I tried it. It is the best thing I have ever found for the full, uncomfortable

feeling after meals. Sour stomach and sick headache can be relieved by taking Black-Draught. It aids digestion, also assists the liver in throwing off impurities. I am glad to recommend Black-Draught, and do, to my friends and neighbors."

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THE CITADEL,
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Scholarship Examination.

On July 14th a competitive examination will be held at Walhalla to fill one vacancy in the Citadel Scholarships for this county. Applicants must not be under sixteen and not over twenty years of age on the opening day of the next College Session, September 20, 1922. The subjects for examination will be as follows:

Algebra, through quadratic equations.
Plane Geometry.
English Grammar, Rhetoric and Literature.
Ancient History, and American History.

The winners of the scholarships must meet the requirements of the Association of Colleges of South Carolina for admission.

Application blanks, catalog, and further information furnished upon request. Address—

COL. O. J. BOND, President, The Citadel, Charleston, S. C. May 24, 1922. 21-27

WINTHROP COLLEGE
SCHOLARSHIP AND ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

The examination for the award of vacant Scholarships in Winthrop College, and for admission of new students, will be held at the County Court House on Friday, July 7th, at 9 A. M. Applicants must not be less than sixteen years of age. When Scholarships are vacant after July 1 they will be awarded to those making the highest average at this examination, provided they meet the conditions governing the award. Applicants for Scholarships should write to President Johnson before the examination for Scholarship Examination Blanks.

Scholarships are worth \$100 and free tuition. The next session will open September 20th, 1922. For further information and catalogue, address—

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NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS.

All persons indebted to the Estate of Edgar Young, Deceased, are hereby notified to make payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against said Estate will present the same, duly attested, within the time prescribed by law, or be barred.

JOHN F. CRAIG,
Administrator of the Estate of Edgar Young, Deceased.
May 17, 1922. 20-23

NOTICE TO ALL OWNERS OF DOGS.

All persons who have bought 1921 License Tags are hereby notified that they should place said tags on their dogs, as it is a misdemeanor for said dogs to be without said tags, unless the animals be on a hunt or chase.

All persons who have not paid their license tax on dog are requested to come in and pay same at once. If you do not, I will be forced to place same before a Magistrate, and it will cost you more. Come in at once and save extra cost.

Trustees of all districts are requested to list those who have dogs and who have not paid on them, and turn same over to me at earliest possible convenience. The law requires this.

I expect to visit all districts and see all trustees and other persons at an early date, so do not overlook this matter unless you wish to pay out more money.

W. L. SANDERS,
Special Officer in Charge.
May 24, 1922. 21-24