Community Churches in Constituting Convention

Community churches from four states are holding a Constituting Convention at Emmanuel C. C. Church, Rev. Wilbur Waters, pastor, August 31, September 1 and 2.

Represented will be Douglas Memorial Church, Rev. Marion Bascom, pastor; Shiloh Church, Rev. George Bayard, pastor; Gillis Memorial Church, Rev. Theodore Jackson, pastor; East Baltimore Community Church, Rev. E. T. Revel, pastor; and Emmanuel C. C. Church.

New York — Rev. Mr. George Violenos

Chicago— Dr. Joseph A. Winters, representing the Community Ministers and Church Workers Alliance.

Omaha, Nebraska— Dr. D. A. Ridley.

Purpose Explained

Stating why he opposed a merger with the National Council of Community Churches (white) Rev. Mr. Waters said that while the colored community churches were considering a merger with this National Council the colored churches had received a letter from Dr. Roy Burkhart, the president, announcing that they had already set up the national organization consisting of a president at $8,000 a year and traveling expenses and two assistants to the president, both white, at $8,000 a year.

"We had no voice in the selection of these offices or the determination of their salaries.

"We believe that if we are progressive enough to warrant the attention of Dr. Burkhart and the National Council of Community Churches, which we outnumber 1 membership more than 2 to 1, we should, by uniting among ourselves, be able to handle our own affairs.

"We could use the same money which pays all of these levies and assessments to help some struggling colored church or some poor deserving colored boy or girl through school.

"The idea behind our Constituting Convention is that our churches are first to do a community job in their own areas."

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Minister Honored on His Birthday

The Rev. Simon Williamson, honored at a surprise birthday reception by the Pastor's Aid Society of Faith Baptist Church is shown slicing his cake. With him are Mrs. Alice Williamson and J. Howard Payne, attorney.

Surprise Reception for Rev. Williamson

The Rev. Simon Williamson of Faith Baptist Church was surprised with a reception on his birthday, August 15, sponsored by the Pastor's Aid Society, Mrs. Pattie Bradley, president.

Among the more than 200 persons enjoying the evening with Rev. Williamson and his wife Mrs. Alice Williamson were: The Rev. Messrs. and Mesdames Dennis Barrow, Edmond D. Meade, Jackson Henry, Thomas Simpson, N. H. Toyer;

The Rev. Ludd Scott; Rev. William Mayo, Rev. J. R. Butler, J. Howard Payne, attorney;

Messrs. and Mesdames: Alexander De Shazo, Cephas Arrington, Gabriel Jennings, Harry Marshall, Matthew Kennedy, Edward Thomas, Robert Bradley, E. T. Hunt, John Taylor, Garrett Brooks, Archie Donaldson, James Tyler, Willie Bush, Judson Carter, Irvin Carpenter, John Nollie, Joseph A. Bush;

Other Guests

Mesdames: Olive M. Walters, Celia McLeod, Laura Alexander, Estelle Mays, Alice Jennings, Annie Martin, Rebecca Phillips, Mildred West, Daisy Walton, Elizabeth Terry, Carrie Scott, Bronson Bradshaw, Ada Logan, Josephine Smith, Ethel Ross, Alice Mae Diggs, Alice Baker, Beulah Hines, Virginia Stokes;

Mesdames Gertrude Harrison, Elizabeth Perry, Lucy Thomas, Mattie Brown, Alice Brown, Mary Harper;

Messrs: Percy Taylor, Alfield Anderson, Rome Watson, "Happy" Flippin, Solomon Hill, Warren Harrison, Aaron Spencer, Mansfield Jones, Eddie Henderson, William T. Booker, Isaac Porche, Isaac Taylor, Willie Booker, Alexander Brown, J. B. Smith, Jesse Cox, John Swan, William Lowe, William L. Waller;

Misses: Sylvia Jackson, Aretha S. Jennings, Ethel Hackett, and many other officers and members of the church.

Auxiliaries Serve

Members of various auxiliaries of the church served as waiters and waitresses.

The Pastor's Aid Society members present were: Mesdames: Elizabeth Perry, Alice Stevenson, Sarah Belt, Bertha McKinnon, Laura Alexander, Alice Mae Diggs, Alice Jennings, Martha Simpson, Esther Jennings, Hattie Battle, Mamie Wormley.

Mesdames Louisa Henry, Lucy Taylor, Clorene Thompson, Lucy Brooks, Alice Baker, Ella Thomas, Lillian Cager, Beulah Hines, Naomi Shelton, Lucy Marks, Ida Howard, Pattie Bradley, President.

In Our Churches

The Men's Advisory Council of Emmanuel C. C. Church will sponsor its forth moonlight cruise, Friday Aug. 31 on the steamer "Tolchester."

Music will be by King Draper's orchestra, and the boat will leave Pier 5, Pratt St. at 8:30 p.m.

The Rev. S. J. Mack, pastor of Centennial Methodist Church, will speak at Druid Hill Park, Sunday, 6:30 p.m., for the ninth summer park community services sponsored by the Council of Churches and Christian Education. The services will be held at the bandstand pavilion.

Gospel Meet to End

Three choirs, and other singing groups participated, this week, in the gospel tent meetings held on Laurens St. between Mount St. and Fulton Ave.

The services will close on Sunday evening, beginning at 8:30 p.m.

The third annual Labor Day Mass will be held Sept. 3 at the Cathedral with Archbishop Francis P. Keough, presiding. The services will begin at 9 a.m. with a sermon by the Rev. William J. Kelly, of the Oblate Scholasticate, Washington, D.C.

Women's Day a Success

By Sunday, over $600 will have been raised from the efforts of Women's Day, observed last Sunday at Union Bethel AME Church in Randallstown.

The morning speaker was the Rev. Mrs. Emma J. Swann of Bethel AME Church in Baltimore. Mrs. Annie Johnson is president of the women's group.

The Rev. W. N. Edwards, pastor of Union Bethel Church will be guest speaker this Sunday afternoon at Rocks AME Church. Members of the Union Bethel congregation will accompany him.

Calonsville News

By SAMUEL TORSELL

A surprise shower was given Sunday for Miss Bertie F. Smith who is the Emma Williams Temple delegate to the National Elks Convention.

The shower was given by the Reserve Circle of which Miss Smith is secretary. Guests included representatives of the Temple and Mesdames Ella Gibson, Willi Mae Ward and Mary Holly of Baltimore, and Miss Henryetta Jackson of New York. Miss Jackson spent two weeks here with her mother, Mrs. Alverta Jackson. A friend, Kermit Degraff, came down for the weekend.

Stewardess Day will be marked Sunday at Grace AME Church with the Rev. A. J. Felix, the choir and congregation of Allen AME Church conducting the 3 p.m. program.

Went on Picnic

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. George Hopewell and Mrs. Alice Turner attended the Catholic picnic Wednesday in New Brunswick, Md.

Pvt. Johnny Brown and Edgar Coe left this week for Germany. Pvt. William Hardy, son of Mason forlough.

Mrs. Samuel Hardy, is home.

Misses Irelina, Carol and Anton King are spending two weeks with their grandmother, Mrs. Bertie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wise and Mr. and Mrs. Luther D. Owens spent Sunday in Mt. Airy, Md.

BURIED IN MARTINSVILLE

MARTINSVILLE, Va. — Samuel J. T. Hagwood, son of the late Perry and Eliza Hagwood, was buried last week at High St. Baptist Church. The Rev. H. Morris delivered the sermon.

$195,000 Reported for Missionary Work by AME's

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C.—Ms. Abbie C. Jackson; executive secretary, the women's parent, foreign Missionary Society, AME Zion Church, told more than 1000 delegates to the 12th Quadrennial session here at Winston-Salem Teachers College, that $195,084.59 had been raised for missions during the past four years.

The report showed money was spent, for the most part, for the building of churches and the promoting of the work in Africa. Home Mission money was used to build churches in the mission conference.

Ministers who pastor these churches get an allowance from this money. The report showed work increased tremendously in such fields.

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9:30 A. M.—CHURCH SCHOOL.

10:30 A. M.—PRAYER AND PRAISE SERVICE.

11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY REV. ISAIAH MYERS.

3:30 P. M.—PREACHING by REV. EDWARD SMITH Service sponsored by the BROTHERHOOD.

8:00 P. M.—DIVINE WORSHIP REV. C. EDWARD BROWNE, Pastor

ALL ARE WELCOME

DR. HOLMES, GUNN ON IMPROVEMENT LIST

Dr. Dwight O. W. Holmes, president emeritus of Morgan State College, and Dr. J. T. Gunn, both undergoing treatment at local hospitals were reported to be getting along "nicely" on Friday.

Dr. Holmes, convalescing after two operations, was said by officials at Provident Hospital to be "favorable condition." Dr. Gunn, now at Johns Hopkins, is able to sit up after having had two operations.

Orchard Street Methodist Church

Orchard St. near Druid Hill Ave.

11:00 A.M.—Sermon by Rev. Albert Holbrook

2:30 P.M.—Church School.

8:00 P.M.—Prayer Meeting.

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8:00 P. M.—EVENING WORSHIP— REV. GEORGE B. CHRISTIAN, Speaker.

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REV. H. OCTAVIUS GRAHAM, Pastor

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9:45 A. M.—Sunday School.

11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.

8:00 P. M.—Evangelistic Service.

REV. J. M. RAYNOR, Pastor

Jerusalem Bapt. Church

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REV. P. D. DOUGLAS, Pastor

10 A.M.—Church School.

11 A.M.—Sermon by the pastor.

3 P.M.—Communion service.

7:30 P.M.—The Emmanuel Baptist Church will worship with the Rev. Jackson, speaker.

8 P.M.—The Sunshine Quartet, Gertrude Bartlett singers, Mrs. Hattie Hayes, Soloist.

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11:00 A. M.—SERMON BY THE REV. J. B. A. DYSON.

3:00 P. M.—SACRIFICIAL RALLY—Special Program.

8:00 P. M.—SERMON BY THE REV. J. A. H. MOORE of the CENTERVILLE CHARGE.

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9:30 A. M.—SUNDAY SCHOOL.

10:30 A. M.—GOSPEL HARP SERVICE.

11:00 A.M.—SERMON BY THE PASTOR. Sub.: "You Can't Hide Jesus."

6:00 P. M.—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION.

MONDAY, AUG. 27, THROUGH SUNDAY, SEPT. 2 "UNITED WEEK."

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11:00 A. M.—Service by Rev. R. E. Hayes, Heights Christian Church, Brooklyn, N.Y. Choir and Congregation.

3:30 P. M.—Musical Program by the Joint Choirs.

6:45 P. M.—C. Y. F.

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Adam's Mother's Birthday — What Day Is It? Who Changed the Sabbath? Was It Christ, Was It the Apostles, or Who?

MONDAY NIGHT, AUG. 27th, 8:30 O'CLOCK

WHY ARE THERE SO MANY DENOMINATIONS?

TUESDAY NIGHT, AUG. 28th

ARE WE UNDER THE LAW OR UNDER GRACE?

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, AUG. 29th

HAVE YOU BEEN SEALED FOR HEAVEN? WHAT IS GOD'S SEAL?

THURSDAY NIGHT, AUG. 30th

OUR PARADISE HOME — WHERE, WHEN?

FRIDAY NIGHT, AUG. 31st

WILL THEY MARRY IN HEAVEN?

SUNDAY NIGHT, SEPT. 2nd

THE MARK OF THE BEAST — DO YOU HAVE HIS MARK AND NUMBER?

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A beauty pageant and contest featuring 32 local charmers will highlight the moonlight boatride sponsored by the Master Beautician Association on Monday, Aug. 27.

The grand prize winner of the beauty contest will receive a trophy presented by the National awards to runners-up will be provided by the association.

Arrangements are also being made for a talent show audition.

To Aid Polio Victims

The Master Beauticians Association, headed by Miss Mayme Tilghman is 200 members strong. This year, in addition to their local project of supplying cosmetic service to patients at Crownsville State Hospital, they will work with the national organization in benefical programs to help infantile paralysis victims.

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By ARNETTA ROSEMOND

Have you ever vacationed in Western Canada? If you have, you've learned as we have that it is a glorious experience. If you have not, you might be interested to know some of the opportunities it affords.

I was visiting my husband who was stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash., 17 miles from Tacoma and about 30 miles from Seattle, when I learned that he was eligible for discharge and would be able to return home with me. Since we were so close to Canada and its Rocky mountains, we decided to take a round-about-way home.

Mrs. Rosemond

Our first stop was Vancouver, British Columbia, where without reservations, we obtained excellent accommodations at the beautiful, modern, Devonshire Hotel, right in the heart of the city. Vancouver is known as Canada's "Gateway to the Pacific" because its harbor is one of the largest and finest in the world. It has 80 miles of water frontage.

3½ - Hour Bus Tour

Since we had planned only a brief stay there in order to see as much as possible on our first day, we took a 3½ hour bus tour of the city at a cost of $2.50 each. Outstanding among the places visited was Stanley Park.

There with emerald sea surrounding, an outlook that combines towering mountains, city skyline, and entrancing sea-scapes, is a park of 1,000 acres, as prime real in many ways as when Columbus crossed the Atlantic Ocean.

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Sports and recreations provided for in this park include: Small 18-hold golf course, putting greens, lawn bowling, 23 asphalt tennis courts, rugby, cricket, archery, horseshoe pitching, open-air checkers, softball, grass hockey, bathing (two tidal pools and two beaches), riding, rowing, canoeing, model yacht racing, and model plane flying.

Other Major Attractions

From Prospect Point in Stanley Park, splendid views are obtained of the west coastline, Vancouver Harbor, Capilano River outlet, and Lions Gate Bridge. Other major attractions include the weird monuments, called totem poles, the zoo, the nine o'clock gun, Ferguson's Point with a monument of Pauline Johnson, "the Garden of Remembrance," the Theatre under the Stars, an open Air theatre and the Lost Lagoon.

While on the tour, we were told that Sigmund Romberg's "May-Time" was playing on the stage of "The Theatre under the Stars." This performance rounded out a most enjoyable day.

Via Canadian Pacific Railroad, we traveled to Banff, a 22-hour trip around the mountains, and then to Banff Springs Hotel by bus. Here reservations had been made for us by the C. P. R.

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On our second day there we went on an all-day sight-seeing tour to Lake Louise, Chateau Louise and the Columbia Ice Fields, covering a distance of 120 miles. Our efficient driver and guide pointed out the many points of interest.

Mountains Snow-Capped

We saw many of the Lealtiful Rockies including, the "Three Sisters," Mount President, Mount Eisenhower, Bow Peak, Mount Randle, Mount Assiniboine and Mount Lefroy. Most of these mountains were snow-capped and had glaciers which fed Bow River, Lake Louise, Emerald Lake and Moraine Lake. We stopped frequently to take pictures. The driver carried candy bars along to feed the bears while they posed for us.

Lake Louise, lies like a jewel in a wilderness of beauty. It is bordered by forest clad mountains and the Victorian Glacier creeps, down the water's edge. Hour by hour from dawn to dusk, nature paints a picture of exquisite Lake. On the roof of the world stands Chateau Lake Louise, 5,680 feet above sea level. It compares very favorably with the Banff Springs hotel.

Another signpost is "Mt. Sir Donald" was the Athabaca Glacier, a tongue of the Columbia Ice field facing Banff — Jasper highway. This ice field, the largest on the North American continent was discovered about 50 years ago, and can be reached by modern highway via Lake Louise or Jasper.

The highway took us to the foot of the glacier, and from there we took a one-hour glacier tour by snowmobile to see at first hand the wonder of this slow moving river of ice with its seracs and ice falls, water mills, and crevasses.

Total cost of this extensive tour except for meals which were taken at lodges along the way was approximately $30 per person.

From Banff we went by bus to Calgary, where we took a plane to Chicago, to spend a few very enjoyable days as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Tucker and then continued on our flight to Baltimore.

If you should consider taking this trip during the summer months you would need a variety of clothes because the weather varies from very cool in the evenings and mornings to very warm in the afternoons. This summer has been unusually warm and dry, but at no time was it as hot as it has been here in America most of the time.

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Since there is a small exchange value on the American dollar and there is no 20 per cent luxury tax, you will find that this trip can possibly be taken even more reasonably than a similar trip to California.

Our tour of Canada would not have been as enjoyable if we hadn't been treated so cordially everywhere we went. This may or may not have been due to the fact that my husband was in an Army uniform. During the entire stay here, we saw only six other colored persons and at no time were there any in our company.

One couldn't really begin to explore the assets of this beautiful country in a week as we tried to. We are happy however, that we took advantage of all that our limited time and budget would allow and are hoping to return there again.

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Entrants are coming in fast now for the Miss Beechwood Park beauty contest on September 2. The 1st prize will be a week-end in Atlantic City plus a loving cup and a cash prize. There will also be a Fashion Show Sept. 2 featuring clothes from Valentine's and Hollywood Clothes, on some of Baltimore's prettiest models.

Mrs. Watts Heads Legion Auxiliary

ATLANTIC CITY — Mrs. Lucinda C. Watts, prominent in fraternal and civic life, was elected president of the Legion Auxiliary of Kenneth Hawkins Post No. 61, American Legion, last week.

Mrs. Watts succeeds Mrs. Mary Hannon, who was named treasurer at the annual election held at the Soldiers' Home.

Other Officers

Other officers elected are: Mesdames Inia Sellers, first vice president; Janey Gaines, second vice president; Violette Pugsley, sergeant-at-arms; Eva Davis, recording secretary; Mildred Tyler, corresponding secretary; and Julia Washington, historian.

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Bar Association Sits in St. Louis

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George Schermer, director of Detroit's Intercracial Committee, will address the panel discussion local action in the field of civil rights. Sidney R. Redmond, past president of the NBA, will preside over this group.

J. Mercer Burrell, Newark, N.J. will preside of the discussion on "Trial of Negligence Cases," and Richard E. Westbrooks will preside over the panel on "Practice and Procedure Under the Federal Housing Act."

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