

The Apostolic Faith

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TEXAS STATE CONVENTION NOTES.

Sister Rothrock, of Sour Lake, a woman of great and varied experience in working for God, is here for the meetings and will remain until they close.

Bro. Robert De Shazo, of Legget, is here to enjoy his first meeting with the old timers. He is delighted with the meetings and will take the fire home to bless those who couldn't come.

Bro. and Sister Bundick, of Stafford, are here, and many from Alvin and other places.

Although the meetings are billed for 10 days, no one expects it to close under a month.

Thursday, Oct. 10 th., was a red letter day for those of us who have been longing for a meeting of old time Apostolic power and unity. How wonderfully God arranged every detail of the meeting, selecting a most prominent place for the tent,

and while but few knew the location of the meeting, as if by wireless the word was sent abroad and the people came for miles around and Sunday was a wonderful day of unity and sweetness, an earnest of greater blessings in store. Backsliders are coming back to God and the spiritual hungry are being fed.

God is at work; keep your ear close to the ground to hear the great shout of victory of the saints over all the hosts of the enemy. Yours in His service,

J. Ed. Cabaniss.

It is my privilege to be in attendance at the Convention now being held in Houston, Tex., by Bro. Parham. The blessed spirit of love and unity and the manifestation of the old Apostolic power as is evidenced, are proving like manna to the souls of God's children, and is very convincing to outside visitors that this is indeed the very same Gospel that was given us by Jesus the Christ. Many are being instructed to discern between the true and the false; the olive leaves of promise of the good to follow are more and more pronounced as the days go by.

The joyous ring of the true gospel is inspiring the hearers to exchange creeds and hypocrisies for the purity, power and triumph of the old time religion.

Sara L. Rothrock.

CHANGE OF PLANS.

Houston, Tex.,

Since arriving here a great petition has come up from every part of the State for meetings, and especially from the adjacent districts.

I have prayed earnestly over this and feel it is in the will of God to delay the Pacific Coast trip until the first of the year.

The work in Texas has been rent with division by men leaders, false doctrines and organizing schemes to secure pastors for lazy, worthless preachers. Most of the missions that have organized themselves are full of fanaticism, wind-sucking, chattering, jabbering, etc., and worship (?) God after a negro fashion, thus making themselves ridiculous in the sight of all sane and reasonable people.

Many church people, as well as scores of the old line Apostolics here, have kept the phone hot to find out when and where the State Convention was to be held. They are disgusted with the methods, bitter fighting, division-seeking of the counterfeit movement here, and tearfully lead for a restoration of the original faith.

My character and life were utterly assailed here some years ago, when men who sought power and leadership, tried to de-

stroy my influence to further their selfish ends; but their bitter, hateful, hypocritical lives have been uncovered and laid bare. Seeing their naked ugliness, people are turning from them in crowds.

Two persons, praying in different houses about who was right, and what would befall the division leaders in Texas, received Malachi 2:1-10. Read them.

Unity is born of the bond of love and unity of the spirit, and cannot be organized.

Sincerely yours,

Chas. F. Parham.

