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BOARD OF EDUCATION

The Board met in regular session on Monday with A. F. Johnson, J. B. Jones and W. A. Mullen present. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Bids on the Mt. Olivet, Mitchiners, and Kearney school property were received. All bids were rejected except the bid of Mrs. W. G. Kearney for the Kearney property. This bid for \$350 was accepted and the attorney instructed to arrange the deed.

The Superintendent was instructed to advertise for bids again on the school property unsold to be opened the first Monday in October.

The question of consolidating the Laurel school with the high school was deferred until the first Monday in October. By that time the people at Laurel can decide what they want to do and make their wishes known to the Board on that day.

All vacancies on the local tax school boards were filled except Cedar Rock. The filling of this vacancy was deferred until the first Monday in October. In the place of Township Committees the Board appointed a committeeman for each of the non-local tax districts.

The Board instructed the attorney to investigate the fines and penalties in the county and see that they are turned over to the school fund.

There being no further business to come before the Board adjournment was taken to the next first Monday.

WHITE LEVEL JUNIOR CLASS

I want to thank the Junior Phila-thea class and their teacher for coming and singing for me and conducting the prayer service. I am 36 years old and have been in many prayer meetings in my life, but this was the best prayer meeting I have ever been in. They have won the Fanner for the best class at the convention.

I truly believe it is the best class; it being the only Junior class that has visited my home. They also brought me flowers, which I so greatly appreciate, for I have all of my life loved flowers and good prayer meetings and singing. Oh, just to think what this little Band of Juniors are doing in this community and what they will be doing for the Lord when they come to be grown girls, if they continue their good work.

It makes me feel good to know as we old people are going out, that we have people coming in to this community such as these are. I wish to say that they are welcome at my home any and all times and hope they will come again very soon. Also any other class of the Sunday schools as I am not able to go to service very often. I also wish to thank the few Seniors for helping these Juniors out in singing.

Seniors present with Miss Iola Collins their teacher, were Elvreen Davis, Bessie Collins, Lusselle Gupton, Elvora Gupton, Leona Gupton, Dollie Gupton, Esther Wood.

All I can say now is I truly hope they will come again very soon and have another prayer meeting and some more good songs like these were (Miss) Mattie Gupton.

JAPAN HAS ABOUT 1,500 QUAKES A YEAR; GREAT QUAKE 1896 KILLED 27,000 PERSONS

Washington, Sept. 1.—Japan has about 1,500 earthquakes a year, or an average of four shocks a day, most of which are not violent. In Tokio a shock is felt on an average of once a week.

More or less destructive quakes occur in Japan on an average of once in every two years and a half.

The greatest quake of the 230 serious ones that have occurred since the fifth century was in 1707, and shook the entire southwestern portion of Japan over an extent of about 500 miles. It originated beneath the ocean and was followed by huge tidal waves.

December 23 and 24, 1854, there were two violent quakes, after which tidal waves crossed the Pacific ocean in 12 hours and 40 minutes, leaving tracks on the tide gauge diagrams at San Francisco and San Diego.

Some of the most violent earthquakes in Japan were as follows:

684 A. D.—An area of about three square miles in Tosa was submerged.

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Cutting Down Time and Space



This photo of Aviator E. H. Winslow of the Postal Air Mail Service taken just before he stepped into his plane at San Francisco for the first trip in the transcontinental air mail test went east by plane. It was the first San Francisco picture to reach New York. The postmarks tell the story. There was some delay owing to fog. But the second plane made a record of 27 hours and 21 minutes.

869 A. D.—Earthquakes with tidal waves visited Mutsu; thousands killed.

1361—Severe earthquakes around Kyoto.

1498—Quake at Tokaido killed 20,000; Hamana tagoon was formed.

1569—Bungo, Kyushu, visited by a quake; 700 killed; Kyoto shaken.

1792—At Hizen, 15,000 killed.

1844—At Shinano, 12,000 killed.

1896—Sanriku districts, 27,000 killed.

There are many large modern buildings in Yokohama. Among them are the Pacific Mail offices; the Toyo Kisen Kaisha offices; the American Express building; Cook's (tourist) building; Arthur and Bond, department store; banks, hotels and hospitals.

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TEACHERS' MEETING

The first teachers' meeting for the year was held on Wednesday morning, Sept. the 5th. All the eight month schools were represented except the Mapleville school. Plans for the opening of the schools on Monday, Sept. the 10th were made and materials for each school for the year were given out. The teachers were enthusiastic, anxious to begin work and a most successful school year is expected. The meeting for the teachers of the seven and seven and a half month schools will be held Wednesday morning, Sept. the 19th.

FINAL PAYMENT SOON

Raleigh, Sept. 3.—General Manager U. B. Blalock of the Cotton Growers Cooperative Association authorizes the statement that receiving agents, warehousemen and the headquarters office force are ready for the reception of cotton. Mr. Blalock said that just as soon as the auditors finish their work checks for the final payment on the 1922 crop would be mailed to all members of the Association. The final audit is necessary before settlement can be made.



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DIED

On the morning of Aug. 27 at 1:30 o'clock a. m. Mr. V. R. Purkerson passed away at his home in Youngsville. He had been in bad health for several years but was confined to his bed only a few weeks before his death. Mr. Purkerson had been a consistent member of the Christian

church for many years. He leaves a wife, three sons and two daughters to mourn their loss.

They are Mr. Ennis Purkerson, of Bunn, Messrs. G. C. and R. T. Purkerson, of Knightdale, Mrs. E. R. Timberlake and Mrs. W. G. Scarborough, of Youngsville, all of whom were with him at the end. We feel that our loss is his gain that in a lit-

tle while we too shall put off this Mortal body for an immortal one and find him waiting our coming "Just Beyond The Bar."

Life is a game of catch-as-catch-can. Every married man is convinced he would have been rich if he had remained a bachelor.

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