

RURAL NEWS
Written by
OUR CORRESPONDENT

FAITH.

May 31.—Minnie Augusta Artz was born May 31st, 1874, and died May 30th, 1917, aged 42 years, 11 months and 29 days. She was married to J T Artz and unto this union were born nine children. One son and one daughter have preceded her in death, surviving are one brother, one sister, five sons, two daughters and a husband. Mrs. Artz was an excellent woman and a good Christian, a devoted mother and wife. She was faithful member of the Lutheran Church. A large crowd attended the funeral services which was conducted by her pastor Rev. G P Fisher, and the remains were placed to rest in Lutheran cemetery.

We met our old friend John S. Watson in Salisbury this week. He invited me to visit him and spend a night some time. He says he reads the Faith items with much interest.

We took a spin with Mack Holsbuser in his automobile.

W D Clark and L P Henkle with Clyde Morris at the wheel, came out from Salisbury in a large automobile and brought a lot of nice flowers for the grave of Mrs. J T. Artz.

Mr. and Mrs. J D Cathey and other lady friends came out from Salisbury to attend the funeral of Mrs. J T Artz and brought some nice flowers for the grave.

Miss Callie Lee of Concord, Route 7, was in Faith to attend the funeral of Mrs. J T Artz.

Mr. and Mrs. Pinkney Ludwick went to Mt. Airy this week to visit their son and family of that city. Their youngest son, who married at Mt. Airy has made that city his home.

We notice some good items from the correspondents who invite Venus to their home. We thank them one and all.

Some one told us what to do to our Irish potatoes before we plant them and we would never be troubled with the potato bugs, and sure enough it was true, you cannot see a sign of a bug anywhere in our patch. We will tell any one what to do if they will send us a two-cent stamp for reply. Look at our patch when you pass through Faith.

Lewis Peeler and Griffith Williams have just returned from Norfolk, Richmond and other cities where they have been visiting.

H C Farmer, who is at the Sanatorium in Salisbury, is able to sit up and is getting along fine and will soon be at home again, VENUS.

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Will Move To Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robbins and family, Miss Mattie Gibson Robbins and Mac Kendree Robbins, will give up their residence in Charlotte and move to Petersburg, Va. Mr. Robbins who has been manager of the Savona Cotton Mills in this city since last summer has acquired an interest in the Matoaca Cotton Mills at Petersburg, Va., and has been elected President of the company. Mr. Robbins has returned to the city after a week's trip to Petersburg. He expects to return there June 15 to assume charge of his duties. Mac-Kendree Robbins is already in Petersburg.

Mr. Robbins and family came to Charlotte from Salisbury in the late summer and have become prominently identified with the social life of the city.

Wife Robert Bigger Dies at Salisbury.

Willie Robert Bigger, son of R W Bigger, of No. 10 township, died in the Salisbury hospital at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, following an operation for appendicitis Saturday night. He was taken to Salisbury in an automobile Saturday evening, and was operated on at once, as it was seen his case was a desperate one.

The body was brought to Concord this morning on train No. 11 and taken to the home in No. 10. The funeral will be held Tuesday morning at Boger's Chapel. Mr. Bigger was 22 years of age and popular in his neighborhood.

The People Pay the Bill.

It has always been marvelous what a difference exists between the salaries which the world is willing to give men of brain and thought, who devote their lives to the study of some great particular, and the recompense accorded those who furnish cheap and tawdry amusements.

We remember when ex-President Taft accepted his present position he received a small salary which was announced alongside one ten times as big, which was paid to a baseball coach. Motion picture stars receive more money than the president and the best teachers barely make a decent living while coaches and entertainers amble along in their wealth.

This is in our minds a bad sign of the condition of American people. Think it over and you will see that those who appeal in life to the emotions ride in wealth while those who do practical work or original research come very near starving. A man will pay a nickel for a funny paper very often when he wouldn't pay that amount for a page of common sense. It is the same contrast between dirty shows and the church. The average man knows which is best for him, but he goes to the show all the same.

The truth of the matter is that Americans are ruled more by their emotions, their sentimental fancies and their tendency to avoid the logic of events. They want to dodge, and in spite of their boasted staight forwardness they do not meet the issues of their lives in a direct and convincing matter. They excuse, they apologize, they dodge and twist and squirm, but whether they fool themselves or not, they go in for pleasure, for the gratification of their lusts and their material well being.

It is a pity but it is for the most part true of the mass when considered as a unit. There is only one thing to do and that is to hammer on the individual. Whenever you reach one human being you have helped that much, but for the present, the people pay for what they want and they get it.—Selected.

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Assaulted by Papal Ruffians.

The Menace.
A telegram from Walla Walla, Washington, received just as we are closing the forms on May 17 states: "A D bulman has given two lectures here. Scheduled for another tonight. This afternoon he was attacked at his hotel by four romanists and badly injured. He is now in a local hospital where he will be confined for some time."

We lack the details of this brutal assault which adds another chapter to Rome's long record of mobocracy, brutal assault and murder which she has frantically indulged in for years past in her determined war on free speech, but we will exert every effort to see that justice is done. Such actions on the part of Rome's minions show the emptiness of preaching loyalty and campaigning against "religious prejudice" and "intolerance" so long as the papal system teaches that anything for the advancement of the church is commendable. This is the same kind of papal loyalty to our constitution that was indulged in, Haverhill, Mass. when 10,000 Knights and their friends attacked Rev. Leyden in order to prevent him from discussing the anti-sectarian amendment which Rome has fought for so long; an incident of mobocracy in which Cardinal O'Connell remained silent as a tomb, when asked to rebuke its perpetrators. And yet, he is the man who joined with other cardinals and prelates in pledging the whole-hearted patriotism and support of the entire church of Rome in America to President Wilson in the present crisis. What kind of patriotism is this that seeks four hundred (400) chaplaincies; wails at the prospect of any priest becoming a private, and assails free speech (a constitutional guarantee) in the midst of our preparation for participation in a war which seems "to make the world safe for democracy."

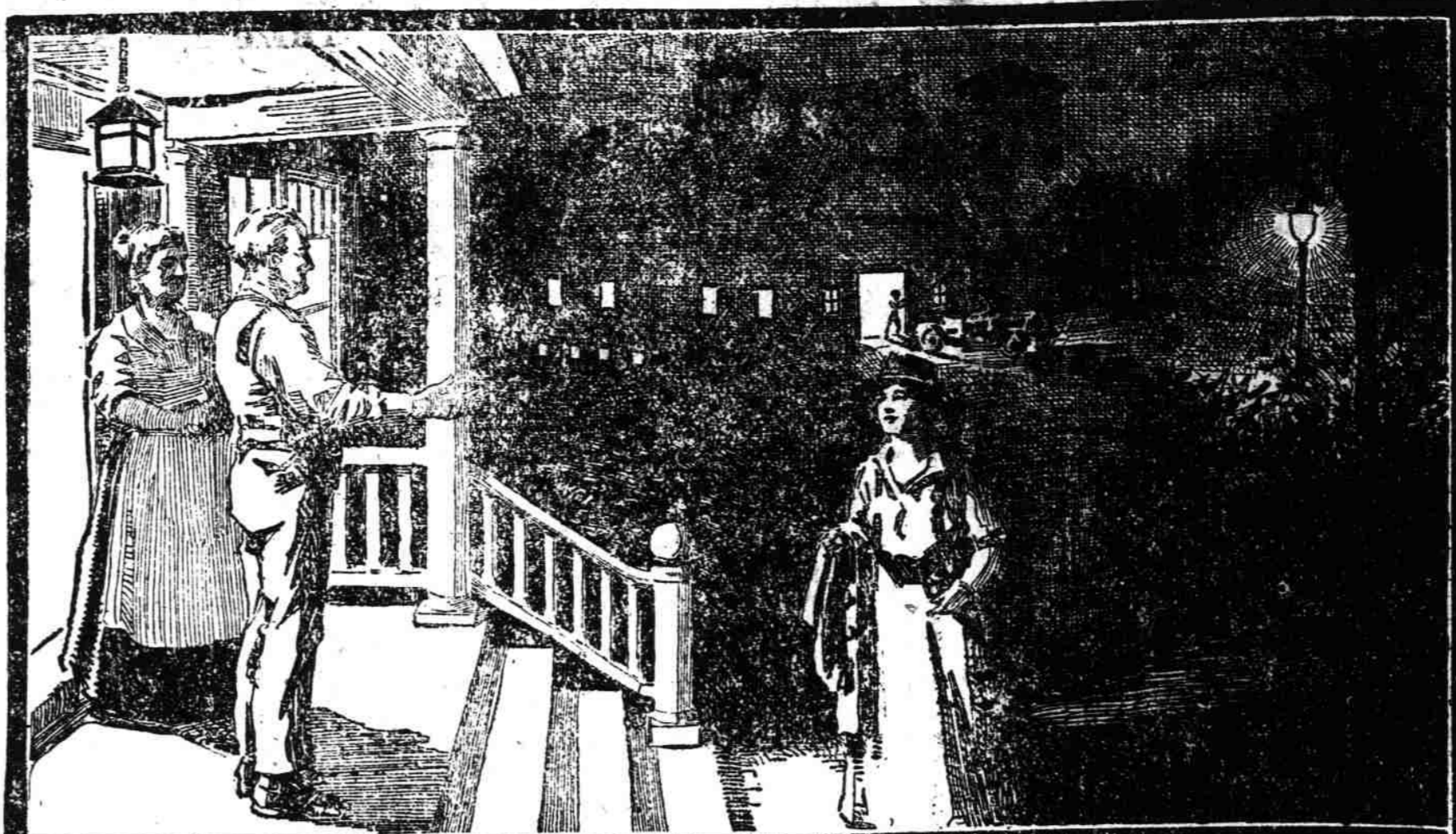
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