

# The Cliffside News

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### METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.

Sunday services, July 27th, 1930. Sunday school 9:45 a. m., Epworth League 6:30 p. m., Church service 7:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting was well attended in spite of bad weather last week. Members of the Hi-League gave a short but interesting program. We are glad to see results of the League work. Our pastor, Rev. D. H. Rhinehardt gave us another splendid talk. He has been giving us some history. On Wednesday night he gave us the history of different nationalities at the time of the birth of Christ and showed why Christ was a Jew. These talks require much preparation and it is for the benefit of we church members, so let's be present and take advantage of these talks.

Sunday school was about the average. Attendance of the Men's class went beyond their attendance for several Sundays. The Ladies' class is holding its regular attendance. We want the mothers to come and bring their babies. They will be welcomed.

The eleven o'clock service was well attended and we were glad to have some members from our sister church worship with us. Mr. Rhinehardt brought us a very fine message on the Book of Esther. For some reason the Book of Esther is rarely read. It is not used as reference as much as other books, but to me it is full of advice that all should know and heed. We see the Divine guidance in human undertakings in this book. This book is very suited to the present day generation when we see the wicked prosper and the righteous having such hard luck. To read this book we see plainly that the prosperity of the wicked ends in adversity and the adversity of the righteous ends in prosperity. The story of Haman being promoted to high places and prospered, though wicked then how the tables turn and Mordecai is elevated and Haman is made to do honor to the very one he had sought to kill. The beautiful character of Esther and her early training under Mordecai. When we read in the 4th chapter, part of the 14th verse, "And who knoweth whether thou art come to the kingdom for such a time as this?" we feel that it's hidden teaching of an overshadowing Providence in connection with God's people and the certainty of retribution overtaking their enemies. It is applicable to today. It was truly Divine guidance that caused events to take place as they did, for through Esther the Jewish people under the leadership of Mordecai were saved.

The Epworth League was well attended. These young folks have good programs. They would be so glad to have their parents visit these services. It would lend encouragement. Parents, are we interested in what our children attend? Where are our children on Sunday afternoon at 6:30?

The junior missionary society met July 14th with Mrs. L. G. Garvin with the leader, Mrs. Jay Laughridge and Mrs. Shuford present. There was a fine attendance and four new members. Those little folks are coming on fine and feel sure there are a good many others who should attend. They meet every two weeks.

The Sunday school classes taught by Mrs. Garvin and Miss Lena Mae Fisher enjoyed a picnic and wading party near the Methodist church last Friday.

The Ladies Missionary society met Monday, July 21st, at the church. There was a good attendance and a very helpful program was rendered by Mrs. Clyde Edwards and Mrs. Jay Laughridge, and Mrs. George Shuford. Mrs. D. H. Rhinehardt conducted the devotional in a very impressive way, the ladies had a delightful surprise following the meeting when Mr. James served us ice cream and cake. As it was very hot this was certainly a treat and all appreciated Mr. James' thoughtfulness.

### BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES.

In the absence of the pastor, who with his family are taking a vacation at their mountain retreat, near the crest of the Blue Ridge on Route No. 20, the prayer service was led by Mr. M. C. Blanton.

There was no preaching service Sunday morning or evening. After the Sunday school a number attended services at the Methodist church, others went visiting to various places.

The B. Y. P. U's. were on the job Sunday evening and after the Unions had had their programs and assembled for the closing period a fine play was presented by the young people. Members of the Unions will present this play at Alexander church next Sunday morning at the B. Y. P. U. meeting held there next Sunday. The prayer service this week will be led by Mr. B. E. Gold.

Next Sunday is being observed as "Christian education day" and the Men's Bible class and the Berean Bible class, the latter composed of younger men will present a program at the usual preaching hour. Announcement for the evening hour will be made Sunday morning.

### 750 PEOPLE VACCINATED.

Seven hundred and fifty were vaccinated against typhoid and diphtheria here last Wednesday. Dr. Allhands stated that he believed there were more than that as he thought some got away without giving their names. Anyway there was a large crowd out there which looked as if the number were even greater.

### BANK ROBBERS CAUGHT BY TELEPHONE CALLS

#### Accidental Shot Spreads Alarm and Telephone Manager Puts Police on Trail

Bank robbers who stole \$6,000 from the Junction City Banking Company in Ohio recently were captured through the efficient use of the telephone.

In their haste to get away after securing the cash, one of the bandits accidentally pulled the trigger of a gun. This sounded an alarm to J. W. Murphy, manager of the local telephone company, who immediately got in touch with the cashier and spread the alarm throughout the countryside. As a result of a series of Long Distance calls, a force of sheriffs with their deputies were on the road to intercept the bandits within a few minutes.

Farmers on rural lines were also called, and they turned out with antiquated weapons of every description and caliber. It was not long before calls began coming back to the telephone company with information as to the direction the bandits were taking in the machine in which they were trying to make their escape. A round-up, which blocked one of the possible avenues of escape of the bandits, led to their capture, and it is estimated that between 600 and 700 telephone calls were made in spreading word of the robbery. It was just exactly one hour after the crime was committed when the bandits were intercepted.

### AMOS AND ANDY ARE GIVEN DEAD NUMBERS TO USE

When you are listening to a broadcasting sketch, and one of the actors or actresses pretends to call a number by telephone, the number so called is what is known as a "dead" number, that is, it is a number which is not in actual use and which has been furnished by the local telephone company for the purpose.

There is such an arrangement as this in New York City between the New York Telephone Company and the National and the Columbia Broadcasting Networks, but once in a great while an error will be made. Not so long ago, Amos 'n' Andy made use of a "live" number, with the result that a subscriber up in Harlem was deluged with calls for Madam Queen and the Kingfish.

The Smithfield Kiwanis Club financed the buying of six pure bred Duroc-Jersey pigs for 4-H club members of Johnson county.

## Local Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carpenter and little son, Ed Jr., spent last Sunday afternoon in the mountains.

Mr. James Burrus of Rutherford College was in town Monday. Jim has a host of friends here who are always glad to see him.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Scruggs and daughters, are visiting relatives at Akron, O., and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Monterey Campbell of Bartow, Fla., who have been spending some time in western North Carolina were guests at the hotel last Monday. Mr. Campbell was a member of the school faculty here a few years ago and was very popular here.

Mrs. Sarah Love and daughter, Miss Edna Love of Chestnut Hills, spent Monday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Broadus Wilson, of St. Petersburg, Fla., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wilson and other relatives in the county. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson left St. Petersburg last Saturday afternoon at two o'clock and arrived here at six o'clock Sunday morning.

Dr. and Mrs. John Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Myles Haynes and Dr. H. L. Robertson attended a party given Saturday evening by Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Jenkins at their home at Avondale.

Prof. C. A. Denson, of Chestnut Hills, was here Monday.

Prof. B. P. Caldwell spent last week at Chapel Hill, N. C.

Mr. D. C. Colvin and daughter Miss Sarah, spent the week end with Mr. Colvin's mother, Mrs. M. D. C. Colvin, at Shelton, S. C.

Miss Mavorean Lemmons who is a student nurse at Emergency hospital at Washington, D. C., is spending her vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Q. W. Lemmons.

Miss Hazel Lemmons has returned from a two weeks visit with friends at Charlotte, N. C.

Miss Una Edwards visited here last week. She is still improving.

Messrs. Jesse McCurry, Clyde Blanton, Ralph Crawford and Francis Thompson visited the Air Port at Spartanburg, S. C., last Sunday afternoon.

Messrs Richard Busch and Benjamin Sparks, of Morganton, have been visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lancaster, of Paw Creek, N. C., are visiting relatives and friends here for a few days.

Recently several men and boys built a dam across the creek at the upper end of Valley street and during the hot days it stays pretty well filled to capacity.

Miss Johnnie Player a member of the school faculty spent a few days here last week with Mrs. L. G. Garvin. She left Monday to join others of the school faculty for several days at Chestnut Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Rollins and son Henry accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Garvin and daughter, Carolyn visited at Chestnut Hills Sunday afternoon.

Master David Colvin had the misfortune to hurt his leg one day last week and is missed by his playmates. The cut required nine stitches.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Shuford and two daughters, of Lenoir, N. C., Mr. Lloyd Shuford, of Gastonia, and Miss Katherine Williams, of Kings Mountain were guests for dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Shuford.

## FAVORITE RECIPES OF A FAMOUS CHEF

As Told to Anne Baker by ROGER CRETAUX, Chef, The Roosevelt, New York City

**Coleslaw**—Mix together one-half teaspoon mustard, one teaspoon salt, three teaspoons sugar, and a dash of red pepper. Place in a double boiler with one egg. Mix thoroughly, adding four table-spoons hot milk and one tablespoon butter. Cook until mixture thickens. Remove from fire and stir in slowly two table-spoons hot vinegar. Strain the mixture and pour over three cups shredded cabbage.



Roger Cretaux

**Ham Hawaiian**—Cover a one-inch-thick slice of ham with cold water and bring to the boiling point. Drain off water, and, if the ham is very salty, repeat the process. Sprinkle ham with five table-spoons brown sugar. Cook until brown on both sides. Add one cup pineapple juice. Cover and cook slowly until tender. Remove cover and lay on the ham six or eight small pieces of canned pineapple that have been sauted in hot fat. Sprinkle lightly with sugar and place a marshmallow in the hole of each piece of pineapple. Put under broiler and brown the marshmallows. Serve immediately.

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Miss Louise Lemmons is spending some time at Camp Elida near Asheville.

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## HUGE WIKE SPAN LINKS LIGHTHOUSE TO LAND

### Maine Station Is Great Saver of Life and Property

Lying some sixteen miles to the southwest of Rockland, Me., is Whitehead Island, where is located a coast guard station and a lighthouse, which, from a life saving point of view, is one of the most important stations on the entire rock-ribbed coast of Maine, guarding as it does the entrance to Penobscot Bay. On the sea side Whitehead Island is faced with high, precipitous walls of rock which have been worn smooth by the ages of pounding by the ocean, while on the inshore side are sunken ledges with solid granite heads jutting out into the bay. There are also lighthouses on Two Bush Island and Matinicus Rock, the latter twenty-five miles from the mainland.

The telephone that connects these lighthouses and two of the important settled islands with the coast guard stations at Whitehead and with the Rockland central office is of the utmost importance. Formerly, a submarine cable connected Whitehead with the mainland, but, owing to the pounding of the sea in the winter time and the ice floes, so many breaks occurred in the cable that it finally became necessary to erect a span between Sprucehead, Me., and Whitehead Island, so that now a suspension cable carries the telephone wires. This span is 1,739 feet long, and is one of the longest telephone wire spans in the country. Since its installation, the former interruptions to service no longer occur, and much life and property has been saved because marine disasters could be reported without delay.

A co-operative carlot shipment of 149 lambs was made by a group of Jackson county farmers recently.

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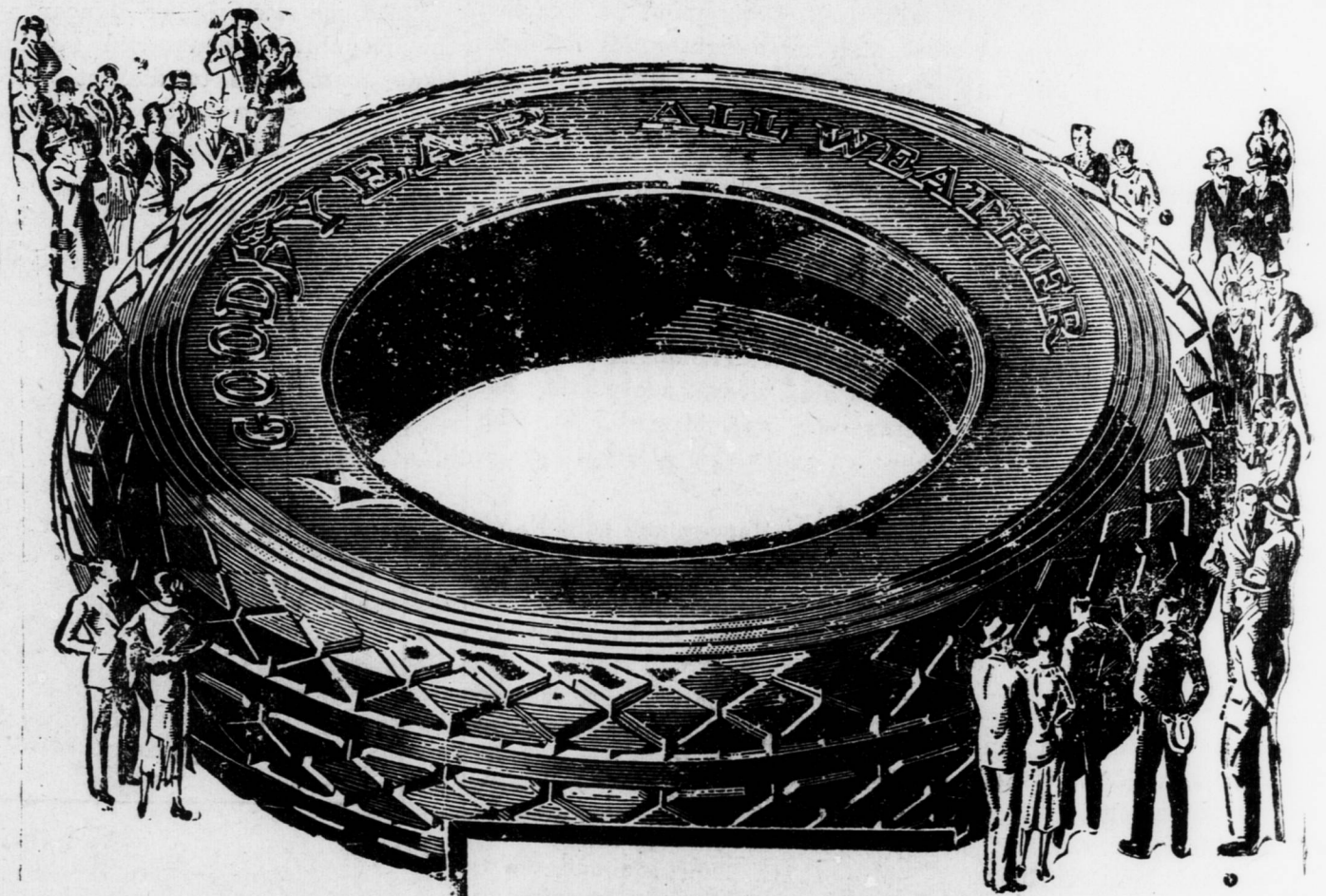
### SCOUTS ON TRIP.

The scouts enjoyed an overnight camping trip Monday night. The boys got busy as soon as they reached their destination preparing for the preparation of the evening meal and making their beds. When all was ready for lighting the fires, etc., the boys then went for a swim for an hour, then after supper there were numerous stunts and games which finally ended with the boys circling about the camp fire telling stories which finally led to ghost stories when all the boys promptly disclaimed any belief in ghosts which might have been to bolster up courage for the quiet hours to follow out under the stars.

A friend defines a politician as a man with too much bone in his head and too little in his back.

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