

Church Directory.

St. Athanasius Episcopal Church. Rev. Edward L. Ogilby, Rector. Mr. Erwin A. Holt, Senior Warden. Mr. S. A. Steele, Junior Warden. Vestry: Messrs. Eugene Holt, James N. Williamson, Jr., Lawrence S. Holt, Jr., Finley L. Williamson, Julius C. Squires, Lewis C. Carter, William A. Hall.

Christian Church. Corner Church and Davis Streets. Rev. P. H. Fleming, Pastor. Services: Preaching every Sunday, 11.00 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School, 9.45 A. M. Christian Endeavor Service, Sunday evenings at 7.15. Mid-week Prayer Service, every Wednesday at 8.00 P. M. Ladies Aid and Missionary Society meets on Monday after the Second Sunday in each month.

Burlington Reformed Church. Corner Front and Anderson Streets. Rev. J. D. Andrew, Pastor. Sunday School every Sabbath, 9.30 A. M. Preaching every 2nd and 4th Sabbath, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Mid-week Service every Thursday, 7.45 P. M. A cordial welcome to all. Parsonage 2nd door east of church.

Presbyterian Church. Rev. Donald McIver, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11.00 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School at 9.45 A. M. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at 8.00 P. M. The public is cordially invited to all services.

Front Street M. E. Church, South. Rev. E. M. Snipes, Pastor. Preaching every Sunday, morning and evening. Sunday School, 9.30 A. M. Prayer Service, Wednesday evening.

Macedonia Lutheran Church. Front Street. Rev. C. Brown Cox, Pastor. (Residence next door to Church.) Morning Service at 11.00 A. M. Vespers at 8.00 P. M. (No services on third Sundays.) Sunday School, 9.45 A. M., every Sunday. Teachers Meeting, Wednesday, 8.00 P. M. (At Parsonage.) Women's Missionary Society (after morning service on fourth Sundays.) L. C. B., Saturday before third Sundays, 3.00 P. M. L. L. L., third Sundays at 3.00 P. M.

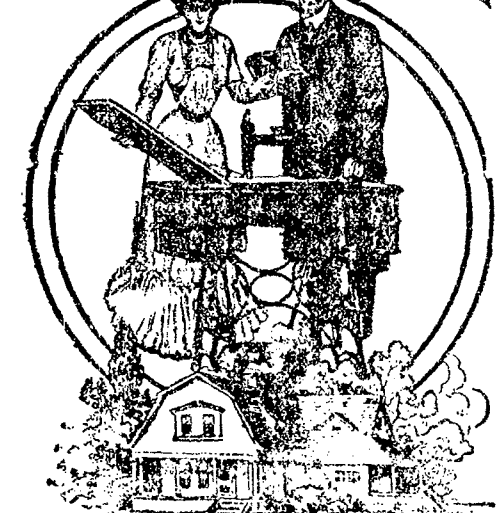
Baptist Church. Rev. C. Almon Upchurch, Pastor. Morning Services, 11.00 A. M. Evangelistic Services, 8.00 P. M. Wednesday night prayer meeting services, 8 P. M. Business meeting, first Wednesday evening of the month at 8.00 P. M. Sunday School, 9.45 A. M. J. L. Scott, Supt.

The Methodist Protestant Church, Rev. J. H. Abernathy, Pastor. Sunday Services, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School, 10 a. m. J. G. Rogers, Supt. Christian Endeavor, Wednesday 8 p. m. L. W. Holt, Pres.

Webb Avenue M. E. Church, Rev. W. F. Sanford, Pastor. Preaching every first Sunday at 11 a. m. and every second Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school every Sunday at 10 a. m. E. N. Jarrott, Supt. Everybody welcome.

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HOW THE CANAL WILL PAY.

Expected to Give Boost to Cotton and Iron Exports.

H. C. Weir, in Putnam's Magazine. In the foreground is the cyclonic boost which it will give the American cotton and iron markets. The Southern cotton growers now reach the Asiatic ports by the cumbersome route of the Suez Canal by way of New York. Zigzag distances and smothering freight charges are devaluing the item of profit. Europe, with the key to the situation, is slowly turning it in the lock against American competition. The Panama Canal would revolutionize these conditions with the wrench of a Kansas cyclone. South America spends \$86,000,000 each year for cotton. Only 5 per cent of this amount goes to the United States. The remainder is cornered by the European exporters, who practically hold the west coast of South America at their mercy through the lessened expense of transportation. The Panama Canal would reverse this situation like the change in slides in a stereopticon.

Iron can be produced more cheaply at Birmingham, Ala., than at any other point in the world. But the barrier of transportation makes its sale meager and unprofitable in the great Asiatic and South American markets. The machinery of the Tennessee mills, the steel and hardware from the other Southern States, would be doubled in output could they be economically marketed on the other side of the world. This is impossible now. In the Panama Canal lies the magic wand which will make it possible. The big ditch at Panama will solve the forestry problem—from one point of view. The building lumber of the western coast is beyond the reach of the Eastern markets because of the excessive freight charges. The cost of water transportation is one-fifth that of the overland route. With the ocean itinerary opened to the Panama Canal, another segment of the industrial revolution is unfolded. Undoubtedly its field could be lengthened—to the items of coal, fruits, cereals, fish, grain, manufactured goods in general and particular, and even the broadening possibilities before the American shipbuilder.

With an inland canal from the Great Lakes to the Mississippi, and the deepening of the passageway to the Gulf, the dream of an ocean greyhound floating majestically southward from Duluth to Colon, and thence through the Panama Canal to the countless ports of the Pacific, is easy of accomplishment. And who can measure the golden trail in its wake?

Employers' Liability.

New York Mail. The agitation for extending employers' liability is one evidence that the community is awakening to the secondary consequences of injury to life and limb. Laws making this liability a fact and the right to recover damages inherent in the common law do something to repair, adjust, and distribute the loss. But the situation in this country calls for prevention more than compensation. In the matter of forestalling the risks of the industry we have got much farther than medieval Europe was in the matter of sanitary precautions—when every plague had to wear itself out and men died like flies in summer.

Judicial Discretion.

Charleston News and Courier. The records of the criminal court in Tiptonville, Tenn., bear the evidence that the three Stineback negroes, brothers, charged with murder, were not lynched, but duly tried, convicted, and sentenced. It appears, inferentially, however, from extraneous testimony, published in the newspaper dispatches, that Justice Davis and his jury narrowly escaped lynching, and the promptness and accuracy with which they measured the temper of the mob should establish forever their reputation for exercising what the lawyers are pleased to call, with their characteristic aversion to redundancy a "wise discretion."

WANTED—Copies of the Dispatch issued on the following dates: July 8th, 22nd, Aug. 26th and Sept. 9th. We will appreciate the favor if you have a paper issued on the above dates bring it to the Dispatch Office.

WHY NOT TRY PEACE?

One of the Possible Alternatives to Militarism.

New York Times. There is an alternative. Lord Roberts did not mention it, and no member of the present government has suggested it, but it must have been considered. It is to cultivate such relations with the German nation and the German government as to reduce the chance of an attack from that source, which is the only source thought of, to the lowest terms. Complete security in this direction cannot be counted on, but many causes of irritation and annoyance which imbitter the relations of the two people can unquestionably be removed. It has been pretty plainly shown that the peoples themselves are not hostile to each other. There has unfortunately been a certain animosity between classes in the two countries, and that feeling in the military class in Germany has been notably bitter. But the great body of each of the nations earnestly desire peace, and have the strongest reasons for desiring it. If the policy of the two governments can be made to correspond to the real sentiment of the people on the one side and the other, it will be more trustworthy and more effective guarantee against invasion than Lord Roberts' million men.

Up from the Ranks.

New York Globe. Mr. Hitchcock is of the type of public men who but recently has come into prominence—a type of which Secretary Cortelyou is the most conspicuous example. Members of this type enter the public service near the bottom, and work themselves up. Formerly it was the rule that no subordinate officer, no matter what his personal merit, could hope to reach a summit. If he did not come in at the top; he could never attain it. Now, besides Cortelyou, Wynne, and Hitchcock, rumor has it that Pinchot, chief forester, may become Secretary of Agriculture; Newberry, assistant to Secretary Metcalf, may become Secretary, and so on. The change is welcome. It means not only better administration through getting more experienced men for chiefs, but better administration down the line, for young men of higher quality will accept subordinate places if they feel that they have a chance to rise.

Hopeful Outlook for Railways.

Philadelphia Inquirer. The railways have had a hard year, but it is an impressive fact that practically no receiverships have been ordered except those which were inevitable before the panic of a year ago. There have been few reductions of dividends. Most railways have paid all obligations and carried over a surplus. It is also true that new loans have been made on favorable terms, so that there is no crisis impending. With the revival of business, which is certain to come, it is also certain that the railways will have no reason to complain. They are not complaining, except that they fear that populist, socialistic, and almost anarchistic sentiment in some sections is going to work them ill. We think these fears are groundless.

Premium on Forest Destruction.

Ohio State Journal. There is one phase of protection that it is hoped the revision committee will not neglect, and that is the protection of the forests, by cutting off utterly the duty on lumber. That duty encourages the chopping down of forests and discourages the building of homes. If it hasn't this effect it hasn't any. It seems almost like hypocrisy for the American people to go about weeping over the disappearance of the forests and then keep up a tariff that invites their destruction. It is a mockery to hold meetings of governors to devise means for preserving our natural resources while offering a premium to chop down the woodland.

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