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CONCORD CHURCH.

Iredell County Will Have the Presbytery Next Fall—Reports Handed In—Commissioners Selected for the General Assembly.

Wednesday afternoon's session was held in Cannonville Presbyterian church. An address of welcome was delivered by Rev. W C Alexander. A response was given by Dr. J M Wharey. The meeting was held at this place in order that the members of the Presbytery might see the work of the Home Mission in erecting a beautiful house of worship for the people in that part of Concord.

A request was made by the congregation of Southtowne church to change its name to Newdale. The request was granted.

The place for holding the Concord Presbytery this fall will be at Concord church, in Iredell county, it having been decided at the afternoon session Wednesday.

The commissioners to the General Assembly which meets in Richmond in May were selected. They are: Rev. J B Shearer, Rev. W C Alexander, Mr. Chalmers Rankin, of Mooresville, and Dr. D G Ramsey, of Third Creek. The alternates are Rev. Graham and Rev. Munroe.

Rev. Geo. L Cook was examined and received as a member of this Presbytery. The call which was presented from the Poplar Tent church Wednesday asking for his services was placed in his hands.

By request Rev. Chas. F Rankin was dismissed from this Presbytery, to the Fayetteville Presbytery, he having accepted a call to Red Springs some days ago.

At the night session the report of the Home mission was made by Rev. McLaurin. The report showed that only two churches had been vacant during the time.

A motion was adopted wherein the evangelists will hereafter endeavor to assist in the collections for church extensions. It was also decided that on the fifth of each month a collection would be taken in each church for the same fund.

At the morning service today (Thursday) Rev. A J McKelway, editor of the Presbyterian Standard, made his report as to the work of the organ of the Presbyterian church, stating that its condition financially was better than in the past showing a larger subscription list.

Rev. Dr. Shearer, president of Davidson college, made a report as to the condition of the schools which are under the care and guidance of the Presbytery, which report was bright and welcoming.

Rev. C. Miller made a report as to the colored evangelistic work.

The morning sermon was delivered by Rev. J M Wharay, of Mooresville.

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BAD CONDITION IN SAMOA.

British and Americans Ambuscaded—Heads Cut Off of the Dead.

The news of a serious affair in Samoa on April 1st have just come to light. A force of British and American marines, one hundred and five in number were ambuscaded by about eight hundred Mataafans and three officers and four sailors were killed and several were wounded. The natives cut off the heads of the officers. The bodies and the heads were regained later and are buried together.

It makes quite a delicate situation in which German influence seems largely responsible for the evil. Germany, however, disclaims responsibility and blames England now for delaying to hasten her representative to the Samoan commission which it is hoped will settle the affair.

A Fire at the Montgomery Mine.

Some time before 8 o'clock Wednesday night one of the buildings at the Montgomery mine a short distance above Forest Hill was found to be on fire. Work was recently begun at this mine by Col. Stith, and a number of improvements have been made. The building in which the engine and boiler, stamp mill, and Huntington mill stood was consumed. The engine and boiler were only slightly damaged. The stamp mill is not badly damaged, though the copper plates were ruined which means a loss itself of over one hundred dollars. The Huntington mill was unhurt.

The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is roughly estimated at \$500. No insurance was carried on the plant.

You'll Have a Chance This Time.

Very often you hear the remark that nothing fine in the way of a comedy comes to Concord but the people can not say this about Alba Heywood, and his peerless company, which company will appear in the opera house on the night of the 21st. Music to suit the most classical ear can be heard and productions of the most humorous nature. Every member of the company is an artist and it is not often that the people of Concord have the advantage of such a musical and humorous treat.

Preparations Are Being Made.

All arrangements are being made for the reception to be given the soldiers when they return home. It is the intention that a large crowd meet them at the depot and march to Caton's hall where after appropriate speeches a sumptuous supper will be served to them. The committees for the work are being appointed and will be furnished for publication tomorrow.

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Two Indictments for Selling Whiskey.

Two more cases have been found to be recorded on the criminal docket for the coming court. Both of them are charges of selling whiskey. Two negroes, John Isenhour and Abram Brown have been arrested and tried. The case is too plain for their release, hence they are bound over to court. Their indictment was secured through the services of Mr. J E Garrison, of Charlotte, who sometimes serves on the police force here, and who has been doing some detective work here. He bought whiskey from both of the negroes on the fourth of this month. John Isenhour succeeded in getting his \$200 bond, but Abram Brown was taken to jail in default of a \$50 bond.

The Series Begin Tonight.

Tonight at the Baptist church Dr. N W Tracy will begin his series of lectures. Tonight's exercises will be an introduction to the series. One of the scenes to be illustrated tonight is the Rock of Ages. The scenes are said to be exceptionally fine and no doubt Concord will give Dr. Tracy a full house to his lectures. Remember there is no admission fee.

Dr. Tracy is prepared to give the audience some fine vocal and instrumental music also. Let the people turn out tonight and hear him.

Thrown from Her Horse.

On Wednesday afternoon, while out horseback riding, Miss Chasie Brown was thrown from her horse near the St. Cloud hotel. The animal stumbled and she was thrown during the efforts of the horse to get to its feet. She was unconscious when some persons picked her up, but fortunately she was only bruised.

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From Forest Hill.

Messrs. A T Bruton, W A Pennington and I H Beatty left today for the fisheries. We wish them good luck.

Mr. Jas. Johnson, of Charlotte, came over Wednesday to attend the burial of his brother, Mr. Geo. Johnson.

We are glad to see Mr. Haywood Dennis on the streets again after a long siege of fever.

On Wednesday night an officer from Albemarle was here hunting a white man named Jake Gourley, who is wanted there for being engaged in an affray. Policeman Harris spotted the man, and the officer returned to Albemarle with his man next morning. The fellow has been here about the Cannon mills.

Millions Given Away.

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SHORT LOCAL.

Mr. Frank Cannon spent last night in Salisbury.

WANTED—An experienced house-keeper. Apply to Mrs. M C Dusenbury, at St. Cloud hotel.

If you want to see a good game of baseball go and see Concord's nine against the "Boston Bloomers" tomorrow afternoon.

Dr M L Stevens and wife have gone to Asheville to spend some time on account of his health. Rev. V R Stickley, of Enochville, accompanied them to Spartanburg.

Worth its weight in gold! Look in the show-window at Fetzter's drug store and you will see this illustrated. The rich nugget from one of our Cabarrus mines is surely tempting, but it is there to illustrate the fact that Hall's Sarsaparilla is worth its weight in gold. *tf.*

Mrs. Judge Montgomery returned home Wednesday night from Milton, where she has been spending a month with her sister, Mrs. Gen. Ramseur. Mrs. Ramseur and daughter, Miss Mary Ramseur, returned with Mrs. Montgomery and will spend some time here.

Tomorrow is the time for the baseball game, in which the "Boston Bloomers" will try hard to beat our boys. Be there and encourage our boys.

Pure Plymouth Rock Eggs, 13 for 50c. Truman Chapman.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mr. H A Graeber is spending the afternoon in Charlotte on business.

—Rev. C B King, president of Elizabeth college, spent yesterday at Mt. Pleasant, he being one of the members of the college board.

—Mrs. Chas. Brown, of Salisbury, arrived here this morning to spend several days with her grandmother, Mrs. Sapp.

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