

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Means and children, Mary Louise and Victor, arrived in Concord yesterday, after a week's trip to New York and Atlantic City.

and broke his arm, is doing as well as can be expected. Rev. Waldo Robertson, pastor of Bayless Memorial Church, and family left Tuesday in their auto for Montreal, N. C.

LUTHERAN PICNIC AT SALISBURY TO ATTRACT HUNDREDS

Annual Outing For Central Brotherhood District to Be Held at Rowan Capital on July 21st.

The third annual picnic under the auspices of the Central District Lutheran Brotherhood, to be held at the old country club grounds at Salisbury on Thursday, July 21st, is expected to attract hundreds of Lutherans from Concord, Salisbury, Lexington, Hickory, Charlotte, Albemarle and other cities in this section of the State.

For the past two years the picnic was held at the fair grounds here but the meeting place was changed this year at the invitation of the St. Johns and Haven Churches of Salisbury. Hundreds of persons attended the two gatherings here.

J. L. Fisher, of Salisbury, is president of the brotherhood and with the assistance of prominent Lutherans from Concord and other sections embraced by the district, has worked out a splendid program, with features booked for both the morning and afternoon.

At 9 a. m. the marshals will assemble, President Fisher being the chief and Gilmer L. Miller assistant chief. At 10:30 the Salisbury Band under the direction of Rob Roy Peery will give a concert.

Community singing is booked for 11 a. m., the program to consist of familiar church hymns, directed by Mr. Peery, S. K. Patterson and E. M. Henning. At the same time a Children's Hour will be observed with stories, games, and the like under the direction of Miss Pauline Peeler.

Dr. William Thornton Whitsett, author of "Saber and Song," and an authority on Lutheran history, will deliver an address at 11:30 and at 1 o'clock the picnic dinner, to be featured by the inevitable "chicken, ham and deviled eggs," will be staged.

At 2:30 there will be athletic contests and stunts under the direction of Lamong Weber and adjournment is set for 4 o'clock.

Scores of Cabarrus county people plan to attend the picnic. MILLER DESCRIBES WORK AT HOSPITAL FOR THE CRIPPLED

Head of Orthopaedic Hospital at Gastonia Speaks to Concord Rotarians at the Meeting Wednesday. Reception of two new members and an illustrated lecture by Dr. R. O. Miller, head of the orthopaedic hospital at Gastonia, featured the weekly meeting of the Concord Rotary Club at Hotel Concord yesterday.

NEWBURY IN FORM AS WEAVERS LICK MT. HOLLY 3 TO 1

Concord's Hurling Ace Turns in His Fourth Consecutive Win, Yielding Only Three Hits.

Henry Newbury knows his soup-pan. The smiling Concord ace boosted his streak of consecutive wins to four at Webb field Wednesday afternoon, yielding only three scattered hits as the fast-stepping Weavers trounced Mount Holly, 3 to 1. He controlled his sizzling flings with excellence to tease the visitors into submission.

Some hair-raising, heart-jumping fielding gave added color to the nifty hurling performance of the Weaver right-hander. Out in the right garden in the ninth the fans whooped things up with exciting delight when Marvin Watts made a wonderful catch of a liner from the bat of "Chesty" Cross. Dashing at full speed Watts started falling headlong. Before spilling himself he shot the pellet to the Concord centerfielder who had raced up.

Mount Holly's lone tally was presented by the Weavers in the seventh canto when three errors and Huffstetter's single allowed Thompson to score. The visiting Yarners threatened only one before in the game. That was in the second inning when Eason and Holt each got singles. Keen fielding crushed all chances for this rally to bloom.

Moose was touched for ten socks by Lindy Lewellyn's team, but the Mount Holly moundsman kept them well separated for the first five frames, after that he began weakening rapidly. Miller started things rolling right for the Weavers when he poled a three-base drive in the fifth and scored when the third baseman let the relay from the outfield get by him.

In the sixth merry-go-round Gresson and Daugherty hit a triple and a double, respectively, scoring the former. In the eighth Gresson, Daugherty and Outen nailed the sphere for singles, and Daugherty crossed the plate to give the locals the third score.

The game was snappy with the exception of the awful seventh when Irwin Watts, flashy Weaver backstop, had to retire from the game from an injury to his right thumb. The ball struck Watts on the thumb, playing havoc with the nail. Outen was called out of rightfield to catch and Marvin Watts filled in Outen's outfield post.

Harry Daugherty had a tough time of it in the seventh also. But fortunately none of his bobbles proved very costly, and he offset this by collecting two timely hits to put his team in front.

Meet Paw Creek Today. Chris Haury or Bob Morris will lead for the Weavers this afternoon against Paw Creek or Kendall Mills at Webb field. The game begins at 3 o'clock. Irwin Watts will probably be unable to play because of the injury he suffered to his thumb Wednesday.

THE BOX SCORE: MT. HOLLY AB R H P O A E

BRASSER, ss. 4 0 0 4 6 0
Thompson, 3b. 4 1 0 1 2 1
Cross, 2b. 4 0 2 4 4 0
Eason, cf. 4 1 2 0 0 0
Huffstetter, rf. 3 0 1 1 0 0
Wallace, lf. 3 0 0 0 0 0
Holt, if. 3 1 2 0 0 0
Hawkins, lb. 2 0 0 0 0 0
Williams, 1b. 2 0 0 2 0 0
Swygert, c. 3 0 0 1 0 0
Moore, p. 3 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 31 1 3 24 13 1
CONCORD AB R H P O A E
Hord, ss. 4 0 1 1 4 1
Gresson, 2b. 4 1 2 2 7 0
Daugherty, 3b. 4 1 2 0 3 3
Outen, rf. 4 2 1 0 0 0
Morris, cf. 4 0 1 0 0 0
Lewellyn, lf. 3 0 0 15 0 0
Miller, if. 3 1 2 1 0 0
Watts, H. c. 2 0 1 3 0 0
Newbury, p. 3 0 0 1 0 0

NATION LOOKS AT BIBLE AS THOUGH HAD OUTGROWN IT

Dr. G. Campbell Morgan Tells Audience at First Presbyterian Church on Wednesday Night.

Those who have the most right to sing "My Country 'Tis of Thee" are the ones who stand by the word of God," asserted Dr. G. Campbell Morgan at the close of his brilliant and dynamic lecture on "The Bible and the Nation" before a large and attentive audience at the First Presbyterian Church Wednesday night.

Speaking entirely from a national viewpoint Dr. Morgan put his theme in the interrogatory—"Has the national life outgrown the Bible?" He answered the question thus: "The attitude of the nation has been that of looking at the Bible as something which has been outgrown," and he supported this statement with two convincing illustrations.

He spoke of the city of Glasgow, Scotland, giving citation of its motto: "Let Glasgow Flourish." The lecturer described the motto as pagan, the very essence of selfishness. What about the place he called home? Did Glasgow want to prosper and let his hometown perish, he questioned an intimate friend.

But that was not all of the motto of Glasgow, his friend let it be known—merely an abbreviation of "Let Glasgow flourish by the preaching of the Word." This motto had been mutilated, robbed of its original meaning as it was understood 300 years before. "Why has it been abbreviated?" Because the national attitude is looking at the Bible as something which has been outgrown," cried Dr. Morgan.

Next Dr. Morgan narrated the instance of a farm laborer of Scotland who was eager to master reading. He let his ambition be known to a clergyman who helped him for an hour each day for a period of six months. Then the minister fell ill and had to leave his parish. When recuperated the minister returned, and immediately he desired to know the progress of his keen student.

He ascertained from the wife of the farm laborer that her husband had pursued reading with diligence while he was away, and could read well. "The clergyman then said to the wife, 'he can begin reading the Bible.' But my husband has left the Bible already; he is reading the newspapers," replied the wife," said Dr. Morgan.

"Which are you most interested in," Dr. Morgan questioned his audience, "the Bible or the president's address in the newspaper? Who is more anxious to read the morning newspaper than the Bible?"

Declaration has been made in academic quarters, according to Dr. Morgan, that the Bible has been outgrown in scientific, philosophic and theological values by students who are taking the word of the teachers, and spraying it over more space than the teachers intended. "Suppose we have outgrown the Bible scientifically; does that mean we have outgrown it for national purposes?" the lecturer exclaimed.

"Are there any values of the Bible we may draw today into our national strength, purity and beauty? We have four values. In the Bible we have the moral conception out of which the great civilizations have sprung for the past 2,000 years. In the Bible we have the interpretation of all philanthropies. In the Bible we have the interpretation of human nature which created discontentment against false conditions. From the Bible we have the declaration of the God of the universe."

The speaker treated the first value—moral conception out of which grew the great civilization—lengthy. "What do we mean by civilization?" he asked. Dr. Morgan illustrated civilization as the order of life, directing attention to the difference of civilization generally from one age to another. Impetus to his point was added by discussion of the Athenian civilization.

He reviewed the highest point of Athenian civilization when 21,000 people were emancipated from work, free to do nothing, while thousands of slaves were dying—working themselves to death—in order that the select 21,000 people might have nothing to do. "You wouldn't call that civilization today would you? No! But certainly you would describe it as barbarous. How did the change come? It came from thought gained from the Bible—moral conception."

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MAN WHO MURDERED BROTHER OF LOCAL MAN FOUND GUILTY

Mills Moore, Who Killed Policeman T. R. Penninger, at Sharon, Near York, S. C., Given Life Term.

Mills Moore, who killed nine years ago at Sharon, S. C., Policeman T. R. Penninger, brother of A. H. Penninger, of East Corbin street, Concord, drew life imprisonment Wednesday afternoon following trial in York county criminal court. Moore, who entered a plea of guilty to murder with recommendation to mercy, barely escaped the electric chair.

The jury, despite the recommendation of Judge M. M. Mann and Solicitor J. L. Glenn, threatened to find the defendant guilty of first degree murder which automatically carries death by electrocution.

A York dispatch says in part: The action of the jury, their striking reluctance to heed the recommendation of the solicitor and the trial judge, was without a parallel in York county court annals and is said to be without a precedent in the state.

Judge Mann advised the jury that neither he nor the solicitor could bind them to bring in the verdict suggested but that both could recommend this step.

The jury seemed determined and for a time, despite the action of the solicitor and the court, the death chair loomed ominously for the slayer of the Sharon police.

The trial began at 9 o'clock and no difficulty was experienced in obtaining a jury. The state rested its case at 11 o'clock, after placing on the stand 12 witnesses.

Thomas F. McDow, of York, counsel for Moore, then announced that his client was willing to plead guilty to murder with a recommendation to mercy, which would mean life imprisonment.

Solicitor Glenn, promptly announced the willingness of the state to accept this plea. He followed this by saying that he was in the most difficult position of his professional career, that there was strong opposition to his acceptance of the defense proposition but that in so doing he was guided by his convictions.

CABARRUS SCHOOLS ENJOY SURPLUS AT END OF THE YEAR

It is Estimated That Balance of About \$5,000 Will Be Carried Over for the New Year.

With some counties in the State showing school deficits of more than \$100,000, it is reported that the Cabarrus board of education starts the new fiscal year with a cash balance of about \$5,000.

Both in the eastern and western sections of the State, Prof. J. B. Robertson, former Cabarrus superintendent, states, counties are showing deficits for the fiscal year just ending. The deficit in one county amounted to about \$117,000, he said, and in others there were deficits of approximately \$100,000.

Records for the work of the local school department for the past year have been checked just recently, and it is said the survey shows the surplus of about \$5,000.

This surplus, it is understood, will be carried over into the new fiscal year just starting.

BREAKS ARM AS HE FALLS FROM WINDOW OF MILL WEDNESDAY

Right Arm of Houston Cook Broken as He Falls From Second-Story of Cannon Manufacturing Co. Plant.

Falling from a second-story window of the Cannon Manufacturing Co. of Concord, late Wednesday afternoon, Houston Cook, about 25 years of age, and operator in the sewing room, suffered a broken right arm.

"He fell a distance of about 14 feet," it was said. Aside from the broken arm he was practically unhurt, and was reported resting nicely today.

Mr. Cook was leaning out of the window when he lost his balance, it being purely accidental.

CARS CRASH AND WOMEN RIDDEN ONE AREA

Ford and Chevrolet Intersection of Cedar Street - Not Badly Hurt.

A Ford and a Chevrolet the intersection of Cedar Street shortly before 8 o'clock, and two women were seriously injured.

Mrs. East and Mrs. Correll were hurt. Mrs. East was taken to the hospital where she was treated.

Police officers making a report to Chief of Police reported that the Ford struck the Chevrolet, this report of the car occupied by the woman in the middle of the intersection, the accident occurred.

Further inquiry will be made by Chief Talbot today. No yet been made.

CONNECTICUT NOT WORTHY OF TITLE

By International Textile Mills

Hartford, Conn., July 10.—Textile mills may have a word to say about the state of Connecticut, according to a department of labor report in factories in the state over the 20th century working at the end of 1929.

The four large towns, Bridgeport, Waterbury, Meriden and Middletown, have 103,965 factory hands being divided as follows: Bridgeport 36,712; Meriden 23,317; Waterbury 23,317; Middletown 23,317.

According to the state labor department, Connecticut's business has not as yet recovered from the second half of 1929.

After spending several weeks here with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crowell left Sunday for their home in Chester, Pa.

William Upright Laid to Rest. Funeral services were held at 3 o'clock yesterday from the Calvary Lutheran church for William R. Upright, 53, who died at 12:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon following an attack of pneumonia at his home on Harris street.

The ghat of Beazars is the place of cremations for deceased Brahmins.

Roberts—So you've been having an argument with your wife. What over? Roberts—It isn't over!

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