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APPROVE TUBERCULOSIS DAY

Eminent Clergymen Helping in the Fight Against the White Plague--People Must Have a Clear Conception of the Disease--Movement Progressing.

Statements of opinion approving Tuberculosis Day, which will be observed on or about April 30th, from prominent clerical, medical and lay authorities were issued today in the form of a bulletin by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. Among those who have endorsed the movement are His Eminence, Cardinal Gibbons and several Roman Catholic bishops, many prominent bishops of the Protestant Episcopal Church, several denominational and interdenominational societies, Doctors S. Adolphus Knopf and Lawrence F. Flick, Hon. Champ Clark, many prominent clergymen and others.

Champ Clark in a letter to the National Association, says: "I am in deep sympathy with the movement which your Association is doing so much to forward. We cannot learn too much about the dread scourge, for we cannot intelligently fight that which we do not thoroughly understand. Knowledge is power."

Rev. Dr. S. Parkes Cadman of Brooklyn, says: "I sincerely trust that your war on tuberculosis will prosper. It is a real war and should have the support of every right minded citizen and of all our churches of every kind. We remember with great pleasure and equal profit the tuberculosis day of 1910."

Dr. S. Adolphus Knopf of New York, the well known authority on tuberculosis, in a statement issued for the occasion says: "I venture to say that not in a few instances, as a result of tuberculosis sermons having been preached by pastors, priests, rabbis, or even only physicians, much good has resulted, not only because of the education of congregations in the preventive measures, but because of the interest aroused for the consumptive poor. I know that many an unfortunate sufferer is indebted for the amelioration of his condition or for his cure to a sermon preached on tuberculosis."

Dr. Lawrence F. Flick of Philadelphia, the widely known Philadelphia expert on tuberculosis, says: "The work of stamping out tuberculosis is in such perfect harmony with the spirit of religion that it is but natural to ask the ministers of religion to co operate by giving the use of their church organizations for the educational part of the campaign. Not until all the people have gotten a clear conception of what tuberculosis means and of what is necessary for its extermination will it be possible to inaugurate all the measures for prevention which science has demonstrated as practicable and feasible. Knowledge must come before action is possible and there is no agency on earth through which knowledge can be so quickly and so efficiently extended to all the people as through the churches."

Kicked by a Mad Horse
Samuel Bireb, of Beetown, Wis., had a most narrow escape from losing his leg, as no doctor could heal the frightful sore that developed, but at last Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it completely. Its the greatest healer of ulcers, burns, boils, eczema, scalds, cuts, corns, cold-sores, bruises and piles on earth. Try it, 25c. at Saunders & Fowden.

Rev. M. E. Bethea

Rev. M. E. Bethea, the Rector serving the Episcopal churches in Opelika and Auburn, announced to his congregation at Emanuel church in this city last night that he had accepted a call to the church at Williamston, N. C. and would leave for his new field of labor May 1st.

This was extremely unwelcome news to the church members here who have become greatly attached to this able and efficient Rector during his four years service in this parish. During his service as Rector in Opelika the church has prospered, its condition both spiritually and financially constantly improving. The work of Rector Bethea at Auburn has been marked by unusual success, the attendance at the services having quadrupled under his administration.

Rev. Bethea began studying for the ministry when 34 years old and on his examination for admission to the priesthood fairly astonished the examining committee by his proficiency.

Rev. Bethea is an eloquent and able preacher, an industrious worker an affable gentleman who will be sorely missed in this field for which his four years labor has done so much.

The going hence of Mr. Bethea and his gracious wife and lovely children will leave a void in the religious and social circles of our community. While grieved to lose them the best wishes of hundreds of warm friends will follow them to their new home, and remain with them always.—Opelika Daily News April 3rd 1911.

Constipation brings many ailments in its train and is the primary cause of much sickness. Keep your bowels regular, madam, and you will escape many of the ailments to which women are subject. Constipation is a very simple thing, but like many simple things, it may lead to serious consequences. Nature often needs a little assistance and when Chamberlain's Tablets are given at the first indication, much distress and suffering may be avoided. Sold by All Dealers.

Mrs. J. B. Ayers Dead

After months of suffering, the spirit of Susan M. Ayers, beloved wife of J. B. Ayers, took its everlasting flight, on the morning of April 8th, 1911. She was born in Martin County on December 1st, 1874. Before her marriage she was a Miss Leggett and lived in Cross Roads Township. She leaves four little children and a husband to miss her tender care. Years ago she joined the Christian Church and continued in that faith until her death. The funeral services were conducted on Monday by Rev. G. W. Sumrell, pastor of the Christian Church at Griffin. The body was interred in the family cemetery near Cross Roads.

A Little Child Dead

News was received here Tuesday of the death, at Colorado Springs, of Yvota, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed H. Robertson. Last fall the parents with Yvota visited Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Robertson here. Since then they have remained in Colorado Springs from Owensboro, Ky., and Mr. Robertson has accepted a position with the Postal Telegraph Company. Relatives here had no news of the illness of the child, and think that its death must have been sudden. Friends and relatives in town sympathize with the parents in the loss of the sweet little babe who was the light and joy of the home.

Everett-Williams

An automobile tour was one of the many pleasant features at a wedding in Wake yesterday afternoon, and it was very delightful to make the run into the southern part of the country, through the thrifty communities, and see the cozy homes and the well-filled farms, with improvements so plain on every hand, and every evidence that life on the farm has come to be again surely delightful.

In the long-leaf pine region and at the pleasant home of Elder James A. T. Jones, the words were spoke which united in marriage Mr. Justus Everett, of Palmyra, and Mrs. Elizabeth G. Williams, who is a daughter of the late Mr. George W. Atkinson, who was so greatly esteemed in all this section of the State. Elder Simpkins took from Raleigh as his guests the groom and a few friends, and these were delightfully entertained at dinner at "Edenwood," the home of the bride, who very gracefully presided and made every one feel at home.

Leaving "Edenwood," a place attractive in every way, the wedding party, there made complete, went to the home of Elder Jones, and in the pretty parlor the vows were taken and troths plighted. The witnesses who signed their names were Elder W. A. Simpkins, Mrs. Mattie J. Harris, of McCullers, and Col. Fred. A. Olds.

Heavy congratulations were given the bride and groom, who immediately came to Raleigh in an automobile and left last evening for their home, four miles from Palmyra, where Mr. Everett is a large and well-known farmer. Both he and his wife are devoted members of the Primitive Baptist Church.—News & Observer, April 12th.

When a medicine must be given to young children it should be pleasant to take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is made from loaf sugar, and the roots used in its preparation give it a flavor similar to maple syrup, making it pleasant to take. It has no superior for colds, croup and whooping cough. For sale by All Dealers.

Never borrow anything you can't return—not even trouble.

Notice

Subscribers of the Williamston Telephone Company will please make the following additions and changes to their Telephone Directories.

New subscribers: Ayers, A. B. 107-1/2; Bradley, Rev. Rufus, 44; Coaltrain, C. C. 114-3/2; Crawford, J. C. Sheriff, office 68; Dennis Simmons Lbr. Co. Logging Camp, 114-4/2; Griffin, Geo. W. 106 1/2; Gurganus, J. D. 42; Leggett, J. H. 101-1/2; Manning, A. J. 114-1/2; Manning, N. R. 114 3/2; Market, 52; Peel, Peuny, 106-1/2; Peel Ephraim, 106-2; Peoples N. C. Steamboat Line, 19-2; Roanoke Bottling Works, 88; Robertson Charlie T. 114-3; Rogers, Walter 131; Smith & Hadley, 52; Teel, Mrs. W. J. 103 5; Taylor, McS, 38; Whitaker, W. J. 89; Williams, Dr. John W. 103 4/2; Wynn & Whitehurst, 100-1/2.

Changes: Daniel & Steton, 104 3/2; Daniel, Wm. Ed. 104-4/2; Gurganus, J. Henry, 109 2/2; Hardison, Simon E. 104-4; Hopkins, J. W. 104 3; Hardison, J. B. 104-1/2.

Jamesville Central
Askew, C. A. 14; Davenport, J. L. 18; Evans, J. E. 17; Edwards, D. S. 20; Hotel, 19.

Change S. R. Biggs Drug Co., 40
The Jamesville Drug Co., 3.
W. C. Manning, Mgr.

E. C. T. S. Notes

Saturday evening, April 8, the music departments gave an informal musical in the auditorium. The music was especially good and the program was well rendered.

Mr. H. E. Austin spoke to the Beaufort county Teachers' Association at Washington, Saturday April 1st.

Mr. C. W. Wilson attended the Wayne County Commencement at Goldsboro Friday, March 31st.

The singing class from the Oxford Orange gave a concert in the auditorium Saturday evening, March 25th.

Recently on Sunday evenings the services of the Y. W. C. A. have been conducted by pastors from the churches in Greenville. Mr. C. M. Rock of the Baptist Church and Mr. J. H. Stone of the Methodist church.

On Saturday evening April 1st, the young men of the Jarvis Memorial Literary Society gave a public debate. The query was, Resolved, that women should have the right of suffrage in North Carolina. The affirmative was ably supported by Messrs. Rowe and Harper and the negative by Messrs. Ricks and Linton. The judges, Messrs. F. C. Harding, H. B. Smith and F. M. Wooten, decided that the negative won and that Mr. Harper had the best speech.

Sunday evening April 2nd, the Y. W. C. A. had its annual service for the installation of new officers. President Wright conducted the service and made a remarkably clear and impressive talk defining the spirit that had characterized the Association and outlining the policy which it must follow in order to fulfill its mission. The outgoing president, Miss Pattie Dowell, made an excellent talk in resigning her office to Miss Agnes Smith. Miss Smith then graciously accepted the office and its responsibilities.

The officers for the coming year are as follows: Miss Agnes Smith, President; Miss Minnie B. Dail, Vice president; Miss Willie G. Day, Secretary; Miss Ruth Dowell, Treasurer.

The following are the names of the faculty for the summer course which begins June 1st: Mr. H. E. Austin, Science; Mr. D. A. Meadows, English; Miss Sallie J. Davis, History; Miss Muffy, Music; Miss Pugh, Household Economics; Dr. Strayer of Columbia University, School Adm.; Mr. Barnes, Teachers College, Pedagogy; Mr. H. F. Harding, Charlotte, Latin; Miss Miriam McFadyen, Clarkton, Primary Methods; Miss Estelle Davis, Washington, Mathematics.

Among the men of letters the postman is the most popular.

Williamston Takes The Lead

Williamston township in Martin county, recently held an election on the question of issuing \$40,000 in bonds to build good roads in the township and the measure was carried. This is the first township in any Eastern county to take such a step, but it will not be long before Greenville does likewise. A bill was passed by the last legislature giving authority to Greenville township to vote on the proposition of issuing bonds for \$50,000 for building roads in the township. We do not know just when the election will be held here, but certainly inside of six months, or when the farmers get through with their busy season. In the meantime the sentiment for good roads is growing and the bond issue will carry when the question comes to a vote.—Greenville Reflector.

Bound to Right Itself

The hesitation the average jury feels in bringing in a verdict of first-degree murder even when the evidence is somewhat conclusive has been illustrated once more by a recent verdict in New Hanover county. The presiding judge—R. B. Peoples—felt so strongly that justice had miscarried that he lectured the jurymen in rather caustic language upon their failure to weigh the interest of the State in their effort to be just to the defendant. The deplorable tendency in North Carolina which is rapidly making it safer to commit homicide than to steal a sack of flour has been commented upon in not a few editorial columns. That the tendency is a dangerous one is not open to dispute. Nevertheless, it is not necessary to take too gloomy a view of the situation. Such evils when they become gross are remedied by the very fact of their grossness. Periods may occur in which it is difficult to secure conviction for murder, but the entire past record of the people who make up the juries in North Carolina is against the belief that such a condition will become permanent. Some fine day a jury in this State is going to surprise itself by sending a man whom public sentimentality has acquitted to the electric chair in Raleigh, and we believe that day is not very far distant.—Charlotte Observer.

In cases of rheumatism relief from pain makes sleep and rest possible. This may be obtained by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by All Dealers.

Death of Mr. W. R. Stalls

The death of W. Raleigh Stalls occurred at his home in Bear Grass Township, April 6th, 1911. He was born on July 14th, 1848. In early manhood he married Miss Miza Collier, who died in the year 1892, leaving five children: W. L. David, Green; Joseph, and Boss Stalls.

For some time Mr. Stalls had been in feeble health and spent much of the time with his son, W. L. Stalls, in Williamston. He had lived the quiet life of the farmer, and was a kind neighbor, which was attested by the tender attention given him by friends and neighbors during his last sickness. These kindnesses were deeply appreciated by his family and will ever be remembered.

The funeral services were conducted on April 7th by Elder John Rodgerson, of the Primitive Baptist Church. A large number of friends and acquaintances were present to pay the last mark of respect to the departed friend.

Death of a Young Man

The sudden death of James Robert Lanier at the State Hospital, Saturday morning, April 8th, was a shock to his family who reside four miles south of Williamston. For the past year the young man had been in delicate health and several weeks ago he was taken to the State Hospital at Raleigh for treatment. The family here had no news of any change in his condition. He was the son of James and Cornelia Lanier and was born at the old homestead near Williamston, December 24th, 1874. All the years of his life had been spent with his mother and sisters.

The hospital authorities were instructed to ship the body, and it arrived on the 11:10 train on Sunday and was carried to the family cemetery and there interred. Elder Sylvester Hassell, of the Primitive Baptist Church, conducted the services at 3 o'clock Monday and a large number of sympathizing friends were present.

ROBERSONVILLE NEWS ITEMS

Local Happenings and People who are Coming and Going, Here, There and Yonder as Gathered by our Regular Correspondent.

John Roebuck, of Leens, was here Monday.

John Lewis, of Scotland Neck, was here Monday.

T. L. Grimes, of Suffolk, was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. Hight visited friends in Greenville last week.

Miss Ori Taylor, of near Oak Grove, was here Monday.

Elder M. P. Smith and daughter went to Washington Saturday.

Mrs. Charlie Rawls and son, Guy, spent Monday in Rocky Mount.

Miss Louise Rives and sister, of Greenville, were here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Congleton, of Oakley, were in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Jesse Ward and Miss Isabella Morton went to Bethel Monday.

Elder G. D. Roberson filled his regular appointment at Farmville Sunday.

Dr. Vernon Ward and wife, of Bethel, visited Mrs. Jesse Ward this week.

Misses Lill Cherry and Allie Estell Green, of Greenville, were in town Monday.

Misses Myrna Hight and Bettie Roberson spent the week end with Miss Selma Everett.

Mrs. Bob Harrison and children, of Bear Grass, spent Monday with Mrs. M. T. Britton.

Misses Emma, Nolie and Joseph Roberson visited their aunt at Grindool last week.

Mrs. Ida Parken and Mrs. Vernon Carson of Oak Grove, spent Sunday with Mrs. J. C. Congleton.

Elder Adams, of Angier, Harnett County, preached at the Primitive Baptist Church Tuesday a. m.

Mrs. Cornelius James and Mrs. Kate Tripp and daughter went to Williamston Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Charles Godwin.

An Extensive Order

The Atlantic Coast Line is showing its faith as to future conditions, in that it has placed the following extensive order for additional equipment: 15 pacific type passenger engines, 20 large freight engines, 25 passenger coaches, 4 combination mail and express cars, 1400 box cars, 50 phosphate cars, 50 ballast cars, 20 caboose cars.

This equipment will be delivered and will place the Coast Line in position to meet the demands of the traveling and shipping public.

This large order of freight equipment, taken in conjunction with the extensive double tracking and bridge work going on at various points on the line, indicates that the Atlantic Coast Line proposes to keep in the front ranks of Southern Railways.

Gov. Kitchin at Robersonville

Gov. W. W. Kitchin has been secured to make the Commencement address at Robersonville, April 28th. Both teachers and pupils are busily engaged in preparing an excellent program for that occasion. These exercises, together with an address by the State's Chief Executive, will no doubt serve as a splendid climax to the present school year which has been a most successful one. The Governor's presence here, as well as his speech, will doubtless bring out a large crowd, for his ability as a public speaker is well known.