

NATION NEEDS TO RETURN TO "HOME"

Rev. R. L. Alexander, Preaching to Woodmen, Stresses Importance of Home

Declaring that re-establishment and revival of the institution of the Home, in its fullest sense, is the nation's supreme need, Rev. R. L. Alexander preached a powerful sermon to the Woodmen of the World last Sunday, excerpts from the discourse following:

TEXT—Genesis 18:18-19 — *Abraham shall surely become a mighty and great nation, for he will command his children and his household, and they shall keep the way of the Lord.*

The revival that society most needs today is the revival of an institution that is older than the Church, more important than the Church, than good government, than trade, and schools, and which if permitted to suffer eclipse and decline, will seal the doom of human progress. I refer to the home. The revival that society most needs today is the revival of the Christian home.

The interests of the home are more important than the interest of trade, the discipline of the home is more essential than good government. The sanctity of the home is more important than eugenics. The devotion of the home is a finer thing than philanthropy. The interests of the home are higher than the interest of the school, the revival of the home is more important than the revival of the Church, and is of more concern than personal salvation, by as much as the cause is in advance of the results. It is important to get people saved, but if the conversion, the change is to come at the best time, if it is to last and produce the best results, if in many cases it is to come at all, it will be because of—parental example and prayer, because of the holy influences wielded by a godly father and a pious mother in a Christian home.

The home is an institution fighting for its life, the roar and rush of modern life claiming our time, the outside attractions, are all a menace to the peace quiet and simplicity of true home life.

Marriage has been fearfully cheapened, entered into lightly and lightly set aside. Marriage is a moral act made so by God, and human law can never make moral what divine law has made immoral.

Christianity stands for parental authority, to every child the command is, "Honor thy father and thy mother." Parental authority in the average home is a joke, it has been reduced to a shadow.

The most important element in the home is the atmosphere of reverence, and no child's soul has a fair chance who is not taught prayer and the great truths about God and future life. What is the religious life of your home? Do you make any provision for the spiritual. Is the blessing asked at your table? Have you a family altar. Beware of a prayerless home.

Great battles are being fought here in America for human rights, we must have leaders who possess courage and strength to stand against privilege, and citizens whose ideals are high and clean, and who place the moral welfare of society above party schemes and private gain. And for the making of such leaders and citizens we must have Christian homes. The Christian home is needed for the sake of the Church. The Church is dependent on the home for reinforcement. The Christian home is needed for the sake of your children. You love them, and would do any thing for them. But are you doing the best? Are you setting them a Christian example? Are you sending them out to life's battles strong with Christian principles, so that when temptation comes they may stand. May the Lord help us to save our homes.

Blantyre Breezes

Mrs. Jerry Orr and children, Harold and Thelma, are this week with Mrs. Orr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Moody.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moody of Holly Springs, were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Simpson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Talley visited Mrs. Talley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Maxwell, Sunday.

Mrs. John Reed spent Sunday with Mrs. Lee Moody, who has been ill for some time.

Grady Justus called on Ralph Reed last Tuesday.

Mrs. Otho Scott spent one day last week with Mrs. J. T. Justus.

Jesse and Dorothy Simpson had as their guests Sunday their cousins, little Julia May and Edward Moody.

John Reed, Raymond Reed and Charlie Orr made a business trip to Asheville Saturday.

Mrs. Guy Newton of Little River, called at Mr. D. R. Justus' Sunday afternoon.

Little Hamilton Hollingsworth is spending some time with his uncle, J. E. Talley.

Mrs. Irene Davis visited Mrs. Jas. Maxwell, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Beck and children of Etowah, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Moody, Sunday.

Mrs. D. S. Morgan called on Mrs. John Reed one day last week.

Our Sunday school attendance is increasing. We extend a cordial invitation to everybody to come and help in the good work. Come on and let's do our bit for the Lord.

One Tongue

Husband and wife were watching a team pulling a load up a hill.

Wife: "I wish we could pull together as nicely."

Husband: "There is only one tongue between them."

STATE TRANSPORTS PUPILS AT LOW COST

More Children Transported and at Lower Cost Than Other States

Raleigh, June 17.—North Carolina now transports more children to school, and on a per capita basis and hauls them at less expense than any other State, according to a recent issue of State School Facts, publication of the State Department of Public Instruction.

"The average cost per pupil transported in this State," that paper points out, "was only \$11.67 during 1928-29, whereas the average for the United States was \$23.02. The highest cost per pupil is \$34.44 in the District of Columbia. The highest cost per pupil in any state is that of \$49.41 in Wyoming."

During 1929-30 this State hauled 181,494 children at public expense. Indiana ranks next to North Carolina in the number of children carried to school at public expense, that state having hauled 145,715 pupils. The total cost of transportation in Indiana, however, was double that of this State. Whereas it cost approximately \$2,000,000 in North Carolina, the state of Indiana paid nearly \$4,000,000 for its school transportation service.

"Transportation of school children at public expense," according to School Facts, "began in this State during the year 1912-13. All early transportation was done by horse-drawn vehicles. In 1917 the first motor truck for carrying pupils to school was purchased by Pamlico county. Beginning in 1914-15 with 6 vehicles hauling 247 children this activity has grown until at present more than 4,000 motor vehicles are used in carrying daily 181,494 children and serving 1,266 schools. These 4,046 conveyances traveled 108,000 miles daily, a distance more than four times around the earth."

Lake Toxaway News

Mr. and Mrs. Ranson Galloway and family of Gloucester, Ohio, are guests of Mr. Galloway's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Galloway, this week.

Chris Fisher spent last Friday and Saturday in Asheville.

The Toxaway B. Y. P. U. gave Mr. Clayton Randolph of Rosman a "pounding" last Wednesday. All reported a nice time.

Ralph Alexander was on the sick list last Friday.

Rev. J. M. Green and little son of Rosman, spent last Friday afternoon in Toxaway visiting friends and the sick.

J. C. and Oscar McCall of Oakland, spent last Friday with L. C. and Warren Case.

Mrs. Ray Miller and little son of Franklin spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Lee.

John Corbin of Rosman, was in Toxaway last week on business.

Mrs. Bishop Teague was very sick last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Posie Owen, a daughter, on Wednesday, June 17.

Mrs. F. Y. Willbanks has returned home from Ware Shoals, S. C., where she has been visiting relatives for several weeks.

C. C. Hall and little daughter Lucy returned home from Norfolk, Va., last Saturday, where they have been visiting Mrs. Hall's daughter and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Ladd of Hendersonville, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Arrowood last Sunday.

Rev. J. M. Green of Rosman filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday and Sunday night. He also preached at Namur in the afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Frances Cruso of Norfolk, Va., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hall.

Mrs. Kate Willbanks and son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Willbanks of West Asheville, spent last Sunday with Mrs. Willbanks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Henkle, at Namur.

Mrs. D. T. Gillespie and daughters, Miss Paulet and Virginia and Misses Essie Owen and Edith Sanders spent last Saturday in Asheville.

Mrs. W. W. Ray spent a few days in Brevard last week with friends.

Mrs. W. P. Crooms and little son, Billie, of Danville, Va., and Miss Carrie McNeely of Brevard, were guests of Mrs. Walter McNeely last week.

Mrs. D. C. Scruggs had as her guests last week, her mother, Mrs. Cunningham of Brevard, and her aunt from Washington, D. C.

Miss Blanche Arrowood is spending this week in Hendersonville with friends.

Miss Hancock, of Ware Shoals, S. C., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. F. Y. Willbanks.

Mrs. W. P. Crooms of Danville, Va., were in Oakland last week visiting Mrs. Fred McNeely.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Thomas were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. McCall, last Sunday at Oakland.

Rev. J. M. Green was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Williams last Sunday.

J. E. Ruffy of Brevard, was in Toxaway last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Fannie McCoy spent last Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Arrowood Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Cope Lee and children and Taylor Lee spent last Friday at Selma.

Misses Mildred and Mary Caroline McIntosh of Brevard were in Toxaway last Sunday.

Lyle McCoy and Harrison Hall were Selma visitors last Sunday.

O'Neil Owen was in Brevard last Friday night.

Quebec and Toxaway played baseball at Toxaway last Saturday. Score was 5-8 in favor of Toxaway.

SCOUTS HAVE DAY AT PENROSE

(By Fred Miller)

Saturday, June 20, the scouts of Troop I spent the day at Camp Transylvania. The Kiwanis club invited the boys to enjoy the little trip. Our Troop is sponsored by the Kiwanis. They are very much interested in us and are anxious that each boy in the Troop learn how to swim.

The Scouts took their own lunch, but the Kiwanis Club furnished dessert. Each boy was given all the ice cream and hot dogs he could eat. The troop sure had one swell feed. Mr. Alexander represented the Kiwanis and spent most of the day with the campers. Mr. Alexander is also our Assistant-scoutmaster.

Most of the boys tried to see how badly they could get sunburned. The tennis courts were used almost all day but chief sport was swimming. Every boy went in but one. Every scout who was present can swim fifty yards except one. This boy during the day, and promises to be a just waiting for the next swimming period but a few of the scouts looked most of the boys spent the day just waiting for the next swimming period but a few of the scouts looked around to see what they could see. A wide variety of bird nests was found. Several of the birds were unknown to the boys so they had to look them up later.

All in all the scouts certainly had a big day. The Troop is very grateful to the Kiwanis club and will look forward to another similar occasion in the future.

PENROSE HAP'NINGS

Hail played havoc several days ago over a small area in Little River's rich farming section, beating crops into the ground and making complete re-planting necessary. Over an area about half a mile wide and one mile long, the hail fell in great quantities, being four feet deep in some of the places where drifts were formed by the heavy winds that accompanied the hail storm. About Penrose, Davidson River and Pisgah Forest much hail fell, but not in sufficient quantity to do much harm.

The area suffering most was at the head of the fertile Little River valley, the storm passing from there on over the wooded area about the power dam. Older residents of the community declare that no other such hail storm has ever been experienced in that community. The farmers whose crops suffered most have replanted their crops.

Rev. J. L. Bragg, pastor of Enon church, administered the ordinance of baptism Sunday to 20 candidates in a beautiful way, using Mr. Carl Talley's lake as a baptistry. There was a large number of people in attendance. Church services followed at the church, the pastor presenting a good sermon on "Naaman the Leper."

Penrose folks have enjoyed two good rains, one Friday and another Sunday. We sympathize with some of our Little River neighbors who are said to have received much damage by hail last Friday.

Personal mention should have been made last week of several students of our community who are back home from college: Billie Middleton has been in Furman University of Greenville, S. C. Randall and Leon Lyday and Holland Talley are in from the A. and E. College of Raleigh. Wilson Lyday has been in Mars Hill College. Miss Ethel Williams finished her third year in the Asheville Normal and Collegiate. Miss Williams deserves a special write-up in winning

Quebec News Items

Miss Louise Owen entertained at her home Thursday night, quite a number of young people. Games were played, fortunes told, and refreshments served.

Misses Elsie and Frances Morgan of Cherryfield, called on Mrs. C. W. Henderson, Mrs. Gene Moore and Miss Helen Henderson Thursday.

Lyle Henderson, who is working at Asheville, spent Wednesday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Welch Reid and children surprised friends and relatives by coming in from the West, reaching here Tuesday night.

Several people of the community joined in cemetery clearing and decorating of the graves Sunday.

A large number from Quebec attended the baptizing at Rosman last Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mary Etta Fisher left for Fairfield last Saturday, where she will begin work for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Whitmore and uncle, Jack, motored to Greenville, S. C., on Sunday.

W. B. Henderson, Helen and Broadus Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Moore and Reba McCall were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Henderson Sunday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Reece has as her guests Sunday, Mrs. Avery Reid and family and Mr. and Mrs. Mich Neely.

Miss Nell Robinson and Cecil Robinson and Paul McCoy motored to Fairfield Sunday.

A large crowd from here attended the baseball game at Toxaway, between the Quebec boys and Toxaway.

Rev. and Mrs. J. K. Henderson visited the former's mother, "Grandma" Henderson Sunday.

Aunt Polla McCall, Mrs. Homer McCall and Dee McCall called on Aunt Lydia Raines Sunday.

Clyde McCall and family made a trip to Gloucester on Monday.

Mrs. Bill Fisher is improving after a recent illness.

honors in her work. In her first year and maybe others, she is reported as making the highest grades of the several hundred girls in her school. She has won three cash prizes to the amount of \$70 or \$80. She represented the Normal in the State Peace Oratorical contest against representatives from the State University, Elon College, Guilford College, Duke and others, winning second prize. Again she represented her school in "The Convention" of the Southern Association of Teachers, held at Atlanta, and won third place, using as her subject "American Prosperity." Also she won first place

as student in comprehensive Bible study in her school. It is reported that mention has not been made in The News of Miss Marie Case of this community, who holds the honor of being the leading member of Brevard high senior class. We hope there will be a good future for this bright girl.

NOTICE and SUMMONS IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
State of North Carolina
County of Transylvania
FLORENCE SMITH
The defendant, ALEXANDER SMITH, do hereby name will

take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Transylvania County to obtain an absolute divorce by said plaintiff from said defendant; the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to answer the complaint filed in this cause within 30 days from the completion of service of summons by publication, or file her demurrer to said complaint or plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

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4.50-20 Chevrolet	5.60	5.60	10.90	5.00-20 Essex	7.10	7.10	13.80	5.00-19 Franklin	11.40	11.40	22.70
4.50-21 Ford	5.69	5.69	11.10	5.25-18 Marquette Oldsmobile	7.99	7.99	15.30	6.00-20 LaSalle Packard	11.50	11.50	22.30
4.75-19 Ford	6.65	6.65	12.90	5.25-21 Buick	8.57	8.57	16.70	6.00-21 Pierce-A	11.65	11.65	22.60
4.75-20 Erskine Plymouth	6.75	6.75	13.10	5.50-18 Auburn Jordan	8.75	8.75	17.00	6.50-20 Stutz	13.10	13.10	25.40
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