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Whiskey Raiding In Virginia. By Prohibition Officers Willard C. Rector And Others.

Mr. W. C. Rector has returned home after having been up in Virginia for quite a while. He cleaned up as usual. They were four Prohibition Officers they was five men caught, Mr. Rector catching four of them out of five. They captured some large trucks loaded with as high as 2 hundred gallons of whiskey. He also caught a two horse wagon load of liquor and the driver. One place they got four hundred gallons of liquor besides the large amounts of beer they poured out and fermenters cut up. We will have to say this is what you call, "going to it"

Old Fashioned Home Now Being Discarded

Dr. Dyer Declares It Is
America's Greatest
Institution

LAKE JUNALUSKA. July 2. Laughter and tears struggled for supremacy under the spell of Dr. Gus W. Dyer's portrayal of the ideal home which he characterized as America's greatest institution. Dr. Dyer's address, which was on "The Family, the Home and the Child," was an important feature of the Social Service Conference, which opened Sunday. He swayed his audience as he described a typical, old fashioned home as America's greatest institution and one which he said in modern times had been repudiated and discarded. "This home," said Dr. Dyer, "is in the country off to itself; it is built of logs, has three or four rooms; there is a yard of green grass where roses and lilacs and honeysuckles bloom; the walls are whitewashed and clean and outside is a shelf where rests the water pail with an old fashioned spring where typhoid and malaria germs are afraid to tarry; beyond is the old fashioned spring house where milk and butter and watermelons are kept cool; further out the orchard with its peach and cherry trees where on summer nights the family gathers under the shades of the trees to peel and eat the luscious fruit and listen to the halleluiah chorus of the frogs, the duet of the katydids, the hoot of the big owl that makes the baby boy nestle more closely against his mother's breast as she sing in unending notes of love, "Rockabye Baby." I think there is no other spot where angels of God love so well to hover as around a mother who pours out her life in service that her boys and girls may grow up to be useful men and women.

Young man if you want a nice suit at the right price, go to E. R. Tweed's.

This Word is Brought Home By Rev. L. A. Zimmerman Of The Laurel Presbyterian Church.

In number of members of amount given for missions and educations and the number of foreign missionaries the Presbyterian denomination is larger than ever before. This word is brought home by Rev. L. A. Zimmerman of the Laurel Presbyterian Church, who has just returned from Indianapolis, Ind., where for ten days the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., has been holding its annual session.

This highest legislative body of the Church is representative of all the 10,000 congregations in this country and was attended by more than 950 commissioners, half ministers and half laymen, together with hundreds of other Presbyterians. There were sixty foreign missionaries and half as many home missionaries present out of the force of 5,000 missionaries which the church has in this and other lands.

The total membership is now over 1,800,000 with an average of more than 2,000 men and women and children a week joining the church during the past year. The net growth was about 44,000, considerably more than a year ago.

The 10,000 congregations gave to all church purposes about \$50,000,000. This included expenses of local congregations, which jumped \$5,000,000 for the year, and all mission and educational work.

Although more money was given to missions than before, the expenses have been larger; and the Board of Home Missions, which has not been receiving as much cash as it expected, was faced with the possibility of dismissing 100 of the 611 home missionaries which it helps to support. Action taken on the floor of Assembly by representatives of certain synods assured the Board additional money so that it is probable that the proposed cut in this end of the work will be avoided. It was also announced that the debt of \$462,000 which the Home Board reported a year ago has been paid in addition to gifts to current expenses. Of this amount one man gave more than \$140,000. Contribution of \$32 from a small Indian church, the members of which gave up coffee drinking, and similar small sums made up to the total.

Interest in the Indianapolis meeting was large because of the completion of the work of reorganizing sixteen benevolent and educational Boards of the Church into four organizations. The announced intention of William Jennings Bryan to run for the office of Moderator of Assembly together with certain doctrinal matters scheduled for discussion attracted large attention to the gathering.

Dr. Charles F. Wishart of Wooster College, Wooster, Ohio, was elected Moderator by a vote of 451 to 487 for Mr. Bryan.

The denomination has entrusted its promotional work to a General Council of 27 men which absorbs the work previously done by the New Era Movement and the Executive Commission of the Church. During the four years the New Era Movement has been in active operation the expenses of congregations of the Church have increased from 21 millions to 35 1/2 million dollars, mission gifts have increased in almost the same ratio and the growth in membership has been marked. After more than two hours' de-

AN OPEN LETTER To The People Of Marshall

Friends All:--
Have been with you for about a year. During that time have lectured and preached and given you other programs to such an extent that I am mentally fatigued and physically weary. So am taking a much needed rest. Am sure you wish me well, don't you? If you don't you ought to be ashamed of yourself.

To my friends, I say—God bless and keep you in all your ways, and make you the greatest kind of a blessing the rest of your days. I thank you, with all my heart, for all the kindnesses you have shown toward me—co-operation extended, etc. Assure you that within this little breast of mine there is a warm spot for you, everyone. If I can ever be of service, shall be most glad of the opportunity.

To my enemies, I say—God bless you, too. It is an old and true saying—that a man is known just as much by the enemies he has made as by the friends he has been able to make. Have been told that the best people in town are my friends. We will let it go at that. To those who are my enemies, however, I wish to say that I wish them the pleasantest kind of a greeting and wish them well, both in this old world and the one to come. Perhaps in the next world they will understand me better. I really hope they will get to Heaven.

Will be gone for about a month. During that time my prayer and desire is that none of us shall allow the things of this world—its business, pleasures, or anything else, to come between us and HIM. May the SPIRIT of the Living Christ guide and direct us in all our ways.

Cordially Yours,
EVAN RIDGE EVANS.

EPHESIANS 3:14 to 21.

bate, participated in to a large extent by Mr. Bryan, the Assembly adopted instead of a resolution by Mr. Bryan a paper proposed by John Willis Baer, a banker of Pasadena, Calif., which read as follows:

That Synods and Presbyteries within whose bounds Presbyterian supported academies, colleges and training schools are located are hereby instructed to exercise careful oversight over the instruction given in such institutions and that Synods and Presbyteries withhold their official approval from such academies, colleges and training schools where any teaching or instruction is given which seeks to establish a materialistic evolutionary philosophy of life or which disregards or attempts to discredit the Christian faith.

The Assembly adopted enthusiastically a resolution proposed by Mr. Bryan urging pastors, officers and members and college professors and students to pledge total abstinence from alcoholic liquor as a beverage. The church believes that the cultivation of a sentiment in favor of abstinence will be a big aid in enforcing the prohibition laws.

One of the most important debates of the church in a dozen years took place May 23, when the committee on bills and overtures reported a majority and minority report concerning an overture from the Presbytery of Philadelphia in which General Assembly was urged to direct the Presbytery of New York to see that the preaching in the First Presbyterian church of that city was in accord with the doctrines of the Presbyterian denomination. The report favoring the passage of such a resolution was supported by only one of the twenty-three members of the bills and overtures committee, composed of ministers and laymen from all parts of the country. Assembly by a vote of 439 to 359 adopted the report of the minority after a four hour session. A roll call of all the Commissioners was necessary to decide which report was desired by

the body.

Many churches in different parts of the country sent their pastors to the Assembly, paying their expenses, so that they might gather some of the inspiration and facts which always make these denominational gatherings helpful.

Reports by the Boards of the Church showed that last year the Church paid to ministers, widows and orphans a total of \$640,000 as pensions and expects to increase this amount each year. Steps were taken through a committee of prominent laymen to raise a large sum of money as endowment for the Board of Ministerial Relief and Sustentation, pension agent of the denomination. Will H. Hays, former postmaster general, is one of the prominent men of all sections of the country on this campaign committee.

The Assembly announced that no educational funds of the church may go to any college which has an instructor who is not a member of the Christian Church.

Strong resolutions were adopted looking to the enforcement of the prohibition laws. The Assembly next year will meet at Grand Rapids, Mich.

Stolen Automobile Found In Henderson.

Automobile stolen from the establishment of the J. R. Swann Motor Company, 51 Southside Avenue, early Sunday morning has been recovered and Henderson and Buncombe County authorities are searching for two unidentified men, wanted on charges of stealing the machine and transporting whiskey.

The men abandoned the car about three miles from Hendersonville when confronted by Henderson County officers. Bloodhounds were taken to the scene, but the men eluded capture.

We have the nicest line of young Men's suits, we have ever had. I. R. Tweed.

DEMPSEY WINS FROM TOM GIBBON'S ON Points. Fought 15 rounds Neither One Knocked Off Feet.

Fork Of Ivy News Babies Killed Each Year.

Rev. N. B. Phillipp delivered a very interesting and instructive sermon Sunday. Several out-of-town folks were present Mr. Lovis Briggs, J. F. Phiilipp and wife from Burnsville Mr. Dallas Buckner, New Bridge. Mrs. Emmef Bynum, Asheville, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sams, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sams, Asheville.

On last Wednesday Miss Mattie Marshbank and Mr. James Fuller Sams were quietly married. We all wish them happiness and success in life.

Miss Ethel Morgan returned to Winston Salem Monday after spending three weeks at home.

Miss Viola Ledford and brother Thomas motored to Hot Springs Friday returned Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Brown recently visited her two children at Thomasville N. C.

Mr. Fred Ammons of Wilson N. C. is home for a few days.

Mr. Herman Anderson was in town Saturday.

Mr. Guy Buckner left for Winston Salem last week.

Miss Mary Morgan is spending a few days in Asheville.

Mr. Fred Sams of Asheville was a pleasant week-end visitor.

Miss Itasca Foster of Asheville Summer School spent the week-end at home.

Mrs. Jack Whitt of Indiana is spending a few months with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Whitt.

Several of our people attended church at New Bridge Sunday night.

Mars Hill College

A Junior College For Young Men and Young Women

FACTS
Enrollment, 481, Ministerial, students, 56 Widowment, \$25,000 Value of Plant, \$160,000 Expenses reasonable Twenty-six years under the same management.

Baptists of Mars Hill Have Picnic

Mars Hill, July 2.—Members of the local Baptist Church in large numbers attended a delightful picnic at Laurel Park, Hendersonville. Five trucks and 20 passenger cars furnished free transportation. A fine dinner was furnished by the women of the church and after the meal a number enjoyed swimming in the lake.

Those in charge of the outing were: Rev. J. R. Owen the pastor; N. S. Whitaker, Superintendent of the Sunday School, and the teachers and department heads.

Reward

Strayed or stolen from my place Friday 22, little Brown hound dog, if found please return to me at Marshall and receive reward.
Dewey Lisenbee

It is given to but few of us to save even one life a year. But there is a way in which Madison county can save many lives each year. Unless an individual has had it called to his attention, he does not realize the large number of babies killed each year, the most of whom are dying from preventable causes. Nearly everyone, if he pauses to think a moment, can recall one or more babies dying before it is a year old. The chances are that this baby died from infant diarrhoea or colitis. Many can recall young mothers dying at childbirth. These deaths are practically always unnecessary.

One of the best ways in which to attempt to lower the maternal and infant deaths, is for the county to employ a nurse whose duty it would be to visit the homes and help the mothers with their problems. She would tell the mother the best methods of clothing and feeding her baby and advise her about any problems that arose with the baby. There are few women who either during pregnancy or during their baby's first two years of life have not felt the need of someone to advise them concerning their problems which they feel reticent of taking to their physician. The infant Hygiene nurse would fill this need for that would be her primary duty: to help the mother as she visits the home. If she discovers anything a miss, she will be glad to tell the mother the trouble, if necessary advising an early consultation with the family physician. Your physician is always alert to prevent illness and he always wants to be called before it is too late to cure his patient. The mother might not have noticed the trouble with her baby for it might have been coming on so slowly.

North Carolina has been one of the first states to awaken to the need of this work and we should feel proud of our State for this step. It gives material help to any county desiring to inaugurate this work by contributing one half the amount necessary to properly carry on this work. Our county, to secure this needed, work would have to contribute only one hundred and four dollars a month.

Madison county needs this work, for over forty percent of all your deaths not including stillbirths even, occur among babies under two years of age and among expectant mothers. Such a work is so needed that the expense should not be considered: one mother's life saved would more than cover the entire outlay and more than one life saved would make the nurse's work invaluable. She will not only save life but she would save sickness. It is impossible to deny that a sick mother lessens the chances of her family receiving the proper amount of care, it also is true that a baby sick through its baby days stands much less chance of growing up to be a strong, healthy, happy citizen. So, let's all endorse this movement to give Madison's mother's and babies better chances of living long and useful lives.

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