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All Over the Conference.

General Conference number next week.

Do not forget to subscribe for the General Conference daily.

The Sunday School of Central gave a very pleasant entertainment on last Thursday night.

Rev. W. C. Norman commenced a series of meetings in Trinity Church, Durham, on last Sunday.

Revs. W. L. Cuninggim and G. R. Rood, were so kind as to make us a visit on last Friday.

Rev. G. T. Adams talked for the Edenton Street Leaguers on last Monday night. Of course, he gave them something good.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bynum of Bynums, strong friends of the 'Old Raleigh,' paid us a pleasant visit on last Tuesday.

The Tar River Circuit Sunday School Conference will be held at Ebenezer, May 10, 1902, beginning at 9:30 a. m.

Dr. O. E. Brown, of Vanderbilt University, will preach the Baccalaureate Sermon at the Commencement of the University of North Carolina.

Dr. E. A. Yates went to Charlotte last week to officiate at the marriage of Mr. J. M. Tull of Birmingham, Ala., and Miss Elizabeth Yates Clarkson.

Rev. Alexander Walker has the sympathies of all his friends and brethren in the death of his wife Mrs. Harriet Walker, who died at her home in Durham on last Saturday.

It is with sadness that we note the death of the wife of Rev. H. M. Blair, editor of the North Carolina Christian Advocate. He has our deepest sympathies in his great loss.

Rev. J. J. Barker writes that he and his family are now occupying the newly purchased parsonage at Bethel. He says that it is one of the nicest and most convenient parsonages he has ever occupied.

Did you notice that a formal report as to the number of Raleigh Advocates taken in the District was incorporated in the regular Minutes of the Wilmington District Conference? This looks like business.

We learn from an exchange that the physicians give Dr. Jno. R. Brooks reason to hope that he may yet regain his old time vigor and the normal use of his vocal organs. This news is very gratifying to the many friends of Dr. Brooks.

Dr. W. P. Few, of Trinity College, has returned from his home in South Carolina, where he went on account of his eyes. His hosts of friends are glad to know that he is much improved and will go to work again.—Exchange.

We were pleased to have a visit on last Saturday from Prof. D. M. Norwood, Principal of Damascus High School. He is a Methodist of fine Methodist stock. His school will close on Friday, April 25. There will be a concert at night.

The Wilmington District Conference passed a resolution in favor of an earnest effort by the preachers and laymen of that District to aid in the movement for the betterment of the common schools. We trust that the District Conferences to be held will show a like interest in common school education.

It is with pleasure that we announce the publication of Dr. W. F. Tillet's new book, 'Personal Salvation; Studies in

Christian Doctrine Pertaining to the Spiritual Life." This book will have a large sale especially in North Carolina, the State from which the author hails. A further notice of the book will appear in this paper.

Dr. Henry Van Dyke says: "The peril of the city Church lies in the temptation to make itself an annex and an imitation, rather than a refuge and a contrast. The Church must always be separate from the world, in the sense that the Church has something distinct and different to offer.

There are 10,000 missionaries. There are 1,000,000,000 heathen in the world. Each missionary is responsible for 100,000 souls. In India there is only one Christian teacher to 275,000 of the population. In China there is one ordained minister to every 1,000,000 natives. Christians are giving at the rate of one tenth of one cent a day for the support of missions.—Exchange.

The Trinity College extension lectures will be held this year in Trinity Methodist Church. The lecture will be delivered by Dr. Edwin Mims, who holds the chair of English literature in Trinity College. His subject for the series will be "Some Phases of American Life and Literature." This series comprises three lectures, which will be delivered April 29, 30, and May 1.

Mr. Walter Mills an active Methodist at Biscoe, has placed all friends of the Orphanage under obligations to him for a gift of \$1,000 to this institution. This donation, secured by Rev. J. B. Hurley, is a great help just at this time, and all Methodists in the Conference will be grateful. Bro. Hurley spent last Sunday at Rocky Mount and secured from the liberal people of that congregation about \$350.00.

The Commissioners appointed by our College of Bishops, under authority of the last General Conference, "to ascertain and report to the next session of the General Conference what is the constitution of the Church; and also, separately, such amendments as they may recommend to render it symmetrical in form and substance," has printed its report and sent a copy to the delegates elect. It recommends thirteen alterations in said constitution, but they are not vital.—Exchange.

Rev. W. F. Craven filled his regular appointment at the Methodist Church last Sunday morning and night. His sermons were good, especially the one at night. His remarks in regard to the way children should be reared were timely, and it is to be hoped will do good. He referred to the fact that a large number of children in this place are not required to attend school but are permitted to spend much of their time on the streets and learn evil habits.—Sanford Express.

Rev. W. L. Cuninggim has sent in several dozen new subscribers since Conference. When he was in Raleigh last week, we expressed our appreciation of his efforts in behalf of the Advocate. What was his response? "Not at all!" No. It was, "All I have done for the paper was done to help me and my people." We commend this reply to every preacher in the Conference. Furthermore, Bro. Cuninggim says that he proposes to report every subscription in his charge arranged for at the District Conference. Of course, he will report a "clean sheet" all around.

The Inter-Society Debate between the Hesperian and Columbian Literary Societies of Trinity College will be held on Friday evening, May 2, at 8 o'clock, in the Craven Memorial Hall. The following is the query to be discussed: "Resolved, That the United States should restrict immigration to persons able to read and write the English language and owning property to the value of at least fifty dollars." Speakers for the affirmative are W. S. Lowdermilk and G. H. Smith, of the Columbian Society. Those for the negative are W. G. Parker and J. P. Frizzelle, of the Hesperian Society.—Durham Sun.

For Whooping Cough use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

Throughout the Connection.

The increase in the foreign missionary collection from the Southern Methodist Church last year over the collection of the preceding year is \$30,000.

Dr. H. M. Du Bose will deliver the literary address at the commencement of Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Lynchburg, Va., June 10, 1902.

Rev. J. J. Laferty will be editor of the Daily Advocate of the General Conference of the M. E. Church, South, which meets May 7 at Dallas, Texas.

All the churches burned in the great fire at Jacksonville, Florida, are in process of rebuilding, excepting the M. E. Church, which is planning for a \$40,000 building.

Booker T. Washington, principal of Tuskegee, Ala., Normal and Industrial Institute, has bought a house at South Weymouth Mass. for a summer home.

Lieut. G. V. Heidt, a son of Dr. J. W. Heidt, of the North Georgia Conference, has been promoted to the rank of brevet captain in the United States Army for gallantry on the battlefield in the Philippine Islands.

Rev. Sam P. Jones will hold a series of meetings in North Wilkesboro the latter part of May. Preparations are being made and large crowds are expected to come to hear the well-known evangelist.

Drs. Hoss and Du Bose went to Monteagle last Friday to formally accept of a beautiful lot near the assembly grounds, upon which is to be built an Epworth League home for leaguers who visit Monteagle.—St. Louis Advocate.

Our Florida Methodists have organized a board looking to the purchase and preparation of property for a new school, to be known as the Florida Seminary. It is positively announced that it will be opened in September. It is located at Sutherland on the west coast and in the most beautiful and healthful region of the State.—Florida Advocate.

Rev. J. E. McCulloch, who is making a tour of our colleges, writes of good results at each place visited. At Millsaps College seven men offered for the Student Missionary Campaign, several volunteered for the foreign field, two signed the pledge card, and the Church at Jackson, Miss., is taking up the question of supporting a missionary.—Exchange.

Brother T. Nishikawa, our Japanese lay delegate to the General Conference, brings his wife with him. She is well educated and has taught school for years. She comes for postgraduate work, that she may be the better qualified for teaching the women of Japan. He was a student of Central College and at Vanderbilt, and is a great favorite at both places. We give them a hearty welcome.—Go Forward.

Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Hamill returned last week from Arkansas and Mississippi, where they have been engaged in holding Sunday school Institutes. They report a large and enthusiastic attendance at every place which they visited. This does not surprise us. The interest in Sunday schools is everywhere rising; nobody in the United States is more competent to give it an intelligent direction than these tireless workers.—Nashville Advocate.

Among the Churches.

Dr. and Mrs. R. J. Willingham give their son to the Foreign Mission cause. He is an accomplished young minister, and has decided to spend his life in the foreign mission field.

Rev. Chas. Eaton died of angina pectoris on April 14 at Tyron, N. C. The body on its arrival in New York will be placed in the memorial chapel of the Church of the Divine Paternity, of which Dr. Eaton was pastor.

A visiting church member has donated five hundred dollars for improvements to Trinity Episcopal

Church, Asheville, N. C., with request that her name be withheld.

The World's Conference of the Young Men's Christian Associations, which meets once every four years, will be held this year in Christiania, Norway, August 20-24. The Storting or Parliament of Norway has made a government appropriation for this Conference.

A move is on foot by the Catholics of Nashville to purchase the Second Presbyterian Church, which they propose to use for a negro mission. What the negro needs is not more superstition, but more morality. Can the Catholics persuade the "brother in black" to observe the decalogue? We shall see. Midland Methodist.

Dr. Russell H. Conwell, pastor of the Temple, Philadelphia, a Church which has the largest Protestant congregation in America, has been writing, in the Independent, on "How to Make a Church Pay." He declares that there is a great need of men who dare to be original, by which he evidently does not mean extravagant and sensational.

The General Committee of the M. E. Church, which met in Pittsburg, Pa., were compelled to cut their missionary appropriations 8 per cent. The law of their church is that the committee can appropriate only "the exact sum which was received in the year which has just closed." Bishop McCabe says: "To cut down at such a time as this seems like ordering a retreat in the very presence of victory."

The Sunday school world is now eagerly looking forward to the International Sunday School Convention, to be held in Denver, from June 26-30. It will be of more than usual importance, because of the appointment of the Lesson Committee, which will to a large extent determine the character of the lessons used by millions of children and young people for the next six years. Two thousand delegates are expected, and matters of more than ordinary importance will come up for discussion. Among these will be the long-debated question of a quarterly temperance lesson.

Notice.

I am authorized by the General Passenger Agent of the Atlantic Coast Line to say that round trip tickets will be sold from all stations within the District to the Washington District Conference, which meets at Fremont on May, May 13 to 17, final limit 21st. Preachers outside of the District who expect to attend will please notify me. T. J. DAILY.

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A \$100 Typewriter, almost as good as new. A splendid bargain is offered. Write at once to the Raleigh Christian Advocate.

Fourth Volume of North Carolina Regiments.

This volume has just been issued from the press and is ready for delivery. It contains nearly 800 pages, and in interest and appearance is in keeping with the preceding volumes. Send to M. O. Sherrell, State Librarian, for a copy. Price \$1.00 and postage.

Good Housekeeping for May.

Several novel features as valuable as novel, are to be found in the May number of Good Housekeeping. There is, for example, a true story of so-called baking powder made in part from ground rock; there is a mother's story of her training of her sleeping boy; an account of a successful school for the training of house maids, in a small city; a collection of the favorite cooking recipes (fine ones, too) of leading society women of Philadelphia and other Pennsylvania cities; while some of the fire chiefs of our large cities tell how to build a safe home. Helen W. Cooke, M.D., herself a mother, writes of Food for Young Children. The cookery pages are unusually numerous and interesting. Ten cents a copy, one dollar a year. The Phelps Publishing Co., Springfield, Mass., New York, Chicago.

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Receipts.

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April 15.—Rev F B McCall for Mrs P B M, \$1.00; Rev W E Houtt for J C P, 1.50; T A Smithwick, 1.50; Rev E E Rose for J W T, 1.50; Rev J P Pate for J W McW, 1.50; Rev E M Snipes for Mrs S L B, 1.00; Geo W Pleasants, 1.50; Rev E W Fox for J A S, 50c; J H I, 1.50; Rev D A Futrell for J E N, 1.00; Rev J T Dailey for Miss A L, 1.50.

April 16.—Dennis O'Connell, 50c; Rev W C Merritt for D W, 5.00; Rev Jno S Cole for M F W, 2.00; F T M, 1.50; O A D, 3.00; L W, 1.50; Rev J D Bundy for J P T, 1.50; Mrs J W D, 1.50; Mrs E A, 1.50; Rev R H Broom for Mrs K M F, 50c.

April 17.—J C Luther, 75c; Rev W B Humble for R H, 1.00; Rev N H D Wilson for Mrs S J J, 1.50; C L Edge, 1.00; J W Reavis, 1.50; M L Walker, 1.00.

April 18.—Rev R W Bailey for Mrs J T L, 1.00; M T H, 1.50; Mrs M R Swindell, 1.50; R A Hunt, 2.00; Rev J A Dailey for J O Q, 1.00; John Q Humble for T C P, 1.50.

April 19.—A D McCowan, 1.00; Rev F F Jones for W R B, 1.50; Rev W L Cuninggim for W D, 1.50; B N D, 1.50; J E S, 1.50; Mrs E N C, 1.50; Miss C B M, 1.00; Miss R J, 1.00; Miss T W, 1.00; Miss E R, 1.00; Miss M H, 1.00; Miss H C, 1.00; Miss R C, 1.00; Miss E C, 1.00; Miss M W, 1.00; Rev J W Hoyle for Mrs L A T, 1.00; J A H, 75c; J B C, 50c; Mrs F A R, 2.00; M S, 1.50; C W York, 1.50.

April 21.—Mrs F P Snowden, \$1.50; Mrs C H Gray, 4.50; Rev W P Constable for C B, 1.00; C W Bagerson, 3.00; Ed Johnson, 1.50; J E Barker, 1.50.

Ian MacLaren's "Objection"

The managing editor of a leading religious weekly had an amusing experience with a cablegram not long ago. He had been corresponding with Dr. John Watson ("Ian MacLaren") of Liverpool, about a story that the famous Scotch author was to write for them. After everything had, as the editor thought, been satisfactorily arranged, a cablegram came from Liverpool suddenly arrived at the editor's desk.

"An irrelevant objection,"

WATSON.

Dumbfounded, the editor racked his brains to recall what he had now done to antagonize genial Dr. Watson. For the life of him he couldn't recall having objected to any suggestion the author had made. About to call for a copy of his latest letter to Liverpool, it suddenly dawned on him. His last letter to the historian of Drumtochty had asked what the title of the new story would be, with the request that it would be cabled, if necessary. And by the cable the title had come! Later Dr. Watson altered the title slightly to "No Relevant Objection." The story itself is one of singular beauty, and is up to the highest standard of that master hand. The paper for which it was written is The Sunday School Times, where it appears this month.

Additional Lay Members of the Brotherhood.

W. E. Springer, Miss Blanche Fentress, Charles Deems Ford, E. M. Penney, B. F. King, James Smith, R. C. Merritt, Wilmington; W. N. Everett, J. P. Leak, C. Leak, J. L. Bundy, W. L. Parsons, C. Leak, H. S. Ledbetter, Mrs F. L. W., W. L. Seales, Mrs. R. W. LeGrand, Dr. J. M. Stancill, J. W. Covington, Dr. W. H. Steele, Rockingham; Frank Page, Biscoe; J. A. McAuley, Dr. C. B. Ingram, Prof. R. H. Skeen, F. L. McAuley, M. Gilead; J. C. Bruton, J. G. Tomlinson, B. T. Wade, and W. L. Hurley, Troy. We now have 234 lay and 119 clerical members, making the fund \$472.00.

A BAGING, ROARING FLOOD

Washed down a telegraph line which Chas. C. Ellis, of L'soon, Ia., had to repair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "gave me a terrible cold and cough, which grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors in Oakland, Neb., Sioux City and Omaha said I had Consumption and could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured in six bottles.," "Positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung troubles by all druggists. Price 50c