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WOMAN'S MISSION-**ERY CONFERENCE**

RALEIGH DISTRICT IN ANNUAL MEETING.

Good Number of Delegates Present-Vesper Service Held at College Wednesday Night-Other Services at the Church.

District Conference.

The District Conference of the Methodist Woman's Missionary Society met with the Louisburg Society on Wednesday

Wednesday

The exercises begun with vesper service at the Louisburg College, 7:30 on Wednesday evening.

The evening was perfect and the exexercises held on the campus, the porch and steps acting for a platform. A very beautiful and impressive service was held. The violin and piano were used in beautiful accompaniment for the sweet young voices.

Several hymns were sung, several prayers offered and Miss Nettie Allen gave a beautiful and inspiring talk to

prayers offered and Miss Nettie Allen gave a beautiful and inspiring talk to the young people.

At the close of the vesper service the audience went to the church, where the service was concluded.

The Young People's Missionary Society of Plank Chapel church came up in a body for this service and did much toward the enjoyment of the evening, in fact this service was given up distinctively to the Young People's

up distinctively to the Young People's Societies, and the three societies of Louisburg and the Young People's society of Plank Chapel had charge of the granteness. of the exercises.

The exercises at the church were

The exercises at the church were begun with a song by the choir, composed of members of the Young People's Society of Plank Chapel.

Miss Pattie Bailey, one of Louisburg's Bright Jewels' then gave the address of welcome, which was a beautiful composition of Mrs. J. E. Malone. Malone.

The address of welcome was res-

ponded to in a few graceful remarks by Miss Nettie Allen. The "Bright Jewels" of Louisburg

The "Bright Jewels" of Louisburg then gave a delightful little Mission-ary exercise, "The Plea of the Nations." This exercise was bright, attractive and splendidly rendered. "The Young People's Missionary Society" of Louisburg then gave a spectacular play, showing the great needs of the women of foreign

lands and the wonderful opportunity offered the women of America to send the healing knowledge of Jesus to the hearts and lives bruised and crushed with sin and superstition.

Miss Ruth Early represented the

womanhood of America, a splendid child petulant and impatient because she cannot drive from her mind the words of Missionary she has sheard words of Missionary she has sheard today and has been shown the wretchedness of other lands. She puts the thoughts away from her saying there is enough for her to spend her money on at home and she will not bother herself in things that do not interest her. She falls asleep and in her dreams the women of other lands come to her in their want and misery. The play was deeply impressive and well presented. The costuming was good and made a very pretty scene.

good and made a very pretty scene.

At the close of this play Miss Mary

Turner gave a very sweet recitation and other music was furnished by the Plank Chapel choir.

Miss McKimmon, council officer of

the Young People's Societies gave an inspiring plea to the young girls to give not only their service but them-selves and their lives absolutely to the

Mrs. Lu Britt then addressed the Young People in a short but very in-

Miss Rogers of the Plank Chapel Society charmingly put forth the meaning of the pin and pennant used by the Young People's Society and then the choir sang the society's hymn "Loyally to Christ."

Rev. A. D. Wilcox dismissed the con-ference in a beautiful prayer.

Weekly Weather Forecast.

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Issued by the U. S. Weather Bureau, Washington, D. C., for the week beginning, June 30, 1915.

For South Atlantic and East Gulf States: A shower period during the first three days of the week will doubtless be folthe week will doubtless be fol-lowed by a period of general fair weather with occasional scattered showers. The tem-perature tendency will be upward.

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Among those registered at the Louisburg Hotel the past week are the following: J. F. Wright, Greensboro, J. L. Parks, Jr., R. F. Coghill, C. E. Ellis, J. E. Parks, of Henderson, Miss Annie B. Pace, of Kittrell, Miss Annie Marie Hight, Kittrell.

Miss Christine Chisholm, Miss Sue Covington, Miss Lula Moore and Messrs. H. F. Peed and John Ellington, of Oxford, and H. C. Moore, of Kinston, were registered at the Louisburg Hotel the past week.

NEW LEAGUE FORMED.

Louisburg One of The Clubs-Played Tuesday at Spring Hope.

Tuesday representatives from Wakelon, Spring Hope, Wendell and Louisburg met at Spring Hope and formed a base ball league composed of the above named towns. The necessary represents a research to the second state of the second sary arrangements were made and a series of games scheduled to begin at once. Two games scheduled to begin at once. Two game to be played by each of the clubs this week and four each week thereafter until the series is completed. Baseball fans may ex-pect some good games as a result. Nearly all of these towns have had teams for several months and have teams for several months and have been playing good ball. Now that they have formed a league the best material has been gotten out and great interest is expected from the start.

The two games thus far played re-sulter in victories for Louisburg at Spring Hope and Wakelon at Wake-lon. Louisburg 8, Spring Hope 5; Wakelon 4, Wendell 0.

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Louisburg Wakelon				1	0	1,000
Wakelon				1	0	-1,000
Spring Hope				0	1	.000
Spring Hope Wendell				0	1	.000

Miss Yarborough Entertains

On last Thursday afternoon Miss Mary Yarborough very ppleasingly en-tertained the Current Literature Book

Club.
"Russia" was the afternoon's subject, the discussion being led by Mrs. M. C. Pleasants. Mrs. Pleasants read an interesting article on "Democratic

Russia."

Miss Edna Allen read a selection on the history of the music of Russia, and Mrs. Stuart Davis gave a synopsis of Russian history.

The subject was well chosen and is one of keen interest to each at this perilious time of Russia's history.

Mrs. Walter Gilmore and Mrs.

Mrs. Walter Gilmore and Mrs. Arthur Fleming added much to the pleasure of the afternoon by giving sweet vocal solos, Mrs. Gilmore sang "Sing me to Sleep" accompanied by Mrs. Fleming, Mrs. Fleming sang "My Little Shadow," accompanied by Mrs.

The afternoon was one of pure delight and harmony, at the close of the very interesting program delic-

the very interesting program delicious refreshments were served.

Those present were, Mrs. Stuart Davis, Mrs. Ivey Allen, Mrs. Waiter Gilmore, Miss Edna Allen, Miss Loulia Jarman, Mrs. M. C. Pleasants, Mrs. J. J. Barrow, Mrs. Will Allen, Mrs. Eleanor Yarborough, Mrs. J. R. Collie, Mrs. George Cralle, Mrs. A. H. Fleming, Mrs. W. H. Yarborough, and Misses Mary and Edith Yarborough.

Texas Items.

A large crowd of our boys and girls ttended services at Castalia Sunday night.

Misses Nero Bass and Leigh Mat-thews, of Pleasant Grove section, spent last Sunday in the home of the Misses Hunt.

Misses Hunt.

A large crowd of boys and girls stormed the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bobbitt last Thursday evening. Games were played and at 10:30 many dainty and delightful refreshments were served. Everybody enjoyed the prevned occasion. unexpected occasion.

Among the number of young peo-ple that attended the Children's Day at Trinity last Sunday were Messrs, Clarence and Willie Bobbitt, accom-panied by their sisters, Misses Mary Maggie and Annie Lou Bobbitt.

Maggie and Annie Lou Bobbitt.

Misses Elba Rice and Geneva Wheless, of Rocky Mount, with a couple of friends spent Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Martha Rice.

"The Ford Katalacks," are busy humming since Messrs. Louis Bobbitt and Norman Wilder-purchased theirs.

Mr. St. Clair Bobbitt paid Nashville a business trip Monday.

business trip Monday. Mr. Carpenter, of Rocky Mount, spent Sunday afternoon visiting Miss

Eula Tucker. Mr. Zeb Jones, of Spring Hope, was pleasant visitor at the home of Miss Gladys Taylor last Saturday evening Mrs. A. L. Daniel is spending this week in Castalia, visiting her sister,

Mrs. Callie Hunt. Mrs. W. B. Gordon and her mother Mrs. Sarah Stallings accompanied by her neice, Miss Clara Gilliam spont Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Anna

New Hope Defeats Pilot.

A long and enthusiastic crowd wit-nessed the game of ball at Pilot yesterday, when New Hope and Pilot crossed bats, William's, Pilots star pitcher was batted to all corners of the diamond. Features of game, Edwards long drive over center, which scored three men and Floyd's twirling striking out fifteen men.

New Hope 11 Batteries, Floyd and Baker; Williams and Richardson.

On Monday afternoon the Literary meeting of the Baptist Woman's Mis-sionary Circle met in the Ladies' Parthe gubject was a general review of the years work and all those present

Literary Meeting.

took part in the discussion.

Mrs. Wingate Underhill presided over the meeting and a very interest-

ing and helpful meeting was had.



HON. THOMAS WALTER BICKETT

North Carolina's Popular Attorney-General and Whom Franklin county and North Carolina will be glad to ho nor as their Chief Executive.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Roy Jackson and family are visiting relatives here.

Mr. R. L. Furman, of Norlina, is visiting relatives in Louisburg.

Mr. K. K. Allen and bride returned Monday from their bridal trip.

Miss Carrie Edens, of Pervis, is visiting her uncle, Mr. S. G. Edens. Miss Alleene Boone has gone to Chapel Hill to take the normal course.

Mrs. C. H. Shaw, of Rockingham, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Mor-

Miss Mildred Scott left Tuesday to visit her aunt, Mrs. H. A. Page at

Mrs. W. B. Cooke and sons, Donald and George, left Monday to visit relatives at Enfield.

Mrs. E. N. Bragg, and daughter, Elizabeth, are vis'ting her father here, Mr. W. E. Tucker.

Miss Precilla Pittman left yesterda for Baltimore to visit her uncle, Dr. Thomas G. Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Perry, of Washington, D. C., are visiting their people in and near Louisburg. Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Brame, of Winston-Salem, are visiting at the home of Mr. C. K. Cooke.

Miss Sallie Taylor is attending Miss Sallie Charles Cheatham's house party

in Henderson this week. Mrs. E. R. Vandegrift, who has been

on a visit to her people at Bedford City, Va., has returned home. William Bickett and William Neal

ave gone to Riverside Military school Gainsville, Ga., for the summer. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ayers and little

daughter, of Lynchburg, Va., visiting her sister, Mrs. F. A. Riff. Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Reavis left Tues day for the Panama Exposition San Francisco for a month's trip.

Mrs. Loyd Cooke, of Charlotte, and Miss Maye Pegram, of Henderson, visited friends in Louisburg the past week.

Mrs. George Cralle is visiting friends in Wilson for a few days, after which she will go to Blackstone, Va., for an extended visit.

Messrs. W. B. High and daughter, Miss Annie Belle, T. W. High, Geo. High and —. —. Harper, of Red Oak visited Mr. D. C. High Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Fuller Malone and family, who have been visiting Mr. Malone's parents here, have returned to their home in New Orleans.

Mrs. R. C. Stallings, of St. Louis, who has been spending some time with her sister here, Mrs. G. H. Cooper, returned home this week,

Mr. B. H. Meadows returned Monday

from Goldsboro, where he had accompanied his wife, who underwent an operation on Saturday at a local hos-pital.

Miss Annie Laura Macon, head nurse is the City View Sanitorium, of Nashville, Tenn., accompanied by Miss Johnie Gowers, of Nashville, Tenn., is at home on her vacation. is at home on her vacation.

Centerville News.

The farmers are very busy now, as ome are laying their crops by.

Mrs. R. C. Stallings, of St. Louis,

has been spending some time with her people here. Rev. and Mrs. Bailey spent Satur-day night at the home of Mr. Herbert

day night at the home of Mr. Herbert Gupton.

Mr. Sid May, of Nashville, visited his people Saturday and Sunday.

We are glad to know that Mrs. Ophelia Gupton is improving. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Rev. G. M. Duke preached at Centerville church the third Sunday night His sermon was enjoyed as they always are. He remained over Monday he and several of the neighborhood people enjoyed a fish fry on Shocco.

We are very much in sympathy with Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Strickland in the death of their little daughter, Chris-

death of their little daughter, Chris-tine. May the Lord comfort and strengthen them in their sad bereave-

Mr. Floyd Parrish visited his people few days the past week.

We are enjoying a lively Sunday

chool and appreciate the interest

Rev. A. P. Winston, has given us some able sermons, and we are glad to welcome him as our new pastor.

Mr. E. L. Best our county superintendent visited our little town last Thursday, in interest of the school of

Gold Mine. Mr. Raymond Shearin visited his grandfather at Castalia this week.

grandiather at Castalia this week.

Mr. Johnnie Neal and sister, Miss
Bertha, attended the Children's Day
at Arcola the third Sunday.

Miss Esther Andrews, of Louisburg, has been visiting her people here the

Mrs. John Neal entertained the Wo-man's Missionary Society at her home Saturday afternoon, There were fourteen members present and several visitors. During an hour of social pleasure, music was rendered by Miss Bertha Neal. Then the members Bertha Neal. Then the members were invited to take part in a written Bible contest, which was very inter-esting. esting. Prizes were offered, Miss Lutle Thompson received first prize. Miss Mattle Dement the booby. After the contest, a message from Miss Fanne E. S. Heck was read by Miss Lutie Thompson.

A song was sung by the Society.

after which they were invited into the dining room, where refreshments were served.

J. N.

Peach Treet Items.

Peach Tree is a fine place if it is small, so don't think that we are no

small, so don't think that we are not in the ring.

The Sunday school is improving rapidly; let everybody be present next Sunday at 3:30.

The weather is hot and the farmers are busy in the fields.

We are sorry to learn of the illness of Loyd, the little son of Mr. and Mrs.

A. F. Dunn. F. Dunn.
Miss Sudie Sykes, of Louisburg, is Front of 250 Miles; Serious Blow

ON INTO RUSSIA Armies of Czar Still in Retreat Over

Likely.

GERMANS PLUNGE

(By Associated Press.)

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London, June 20.—Driven back over their own frontier north of Lemberg and forced to cross the river Gnila Lipa, in southeast Galicia, the Russian armies continue to retreat before the Austro-Germans long a front of approximately 250 miles.

Berlin records progress in virtually the entire southeastern theatre, although voilent fighting still is in progress beyond the Gnila Lipa, which joins the Dniester at Halicz.

Having forced a passage of this stream Gen. Von Linsingen's army is presumably astride the railway running from Halicz to Lemberg and Stanislau, and now doubtless is alming at the line which runs from Lemberg to Odessa through Tarnopol.

It seems evident that Germany is bent on further punishment for the Russians before relaxing the intensity of her Galicin campaign but, with the Russians across the frontier, the Germans will have to rely almost solely on road transport and their advance will be slower. The British press still voices the hope that the Russians soon will wind a tenable line and deliver a counter blow, but there is a note of anxiety in nearly all the accounts, together with the warning that either the capture of Warsaw or the seizure of the great railway lines which supply it would be disastrous to Russia and surely would be followed by another German offensive in the West.

Notwithstanding the French attacks around Arras, it is argued that

Notwithstanding the French Notwithstanding the French attacks around Arras, it is argued that the Germans must feel comparatively secure in the West, else they would not have risked their tremendous enveloping move against the Russians. The French are persisting in their assaults in the neighborhood of Arras, but without appreciable change in the situation.

visiting her father, Mr. S. S. Sykes

near Peach Tree.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs.
Alton Wilder is very sick with typhoid
fever. We wish her a speedy re-

covery.

Misses Ethel and Grace Delbridge,
of Justice, spent last week with Miss
Sarah Upchurch.

Mr. Arthur House went to Cypress

Sunday. He seems to enjoy Mr. Saw-yer's sermons, especially when deli-

yer's sermons, especially when delivered at Cypress.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Wood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Griffin near Seven Paths.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. House spent Sunday with their son, Mr. W. C. House

Sweet Sixteen.

Seven Paths Items. Our crops are nne even though it dry, but we wish for some rain real

We are glad to say that our B. Y. P. We are glad to say that our B. Y. P.
U., is doing well; quite a large crowd
was out Sunday night.
Mr. Sawyer filled his regular appointment at Cypress Saturday and
Sunday, and delivered two very able

sermons. There will be a children's day at Cypress church on the Friday before the fourth Sunday in July. Everybody s expected.

is expected.

Miss Carrie Wright, Mr. John Bunn.
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mullen, Mr. and
Mrs. Ruffin Debnam and Forest.
Wiggs, of Bunn, were pleasant callers
in our community Sunday.

Miss Ruth Debnam, of Nashville,
who has been visiting Miss Minnie
Gay, is expecting to see Pine Pine

Gay: is expecting to go to Pine Ridge about the last of the week.

We are glad to say that Mrs. Alton Wilder is improving some from a spell of malaria of malaria

Miss Pauline Smith and Miss Priscilla Pitman, of Louisburg, spent Friday night with Mrs. W. J. House. Miss Nannie Stallings, of Mississippi who has been visiting Mrs. Bob Place for several weeks will leave for home

Goodie Two Shoes

Pousville News.

It is getting very dry and dusty down in this section but most of the crops are looking well.

The Fourth of July is only a few days off. We wonder how many will have sent in their cotton blooms.

The Sunday school is still planning o have their picnic the third day of July. Refreshments will be served for the benefit of the school. Everyis cordially invited to bring

basket and a pocket full of money.
We are glad to see and welcome our
carrier back on his job. We missed
his smilling face, though we liked Mr. Fuller, the substitute, fine. Miss Mary Harper, who has been spending some time at the home of Mr. D. C. Gupton, is now in Louisburg

Mr. D. C. Gupton, is not under treatment of Dr. E. M. Perry. Bro. Duke preached the funeral of little Ruby Evans at the home of the parents Sunday at 4:00 p. m. The whole community sympathizes with the parents in the loss of their little

The only people whom the truth fails to hurt are those who are

Do not overeat. It is distressing to the stomach and the pocketbook.

OVER 1,300 TIN CANS

GATHERED IN ONE AFTERNOON BY THE CHILDREN.

Who Were Given a Free Ticket to the Movie as a Co-operation With the Health Department.

What proved quite popular with the children and surprising and pleasing to the older people of Louisburg, was the idea of Dr. A. H. Fleming In co-operating with the health officer, Dr. J. E. Malone, on last Saturday in destroying the homes of mosquitoes. Each child, who would bring ten tin cans on a string—being strung through a hole in the bottom—was given a free ticket to the Movie theatre. By time for the show to begin children had crowded the streets, many with strings of cans much longer than they and a picture was made, But it proved that this was not all by any means as for an hour or more children with cans could be seen coming down the streets. The idea children with cans could be seen coming down the streets. The idea was a good one and Dr. Fleming is to be congratulated for his generosity-in ridding the town of something over thirteen hundred old cans that would have otherwise become breeding

thirteen hundred old cans that would have otherwise become breeding places for mosquitoes.

He informs us he will put on and feature "rat day" next Saturday, when every child bringing two live rats or five dead ones will be given a free ticket.

Mission Study Circle.

The Study Circle of the Methodist Woman's Missionary Society met on Monday afternoon with Miss Loulia

Monday afternoon with Miss Loulia Jarman.

The meeting was called to orderby its leader, Mrs. A. D. Wilcox.

"The Child in the Home," was the topic of discussion and startling contrasts of the little one in the homes of christian lands and non-christian lands were shown.

This was a subject dear to the Woman's heart and was discussed with

man's heart and was discussed with

love and feeling.

At the close of the lesson, refreshments were served and the Circle adfourned to meet two weeks later with Mrs. Wilcox.

Those present were: Mrs. J. J. Bar-Those present were: Mrs. J. J. Barrow, Mrs. M. S. Davis, Miss Lucy Foster. Miss Esther Andrews, Mrs. Simmons, Mrs. J. A. Turner, Mrs. W. E. White, Mrs. Bennie Williamson, Mrs. David McKinne, Mrs. Wilcox, Mrs. Asher Johnson, Mrs. Lela Williamson, Mrs. R. R. Harris, Mrs. Ivey Allen, Miss Loulia Jarman.

Marriage Licenses. Marriage licenses were issued to the following couples during the month of

June:

White James E. Miles and Mary Winston, D. J. Livingstone and Clara B. Sledge, Charles I. Dent and Helen Winston, Perry James and Mary Matchews, Owen Ayesche and Bessle Matthews, Jimmy Ray and Maggie M. Pearce, Addison M. Pearce and Adna Privett, K. K.—Allen and Clara A. Stambaugh, Corydon Spencer Jones and Emma Eliza Underhill, Henry L. Macon and Minnie O. West, C. C. Johnson and Elender Oma Utley, Colored—Charlie Harris and Elia Spivey, Thomas Hayes and Eliza Wil-

Spivey, Thomas Hayes and Eliza Wilson, Trim Davis and Fannie Spivey, Walter Boyd Foster and Daisy Belle Arrington, Haywood Debnam and Lillian Malone, Sylvester Foster and Mary Perry, John Portis and Anna Mayho.

Louisburg Baptist Church. "Spiritual Surgery" will be the second sermon in the special series on. "The Great Physician," which the pastor will preach Sunday night at 7:15. "The Offence of the Cross" will be

the theme of the morning sermon.
Sunday school is beginning the third quarter of the year, and is a most excellent time to matriculate in Sunday school and start at the beginning of the new quarter. Election of officers will be held Sunday in the organized classes of the Sunday

The meeting of the B. Y. P. U. Monday night, officers for the next six months will be elected, and a new organization perfected. All the young people of the church are urged to be present.

The Methodist Church

The Methodist Unuren.

There will be services at the M. E. church next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p.m., conducted by the paster.

The sacrement of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the morning hour. At the evening hour the theme will be "The Heroisms of War and Peace," a sermon appropriate to the Fourth of July.

Fourth of July.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. The lesson for the Business Men's Bible

Class is the 11th Chapter of First

Died.

Corinthians.

Died.

Little Catherine Rebecca, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Edens, died on Wednesday afternoon of last week and was buried at the cemetery on Thursday afternoon, Rev. W. M. Gilmore conducting the services from the home. She was only 26 days old-but had won a place in the hearts of the family that will cause her, to be sadly missed. Their many friends have joined in extending sympathy.