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REVIVAL MEETING CLOSSES

Two Weeks' Series of Meetings at First Baptist Comes to End—35 Persons Baptized Last Evening—Dr. Wilson's Sermons Resulted in Great Good—Anniversary of Rev. C. L. Greaves Pastorate.

The revival which had been in progress at the First Baptist church for two weeks closed last night. There were no services Saturday. Dr. Lloyd T. Wilson, pastor of Grace Street Baptist church, Richmond, Va., who assisted the pastor, Rev. C. L. Greaves, in the meeting, left for his home Saturday morning. The pastor preached two powerful sermons yesterday and last evening immediately after the sermon baptizing the 35 candidates for baptism and church membership who applied for same while the meeting was in progress. Four other members were received by letter and restoration. Large crowds attended the meetings, especially the evening services, and all who attended were greatly stirred by the eloquent sermons by Dr. Wilson.

Anniversary of Pastorate—125 New Members.
Yesterday was the first anniversary of Mr. Greaves pastorate of this church and during the year closing yesterday 125 new members have been received into the church, 86 of them without any services other than the regular church services. Sixty-two have been received by baptism since the first of this year. Next Sunday morning at the regular church hour a "recognition service" will be held and all who have joined the church since Mr. Greaves began his pastorate are urged to attend and will be seated together.

A Strong Church
This church is easily one of the strongest in the State, regardless of denomination and has an A-1 Sunday school, also an A-1 B. Y. P. U. The people are highly pleased with the work of their new pastor and he seems to be pleased with his people.

Opportunity.
Friday evening Dr. Wilson preached a most powerful sermon on "Opportunity". He read as a Scripture lesson the 20th chapter of 1st Kings, and used as a text the 40th verse—"And as thy servant was busy here and there, he was gone. And the king of Israel said unto him, so shall thy judgment be; thyself hast decided it."

The opportunities we have in life are all God-given. Life, though short, is filled with opportunities to do good. God expects from no man nothing which he has not given him power to do.

Great and Numerous Opportunities
We have great and numerous opportunities to improve ourselves, physically, mentally and morally. To neglect means ignorance; to neglect physical opportunities means bodily weakness. If we neglect to improve these opportunities we must surely suffer for it. Men waste many hours which should be used in improving minds. No one will be able to stand in the judgment and say to God, "You did not give me an opportunity to prepare for eternity."

Opportunities to Help Others
Too many of us fail to grasp the opportunities we have of helping others. We are daily having opportunities to speak a kind word, to sympathize or to help carry another's load, but we too often let them pass unnoticed. There are people all about us hungry for a word of sympathy and dying for the want of love. The man with eyes open to see and ears open to hear will often find opportunity to help the fallen.

Fathers and mothers often see opportunity and responsibility after it is too late. We should ask ourselves the question, "Have I measured up to the responsibility of the opportunities that they have appeared in life?" If we neglect them we are responsible to God for the neglect.

Opportunities Often Unappreciated
It is often the case that those with the greatest opportunities make the greatest failures in life. They fail to appreciate them. As an illustration of how people play with opportunities till they are gone forever, the preacher told of a young lady on a boat who carelessly played with a string of pearls, dragging them through the water till at last the string broke and the pearls went to the bottom of the deep, and were gone forever.

"Too many abuse instead of use their opportunities," the preacher declared. "There are opportunity-makers, opportunity-takers and opportunity-breakers; and we are apt to break them."

Neglected Opportunities.
Opportunities neglected bring their own penalty. We shall be punished just as much for the sins of omission as for those of commission. How shall we escape if we neglect so great a salvation? God deliver us from "it might have been and it is too late". Every man must suffer for the opportunities he lets pass him

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MRS. LUCY J. LEWIS PASSES

Death Came Early This Morning at Home of Daughter, Mrs. A. Nash—Funeral Tomorrow Morning at 10 O'clock.

Mrs. Lucy J. Lewis passed away this morning at 1:45 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. Nash, Fifth street, with whom she had lived for some time. Mrs. Lewis had been sick for several days, but was thought to be better up until a few moments before the end came. Her physician left her about 11 o'clock last night and she immediately went to sleep and never waked.

Deceased is survived by two children—one daughter, Mrs. A. Nash, with whom she lived—and one son—Mr. R. C. Lewis of Jacksonville, Fla. The funeral will be conducted from the residence tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock by Rev. W. B. North, pastor of Chestnut Street Methodist church, of which deceased had been a loyal member for years, and interment will be made in the Normant cemetery, near the Nash home. Deceased was 81 years old April 13, this year, and was the widow of the late Dr. R. F. Lewis, who departed this life in the year 1901. Mrs. Lewis spent the most of her life here, and was well known, her lovely disposition having won the friendship of all with whom she came in contact.

Death of an Infant
Tessie, 7-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Baxley, who live in the Ten Mile section, died Friday of stomach trouble.

ANTI-TYPHOID CAMPAIGN

Dr. Page's Appointments for This Week for Free Vaccination Against Typhoid.

Dr. E. W. Page, county health officer, who, as has been mentioned in The Robesonian before, will begin today an active anti-typhoid campaign, has furnished The Robesonian a list of his appointments for this week, as follows:
Maxton, Tuesday at 3:30 p. m.
J. W. Burns' place, near Alfordville, Thursday at 11 a. m.
Oak Dale, near Marietta, Thursday at 3 p. m.
Marietta, Thursday, 4:30 p. m.
Lumberton all day Saturday up to 5 o'clock.
Ten Mile Saturday at 6 p. m.

All who wish to be vaccinated against typhoid will receive the treatment free by meeting Dr. Page at the above places and times.

Among the Sick.

Miss Sallie Singletary had her tonsils removed yesterday at the Thompson hospital by Dr. R. S. Beam, the local eye, ear, nose and throat specialist. She is doing nicely, and will leave the hospital today.

Mrs. Archie Ward left Wednesday for Washington, D. C., to be with her father, Mr. A. Davis, Jr., who is very ill and not expected to live.

Mrs. S. A. Branch entered Hygeia hospital, Richmond, Va., last week for treatment. Mr. Branch accompanied her to Richmond and is still with her.

Mr. I. C. McClellan of Laurinburg passed through town this morning en route to his home at Barnesville to be with his father, Mr. Duncan McClellan, who is very ill.

The condition of both Miss Jane von Glahn and Miss Flora Wishart, who recently underwent operations for appendicitis at the Johnson-Wilks hospital, Richmond, Va., is improving.

At the Thompson Hospital: Bennie Redfeam, son of Chief of Police and Mrs. H. H. Redfeam, had his adenoids and tonsils removed yesterday and is getting along nicely. Oliver Hunt (Indian) a tenant on Sheriff Lewis' plantation about 5 miles north of Lumberton had an operation yesterday for tumor and is getting along as well as could be expected. Mrs. A. C. Hayes of East Lumberton, who had been in the hospital some time for treatment, was able to return to her home Saturday.

Notices of New Advertisements.

Trustee's sale of land—Southern Life & Trust Co.
Styles and prices of clocks to suit the buyer. Fresh shipment of Seth Thomas clocks—Holmes Jewelry Co.
Partner wanted.
Broker wanted.
"Great White Event"; hot weather goods at reduced prices—R. D. Caldwell & Son.
At the Pastime theatre.

A Spell of Hot Weather.

Yesterday the thermometer registered 96 in Lumberton. It was not the hottest day, actually, of the season so far, for on June 13 and 14 the mercury went to 97, but the intense heat yesterday no doubt caused more suffering than the degree hotter earlier. On Saturday the minimum temperature here was 67 degrees and the maximum 91 degrees.

WILL MEET TOMORROW NIGHT

Meeting of Chamber of Commerce Will be Held at Court House at 8:30 Tomorrow Evening to Consider Plans for Celebration July 5—Hotel Matter Also Will be Considered.

President J. P. Russell asks The Robesonian to state that a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held at the court house tomorrow evening at 8:30 o'clock to consider plans for the celebration to be held here July 5. The Glorious Fourth comes on Sunday this year and it will be celebrated on the following day, Monday, the 5th.

The Woodmen of the World are preparing to celebrate the day in Lumberton with a big picnic. They are going to have music, races and speeches. Every camp in Robeson, Bladen, Cumberland and Columbus counties is invited to send representatives, and this no doubt will in itself make a notable celebration of the day.

Hon. William Jennings Bryan has been invited to make the address of the occasion, but it has not yet been learned whether or not he will accept the invitation.

It is for the purpose of formulating plans to co-operate with the Woodmen that the meeting tomorrow evening will be held. Every citizen of the town is urged to attend the meeting tomorrow evening and help prepare for this day, which can be made a celebration of much wider scope than the Woodmen had planned if all interests co-operate.

At the meeting tomorrow evening the hotel situation also will be considered. Mr. H. H. Anderson made arrangements some weeks ago to begin the erection of a modern hotel on the corner of Chestnut and Second streets, a very desirable location. Since then he has understood that the Lumberton Hotel Co., organized last year to build a hotel on the lot on Chestnut street in rear of the stores of Messrs. White & Gough and A. Weinstein, but which has done nothing since purchasing the lot, the European war coming on about that time and making it advisable to hold up for a while—Mr. Anderson has understood that this company has shown signs of activity lately and has passed out the word that it would proceed with further assessments on stock subscription and erect a hotel, as he does not believe the town would support two such hotels.

The Chamber of Commerce does not claim, it is understood, any power to decide this matter, but it is to the public interest that some definite decision be reached at once, and the matter will be brought up tomorrow night in order to see if the Lumberton Hotel Co. has really decided to build. As the matter now stands things are at a standstill. Mr. Anderson and those associated with him say they will proceed at once with the work of erecting a hotel if given assurance that the Lumberton Hotel Co. will not build.

TEN MILE TOPICS

Successful Crop Year Expected—Yields of Wheat and Oats Encouraging—Rally of Sunbeam Bands—Personal.

Correspondence of The Robesonian.
Ten Mile, (Lumberton, R. 6) June 19—The people of this community are taking a great deal of interest as usual in farming, and are looking forward for this year to be a successful crop year. The heavy rains caused the farmers to get behind with their work and their crops have been delayed by the cool weather and baking rains, but if they can have a few weeks of hot weather they can get their crops in shape and put "general green" out of business. They are very busy harvesting their wheat and oats and the yield is very encouraging.

Miss Dovie Britt returned Saturday from Wilmington where she spent three weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. J. C. King and cousin, Miss Virginia Mann.

Ten Mile Sunbeam band will join with the Tolarsville, St. Pauls and Marsh bands and give a rally at St. Pauls Sunday p. m.

Quite a number from here attended the children's day exercises at Tolarsville and Zion's Tabernacle Sunday.

Miss Katie Britt is spending this week with Miss Maggie Barrington of Maxton.

Miss Fannie Rozier of Fayetteville is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. A. Bethune.

Miss Ruth Britt spent last week in Lumberton visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Britt.

Rev. A. J. Groves is spending this week in Littleton.

Messrs. John and Norwood Davis of Bladen Union were callers in this section Sunday.

Rev. W. W. Willis of Fairmont is a Lumberton visitor today.

TEUTONIC ALLIES CONFIDENT

Austro-Germans Close to Lemberg as Were Germans to Paris Last Fall—"Russia's Supreme Emergency"—This Week Expected to See Culmination of One of Most Interesting Phases of War.

London Dispatch, 20th.
After several weeks' battering across Galicia, during which the Russians have been thrown back more than 150 miles, the Austro-Germans today are as close to Lemberg as were the Germans to Paris last fall. Never, perhaps, since the battle of the Marne, have the Teutonic allies appeared so confident of success.

Having failed in their original plan of crushing France and then turning to Russia, they have reversed the order of their strategy and now, judging by the expenditure of life and ammunition in Galicia they have pinned their whole faith on paralyzing the Russian army to permit the throwing of a tremendous weight of men and metal into the West, there either to break through the Franco-British line or force an interminable period of sanguinary warfare.

A dispatch from Copenhagen tonight says that the German Emperor himself has taken supreme command of the Galician campaign, establishing his headquarters in Galicia, as near to the front as possible.

Meanwhile the German official communication records the further progress of the Austro-German forces toward Lemberg, both to the north and south of the city. It claims as well that the Russians have been cleared from parts of the Dniester to the south.

The question England and her Allies are asking is whether Grand Duke Nicholas can emulate Joffre's tactics of last fall and check the Austro-Germans at the gates of Lemberg. Optimists point out that the grand duke checked them almost at the gates of Warsaw, just as General Joffre stopped the Germans before Paris and Field Marshal Sir John French stopped them before Ypres, Dunkirk and Salais.

It is argued further that even should Lemberg fall the Russians can drop back to equally formidable positions, utilizing the rivers and swamps, and it is the British contention that they thus could hold out for months, England and France in the meantime sending to their aid men and munitions necessary.

Whether Russia has sufficient ammunition to meet the present strain is a question which cannot be answered in England, although the London papers say the shortage is acute. One Sunday paper characterizes the situation in Galicia as "Russia's supreme emergency" and public interest is centered in that theatre, notwithstanding the hard fighting in progress along the western front. The sound of guns is audible at Lemberg and possibly this week will see the culmination of one of the most interesting phases of the war.

McADOO UNCOVERS FRAUD

Violators of Oleomargarine Law Have Defrauded Government Out of \$27,000,000.

Washington Dispatch, 20th.

How violators of the oleomargarine law have defrauded the government out of at least \$27,000,000 due in stamps and special taxes was revealed tonight by Secretary McAdoo in a statement based on a preliminary investigation conducted by Commissioner Osborn, of the Internal Revenue Bureau.

Frauds committed as long ago as 1912, immediately after the enactment of the new law have been uncovered. The commissioner began his inquiry some months ago and since then unpaid taxes aggregating \$851,000 have been recovered and deposited in the treasury "with the prospect of further very large collections."

Fifty-two violators of the law have been convicted since the first of January and 29 of these have been given prison sentences. Fines aggregating \$149,000 have been assessed in addition to the recoveries actually made and the announcement declares the investigation will be continued.

The announcement shows that since 1902 more than 200,000,000 pounds of colored oleomargarine have been manufactured and fraudulently sold as uncolored.

Sentence of Leo Frank Commuted to Life Imprisonment.

A wire was received this morning by Mr. S. H. Hamilton, local Western Union agent, to the effect that Governor Slaton of Georgia this morning commuted to life imprisonment the sentence of Leo M. Frank, who was under sentence to die for the murder of Mary Phagan in Atlanta in 1913.

Mr. Guthrie Rhodes of the Bloomingtondale section spent the week-end in town visiting friends and relatives.

BRIEF ITEMS OF LOCAL NEWS

—Mr. J. T. Glover went Saturday to Wilmington, where he had his eyes treated by Dr. J. C. Murphy.

—Messrs. R. M. and A. T. Phillips of the Globe Swamp section were among the visitors in town Friday. They report crops doing fairly well down that way.

—Mr. N. C. Long left Saturday for Davidson, where tomorrow he will be best man at the wedding of his brother, Mr. L. B. Long of that town. The name of the bride has not been learned.

—Messrs. J. B. and Ed Humphrey of Saddle Tree were among the visitors in town Saturday. They both were proud, and with a cause, that they would be able to enjoy their first "mess" of green peas yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. Pate, who live on route No. 6 from Lumberton, about 6 miles from town, passed through town Saturday morning on their way to Raynham to see Mrs. Pate's mother, who was reported very sick at that time.

—Jesse Merrick, an 16-year-old colored boy, was placed in jail Saturday morning on a charge of assaulting Leslie Bullard, a small white boy, with a brick, or rock. He threw the stone at the boy, cutting a bad gash in his head.

—Mr. C. V. Brown, cashier of the National Bank of Lumberton, was appointed a member of the committee on resolutions of the North Carolina Bankers' Association at the annual convention of the association at Wrightsville Beach last week.

—Dr. R. S. Beam returned last week from Philadelphia, Pa., where he spent 5 weeks in the different clinics of that city doing a special work on disease of the eye, ear, nose and throat. He will continue here his practice, limited to these diseases.

—Rev. R. A. Hedgpeth of Barnesville passed through town Saturday en route to Abbottsburg, where yesterday he filled his regular appointment. Today he went to Wrightsville Beach to attend the Baptist Seaside Chautauque, which will be in session there all this week.

—Dock Oxendine, Indian, of Dillon, S. C., reported to The Robesonian Saturday that Frank Oxendine, Indian, discovered at his home at Raynham Friday a chick hatched that day with two heads, four eyes and two combs—two heads perfectly equipped. Otherwise the birdie seemed to be normal.

—Mr. Nash Townsend, who lives on route 6 from Lumberton, about 4 miles out, brought to town Saturday a half bushel of green peas. These are the first green peas reported to The Robesonian this season as having been brought to town. Mr. Townsend found ready sale for them at 25¢ the peck, which he considers a good price.

—County Auditor J. M. McCallum has, at the request of the board of county commissioners, bought and placed above the court house a large United States flag 10 x 16 feet. The flag is made of pure wool, with army bunting, and the sight of it floating in the air makes one realize that he is living the land of the free and the home of the brave. The flag was bought through C. H. Cartee and Co., local flag dealers.

—Mr. Chappell Wilson, son of Mr. J. M. Wilson of Howellsville township, was among the graduates at Mars Hill this spring. He has not yet returned home but states in a letter received by his father, who was in town Friday, that he may go to Jefferson City, Tenn., to spend the summer. As has been mentioned in The Robesonian, Mr. Wilson also won the orator's medal at a contest at Mars Hill this spring.

—Fire Chief J. P. Townsend asks The Robesonian to say that all who are not members of the fire company must stay off the fire truck when going and returning from fire. Saturday night when the company was called out for a small fire so many non-members boarded the truck that there was not room for the members to ride. He says this is strictly against the law and though he hates very much to prosecute any one, he will have it to do unless the thing is stopped.

—Mr. S. S. Stephens returned Thursday night from Canton, Haywood county, to which place he carried Mrs. E. E. Sentelle and children through the country in an auto. The party left here Tuesday morning, so Mr. Stephens made the trip of about 500 miles in three days. At the same time Tuesday Mr. W. P. McAllister, Prof. Sentelle, Messrs. Walter Bowden and Knox Proctor left here in Mr. H. M. McAllister's auto for Hendersonville. Messrs. Proctor and Bowden returned with Mr. Stephens. Mr. McAllister will remain some time in Hendersonville, where Mrs. McAllister is spending the summer.

BRIEF ITEMS OF LOCAL NEWS

—License has been issued for the marriage of Melvin Walters and Thursday Rice; John Duncan and Besie Jean McLeod.

—Mr. Frank Gough made a Sunday school address at Saddle Tree Baptist church yesterday morning at 11 o'clock a. m. and at Cedar Grove at 4 p. m.

—Miss Mary D. Connolly, a registered nurse, who has been doing private nursing in Lumberton for some time, has accepted a position in the office of Dr. R. S. Beam and will be with him permanently.

—Mr. Peter Barnes of Hamer, S. C., spent a while in Lumberton Saturday. He came over to look after a farm he owns near Lumberton. Mr. Barnes was a pleasant caller at this office and said he could not get along without The Robesonian, which gives him all the news.

—Mr. L. B. Martin of Maxton, who recently placed an ad in The Robesonian's penny column, says he sold the article advertised just after the ad made its first appearance, and could have sold many more from the same ad had he only had them. Robesonian advertising pays. Mr. Martin knows it does now.

—Joseph McNair, colored, charged with breaking into Mrs. Mollie Norment's residence 5 or 6 weeks ago and stealing a lot of jewelry, was arrested at Rowland this morning by Rural Policeman J. H. Carper, and Chief of Police H. H. Redfeam and Deputy Sheriff A. H. Prevatt have gone to Rowland this afternoon to bring McNair to jail.

—"Have we been torpedoed?" was the thought that flashed into the minds of Mr. P. A. Hamlet and Dr. Jno. Knox one day recently while towing along on the waters of Lumber river when a big jack fish jumped into the boat with them. Perhaps it's a good thing the jack got sorry and jumped into the boat, as otherwise they might have come home fishless.

—Mr. W. A. Graham of Warrenton, president of the Epworth League of the North Carolina Conference, spent Saturday in Lumberton in the interest of the Warrenton school and yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock he made a talk at the regular Sunday service of the Junior League of Chestnut Street Methodist church. He conferred with officers of the Senior League after the regular service at 7 o'clock.

—Mr. V. B. McMillan, assistant cashier of the First National Bank, Mr. A. P. McAllister and Mr. W. I. Linkhaw left Saturday morning for New York. They went to Wilmington and there boarded the special steamer that left that place Saturday afternoon to carry a party of bankers, who had been attending the State Bankers Association convention at Wrightsville Beach, to New York. Messrs. McAllister, Linkhaw and McMillan will be away a week or ten days.

—Mr. J. A. Barker will leave tonight for New York to attend a club meeting of the field men of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York. The company offered to pay all the expenses of the trip to all agents who sold a certain amount of insurance last year. There were only four in the State who won the trip, Mr. Barker being one of the lucky four. Mr. Barker won a trip of the same kind in 1912, which was offered the agent making the biggest sales of insurance that year.

—Mr. H. M. McAllister, cashier of the First National Bank, returned Saturday morning and Mr. K. M. Barnes, cashier of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, returned Saturday night, from Wrightsville Beach, where they attended sessions of the annual convention of the North Carolina Bankers' Association. Mr. C. V. Brown, cashier of the National Bank of Lumberton, who also attended this convention, returned home last night. Mrs. Brown accompanied Mr. Brown but will visit relatives at Clio, S. C., and Rocky Mount before returning home.

—The following night letter, received by wire Friday morning from his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Caldwell, who were married in Pulaski, Va., on the 12th inst, will be of interest to many Robesonian readers: "Pikes Peak Summit, Col., June 17, 1915. R. D. Caldwell, Lumberton, N. C. Haven't heard from you all since we left. Telegraph us 19th care the New House hotel, Salt Lake City. We are in the top of Pikes Peak now, fourteen thousand feet elevation. Completely surrounded by snow. Its awfully cold. Greatest trip imaginable. Hope you are all well. With love."

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