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PARKTON PARAGRAPHS

Successful Protracted Meeting Closes — Blockade Still Captured — Forest Fires — Graded School Preparing for Commencement

Correspondence of The Robesonian. Parkton, April 18—Sunday night, April 16th, closed one of the most successful revivals ever held in our town, with 41 additions to the Presbyterian church and several will join the Baptist and Methodist. The weather was favorable all through the services, large congregations attended every service and the last two days and nights of this meeting the church was unable to accommodate the people. We have never seen any church packed so full of people, and the order was exceedingly good. The preaching of Mr. Black is, we believe, unexcelled by any North Carolina divine. From the very outset he had large congregations at his will. He knows how to interest even the small children. And talk about singing! well, it was a treat to hear a large, well-trained choir and congregation all singing in a lively speed, led by his splendid singer and co-worker, Mr. Burr. Special quartets, duets and trios were heard at each service. Special male quartets were enjoyed at each service. Mrs. D. S. Currie deserves special mention as she was present at each service and we doubt if her equal can be found anywhere in the State of Robeson or in North Carolina. Mrs. Mary J. McNeill presided at the piano and her untiring services was much appreciated. Mr. Black and his singer, Mr. Burr, remarked that they had never been anywhere that the choir handled new music at first sight as they did at this place. We feel like we could occupy our allotted space in something good of the meeting, but we hurry.

Dr. Printess Stanton returned home from Kansas City, Mo., Saturday to the delight of his parents and other relatives and many friends.—Miss Carrie Cantrell of Caroleene is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Collier Cobb. Miss Cantrell was a former teacher in the high school here, spending two years here. She has been teaching the last two years in Greenville county.—Rev. J. T. Jenkins left Saturday to preach the commencement sermon at Atkinson, April 16th, and from there he expects to attend the Chapman-Alexander meeting in Wilmington.—Mr. Bill Muse doesn't fail to bring in the fine string of fresh-water fish most every evening.

A curiosity in the form of a blockade liquor still was on exhibition on Main street Saturday evening. A fifty-gallon capacity, home-made, galvanized. We never learned who made the still yet or the operators. Neither have we learned the exact location, but it was less than five miles away. The still was found on last Thursday by Charlie McNatt, colored. He saw a curious-looking object under a pile of brush, and he reported it to a good citizen, and thence to Deputy T. B. McNeill. The still was immediately loaded on a wagon and brought to town. Some think the still had been in operation as late as Christmas, 1915. However, at present it was enjoying a vacation. So, Reader, you see that a blind tiger can be run this side the gauberry; but it will remain a mystery how one of the things can be operated so near town and escape apprehension. But you know a patron of it would die rather than tell. Mr. A. C. McCormick is now rushing a nice new car, a Maxwell, the only one of its make in town. Nothing like having a good "coal burner", but if you want to pack a church plumb of people just allow Mr. J. D. Gillis.

De. Gillis attended the Black meeting from St. Paul, Lumber Bridge, Wagram, Red Springs, Hone Mills, Shannon and most every other place in 40 miles.

This afternoon at 3:30 Raeford baseball team will play the locals on our diamond and an interesting game is promised. Our team has won 3 straight from the Y. M. C. A. of Fayetteville and several from St. Pauls this season; but how about this afternoon?

A good many of the young people from our town attended the play, "The Birth of a Nation", in Fayetteville Monday night.

There was an exciting forest fire Friday evening just above town that burned over the land of Messrs. D. W. Marsh and J. B. McCormick, burning some few cords of stovewood for Mr. Marsh and 50 cords of Mr. McCormick's, besides scores of nice nine-wood and pine straw, and Mr. F. P. Edwards saved his dwelling house by the aid of his many friends. It looked frightful. The wind was high. The fire was let out by some careless negroes.

We have never heard of so much complaint of bad colds and grippe. Mrs. E. K. Cambell is yet in the Highsmith hospital but we learn she is improving nicely. Mrs. Cambell was operated on for appendicitis about two weeks ago.—Mr. and Mrs. D. P. McMillan of lower Cumberland county were welcome visitors to our town Sunday, attending the Black meeting. I he reports disastrous forest fires down his way. People should be more careful about fire this season of the year. A road

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Our graded school faculty decided Friday evening to favor our town with a splendid parade with the school children, numbering near 200 which was a beautiful sight indeed, each pupil carrying a beautiful pennant of the school. The parade was held on Main front street and Mr. Hallett McNeill was called on for a speech and he readily responded. Speech forbids much mention but his speech was heartily enjoyed not only by the school but by a number of citizens who had assembled to enjoy the parade. Our school and faculty are appreciated by our town and entire district and we believe every portion of the school appreciates it. The work is most thorough and we are looking forward to better things. We hear of some preparations for the commencement, which will be mentioned later.

SPRING TIME IS COMING

By Ethel Vincie Hayes, 5th and 6th Grades, Purvis High School. The beautiful spring-time is coming along, The wind seems to whistle a cheerful song. The daisies and violets begin to peep, From under the mold so soft and deep.

Each bird comes along and builds its nest, While all little buds are doing their best, And over the fields the grass is seen, Sprouting and growing so pretty and green.

The little birds are playing at hide and seek, And will be nesting within a week. So spring comes out of its deep close cell, And winter sends in a great cold spell.

But winter is jealous of beautiful spring, It takes some buds when it ought to be gone, And some little plants after seed is sown.

And little plants grow where lay the snow, Not more than one little month ago. But when summer-time comes with a task to do, Summer says with a smile 'tis my time to rule.

But when spring comes to stay, winter is lost, For spring sends away the chill and frost. The spring-time dew brings freshness to the flowers, And the roses bloom mid spring-time showers.

So spring goes away with a smile and a bow, For fear he will have a bad little row. Gaily singing he tips along, Singing to them a farewell song.

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FACTS ABOUT THE BIBLE

Number of Books, Chapters, Verses, Etc.—Questions—Farming Operations

To the Editor of The Robesonian: As Bible questions and answers comes out so often, would say that there are 66 books, or subdivisions, 1,189 chapters, 31,033 verses, 773,692 words, 3,586,489 letters. The shortest verse, 35th verse of the 11th chapter of St. John; the longest verse, 9th of 8th chapter of Esther; the middle verse is the 8th of 118th Psalm; the 21st verse of the 7th chapter of Ezra contains all the letters of the alphabet except J. Where is the word "girl" and "girls" found in the Bible? Is the word "God" mentioned in the book of Esther? S. B. West and Mary Addie West are visiting friends in Lumberton from Chadbourn.

Planting is going on in and around here but no cotton planted yet. Tobacco plants are looking fine and some are setting plants.

With best wishes for the dear old Robesonian. This makes me 23 years reading your dear old paper.

W. C. WEST,
Chadbourn, N. C. R. No. 2.

The Mammoth Auditorium at Black Mountain

The auditorium at Black Mountain, built by the National Musical Festival of America, is a mammoth affair. It seats 21,500 people, and cost two hundred thousand dollars. It is a permanent building of brick, stone, steel and concrete. It is located on the slope of a mountain, and covers three acres of a tract of ten acres. On the grounds will be three hundred thousand square feet of parks. There will be room on the stage for a chorus of two thousand. The distance from the front of the stage to the rear of the building is three hundred and fifty feet. The Auditorium is four hundred feet wide at the widest point, and four hundred and eighty-five feet from front to rear. The building is in the shape of a megaphone, with the stage as the mouthpiece. It will be opened on August 15, with a festival under the management of Davrosch. Judge J. C. Pritchard, of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, is president of the organization. The National Music Festival of America is incorporated under the laws of North Carolina, with a capital stock of five hundred thousand dollars.

In a three-cornered fight in Fayetteville Monday in a primary election, McNeill led for mayor and a second primary will be necessary between McNeill and Rose.



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