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FATHER 80-MOTHER 76

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Wadesboro Branch.

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By virtue of power conferred upon me by a decree of the Superior Court of Anson county, made at the March Term, 1909, in an action entitled James A. Leak and others vs. Harry Flowers and wife, the undersigned commissioner will, on Monday, the 7th day of March, 1910, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, at the court house door in Wadesboro, North Carolina, the following described tracts of land.

First Tract, adjoining the lands of the late E. A Parsons and others and bounded as follows: Beginning at what was the Kilgore corner in the middle of the Camden road some gum ptrs. and runs with said Kilgore line S. 62 W. 3.17 chs. to stake black gum ptrs; then S. 28½ E. 62 chs. to stake pine ptrs.; then S. 69½ W. 13 chs. to stake at the edge of the woods small post oak ptr.; then S. 18½ E. 9.00 chs. crossing a branch to a stake by hickory near a large pine stump; then with another line of the Kilgore lands N. 76½ E 15.20 chs. to stake in said line pine ptrs. a corner of a 50 acre tract of Henry Capel's; then S. 15½ E. 24.70 chs. to stake in dower line pine ptrs.; then with the dower line S. 74½ W. 27.50 chs. to stake in the field on the south side of a swamp, corner of another 50 acre tract; then the line of said tract N. 15½ W. 44.00 chs. to the middle of the Camden road; then with said road eastward to the beginning, containing 100 acres, more or less.

Second Tract, adjoining the lands of E. A. Parsons and others and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake in the middle of the Camden road opposite a black jack stump standing on the south edge of the road and runs with said road N. 74½ E. 3.16 chs. to a stake in the middle of the road; then S. 25½ E. 6.33 chs. to a stake; then S. 74½ W. 3.16 chs. to a stake; then N. 15½ W. 6.33 chs. to the beginning, containing two (2) acres, more or less. Terms of sale are cash, subject to the confirmation of the court.

This January 29th, 1910

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SEVEN BLOWN TO ATOMS.

Careless Motorman of Gasoline Car Heedless of Warning, Tries to Run Car Past Smoking Dynamite Charge With Horrible Results.

Phenix, Ariz., Feb. 5—Heedless of the warning of a foreman in charge of excavation operations along the line of the private motor road from Kelvin to the Ray copper mines, the motorman of a gasoline car containing six passengers ran his car close to a sputtering fuse of a heavy charge of dynamite today the car and its seven occupants were blown to atoms. The dead:

J. B. Joyce, A. S. Bieber, J. C. Griffin, all civil engineers employed by the Ray Consolidated Copper Company; R. P. Coleman of Salt Lake City, W. H. Freeland and Walter C. Erenz, mining engineers employed by Henry Krumb and engaged in sampling the development work at the Ray mines and W. H. Lyalle, motorman of the car.

The foreman had discovered a missed shot in the execavation at noon and before the motor car came in sight he had relighted the fuse. As the car approached he signalled to the motorman and warned him of the impending explosion. Motorman Lyalle, believing that he could take his car past the charge to safety, paid no heed to the warning and started again at full speed.

Just as the car was passing the charge the explosion came and the car with its load of human frieght was blown high in the air amid a great cloud of debris. The dead men were all prominent in mining affairs in Arizona.

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GREAT MEETING OF METHODISTS.

Intensely Interesting Questions To Be Discussed at the Sixteenth Quadrennial Conference Which Will Meet at Asheville in May.

Asheville, Feb. 5.—As the time fast approaches for the meeting of the sixteenth quadrennial General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, the members of the church are becoming intensely interested in proposed legislation affecting the church. Certain new issues, or new forms of old issues, seem to have superceded the proposition for a re-statement of the faith which was the core of discussion, the emotional center of the Birmingham conference in 1906. The conference will convene here on May 4, next, for a session of 21 days.

The general conference is the supreme legislative body of a church organization that numbers between 1,700,000 and 1,800,000 members in the Southern States; some 10,000 churches, and about 6,500 traveling preachers and 5,000 local preachers. The bishops preside in the order of their seniority, and have no voice in the action of the assembly and no part in its deliberations. If one may judge by advance discussion the three overshadowing issues will be the modification of the episcopacy, the modification of the presiding eldership and the lengthening or the abolition of the pastorate time limit.

Various restrictions upon the bishops, to prevent the exercise of "arbitrary power" have been proposed. The enactment of a "recall" is one of them. A limited instead of a life incumbency has been considered. The advice and consent of the cabinet in pastoral appointments is another proposal.

One prominent churchman has said: "There is a present ceisis in the church, in regard to the presiding eldership," and another: "Mr. Wesley used to carry Methodism in his arms, and dandle it on his knee, and feed it from a spoon. But it has grown to be a great giant and we are still trying to clothe it with baby trappings."

There are proposals to abolish altogether the presiding elder's office and others to make it elective. A demand [illegible]

What may be called a compromise plan in reference to the presiding eldership is to enlarge the districts and call the elders, elected by conference, junior bishops. This would involve a senior episcopacy, and the junior episcopacy would be diocesan in character.

It is pointed out that if the local church government were so changed as to let the church conference elect all local officials without nomination by the pastor, this would give the power that the congregation has in congregational churches, and step by step up to the general conference delegates would be elected and seated by "the voice of the people," and the laymen would rule the church.

Lay representatives might be given a voice in the bishop's cabinet; and pastors might elect their presiding elders at the annual conference.

Some favor the extension of the successive years a pastor may serve one charge from four to six; others, the abolition of the time limit altogether.

The women of the church are asking for representation in official bodies. They are sending literature, memorials, etc., to the members of the conference, and conducting a strong campaign. The success of these efforts would give them membership in the board of stewards, and quarterly conference and, logically, the district annual and General Conferences; also logically, entitle them to the office of Sunday school superintendent.

The session of the conference last 21 days, and an attendance of 1,000 to 3,000 or more at various stages of the proceedings, is probable.

Each bishop has charge of one conference for the term of one year. The bishops meet and make their own assignments. A bishop may be returned to the same conference indefinitely.

There are eight bishops now. The general conference is a body of 310 men. There are 48 conferences, and each is entitled to one lay and one clerical delegate for every 48 ministers in it; if there are fewer than 48, the conference has two representatives. There are now 48 conferences. This year's general conference will be the first to be held in North Carolina.

There will certainly be six new bishops chosen. That number, Bishops J. C. Granberry, W. W. Duncan, C. B. Galloway, A. C. Smith, J. J. Tigert and Seth Ward—all in active service except the first named—have died since the last general conference. So many bishps have never been chosen at any session, and the elections will assume a large place in the attention of the delegates, to the comparative exclusion of matters of legislation. Here are the list of strongest probabilities talked of for elevation to the episcopacy: Dr. W. B. Murray, president of Millbrook College, Jackson, Miss.; Dr. John C. Kilgo, president of Trinity College, Durham, N. C.; Dr. W. F. Tillett and Dr. Denney, of Vanderbilt University, Nashville; Dr. R. G. Waterhouse, president of Emory and Henry Collegs, Virginia; Dr. DuBose, of Nashville, general secretary of the Epworth league; Dr. C. W. Byrd, of Nashville; Dr. G. C. Rankin, of Dallas, editor of the Texas Christian Advocate—it is said the five conferences of Texas are all behind him—Dr. M F. McMurray, of Louisville, secretary of the church extension board; Dr. Gross Alexander, of Nashville, editor of the Methodist Review; Dr. Ainsworth, of Georgia; Dr. C. M. Bishop, of Missouri, (who began his pastorate of a mission in Asheville.)

The 10,000 church edifices belonging to the conference represent a cost of approximately $33,000,000 and the 5,000 parsonages about $7,000,000.

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David Smith, Cotton Mill Hill, Laurburg, N. C., says: "My back was weak and lame for years and there was a constant dull ache across my loins that unfitted me for work. At times I could scarcely stir about and although I used plasters and liniments, the pain did not lessen. The kidney secretions were unnatural and contained a heavy sediment, giving evidence that my kidneys were at fault. When I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills I procured a box and began using them. I never before had taken a remedy that acted so quickly and effectively as they did. The lameness and soreness in my back disappeared, my kidneys were restored to their normal condition and I felt better in every way."

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WARNING FROM THE LORD.

A Durham County Negro Sells His Property--Will Give Money to the Poor.

Durham Sun.

This morning in the sheriff's office a citizen from Patterson township related the wonderful and curious actions of a negro by the name of Ransom McClam, who sold all his possessions in order to give the money to the poor.

The story goes that the negro is a good old soul and a member of one of the churches in that vicinity. A few nights ago he had a dream in which the Lord told him to sell his possessions, and not hold back a single piece, and give the money to the poor. Acting upon the directions of the Lord, as he thought, the sale was made yesterday, when the people of that section gathered together as purchasers. During the sale some of his best friends tried to persuade him to hold back something but they could do no good. The negro told them to let him sell as started and said to the crowd: "It is a curious thing to me dat de Lord am telling me to sell, den others tryin' to git me to hold back part ob my things. Let me tell you one thing. Annanias held back part ob his possessions when de Lord told him to sell and he was struck dead."

His property numbered about 30 acres of land, two mules, one horse, furniture, feed, groceries, chickens, hogs, and many other things that help make a home. The entire sale realized him about $700, and this amount will be distributed by him among the poor of the county. The negro's friends are anxious now about his future, they seeing no way for him to exist unless he moves to town to work.

THE ZANZIBARIS.

Dense Stupidity and Amusing Blunders of the Natives.

In the "Autobiography of Sir Henry M. Stanley" the author says of the colored natives of central Africa:

"Good as the majority of Zanzibaris were, some of them were indescribably and for me most unfortunately dense. One man who from his personal appearance might have been judged the most [illegible] it was to be loaded. He never could remember whether he ought to drop the powder or the bullet into the musket first. Another time he was sent with a man to transport a company of men over a river to camp. After waiting an hour I strode to the bank of the river and found them paddling in opposite directions, each blaming the other for his stupidity and, being in a passion of excitement, unable to hear the advice of men across the river, who were bawling out to them how to manage their canoe.

"Another man was so ludicrously stupid that he generally was saved from punishment because his mistakes were so absurd. We were one day floating down the Kongo, and, it being near camping time, I bade him, as he happened to be bowman on the occasion, to stand by and seize the grass on the bank to arrest the boat when I should call out. In a little while we came to a fit place, and I cried, 'Hold hard, Kirango!' 'Please God, master,' he replied and forthwith sprang on the shore and seized the grass with both hands, while we, of course, were rapidly swept down river, leaving him alone and solitary on the bank. The boat's crew roared at the ridiculous sight, but nevertheless his stupidity cost the tired men a hard pull to ascend again, for not every place was available for a camp.

"He it was also who on an occasion when we required the branch of a species of arbutus which overhung the river to be cut away to allow the canoes to be brought nearer to the bank for safety actually went astride of the branch and chopped away until he fell into the water with the branch and lost our ax. He had seated himself on the outer end of the branch."

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