

By the Presbyterian Church.

A large and deeply attentive congregation heard Dr. Morton last night. His text was Romans 1:20: "I am not ashamed of the Gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth." He explained how the Gospel meets man's need, how it is indeed glad tidings, bringing the sweet promise of life to the dying, succor to the weak, help to the helpless. He drew an impressive contrast between earthly power and divine, and showed that the exhibition of God's power in the spiritual sphere was more marvellous than in the material. He urged men to yield to that power, and be saved.

This morning his text was, "Grow in grace and in knowledge," and the sermon was a strong and stimulating exposition of the necessity for the deepening and broadening of the spiritual life, and of the means whereby this can be accomplished.

Service tonight at 8:15 o'clock, and tomorrow morning and night.

Cotton Milling.

"Facts and Figures," the new folder issued by the Fayetteville Chamber of Commerce, under the heading, "An Ideal Site for a Great Cotton Milling Industry," gives the following as to manufacturing in the milling district at and around Fayetteville:

Because of its situation in the cotton belt, with a home market for raw cotton; its healthfulness, and its high but democratic social characteristics; its cheap sites on competing railways and river, and its unequalled freight rates for conveying its productions to the world, Fayetteville is an ideal site for a great cotton milling industry. That this is being appreciated and becoming known to capitalists, is proven by the fact that, in the past five years, several additional very important milling plants have been located in this vicinity as follows: Holt-Morgan Mill, 10,000 spindles and 480 looms; Holt-Williamson Mill, 5,000 spindles; Tolar, Holt and Hart Mill, 10,000 spindles; Ashley-Bailey Silk Mills. (Large additions have been made to the Holt-Morgan mills, and the Ashley-Bailey Mills have built two other mills here.) The Hope Mills, Nos. 1, 2 and 3, which have been for several years in healthful operation have added No. 4, which has nearly doubled their capacity. These mills and the Holt-Morgan Mills manufacture a large variety of cotton fabrics, ginghams and dress goods. The Silk Mills are operated by negro labor entirely. The silk spun and woven is of beautiful quality. The negro operatives have become very skillful workers, and are as genial and satisfactory laborers as could be desired. Labor—both white and colored—is abundant in Fayetteville; and there are no race or labor troubles, or strikes of any kind known here. The Union Bleachery Company, a New Jersey corporation of large capital, has acquired a site and other property here.

In addition to the above may be noted the important fact that the Lakeview Manufacturing Company have recently purchased the plant of the Fayetteville Cotton Mills Company, in the southern suburbs, and are putting the building in excellent order, while enlarging the capacity, and adding to and improving the equipment of machinery.

Extensive additions have also been made to the Holt-Williamson cotton mills plant in East Fayetteville, already an up-to-date factory in its machinery and system of operation.

State Medical Society.
Yesterday afternoon the State Medical Society elected officers for the ensuing year as follows:

President, D. T. Taylor, Washington; vice-presidents, C. A. Julian, Thomasville; John T. Barros, High Point; I. W. Faison, Charlotte; secretary, J. Howell Way, Waynesville; treasurer, G. T. Sykes, Greensboro; counselors, Oscar McMullan, S. S. Daniels, F. H. Russell, Albert Anderson, J. F. Highsmith, H. A. Royster, A. C. Register, R. B. Jewett, T. E. Anderson, J. A. Barron; orator, C. P. Ambler, Asheville; essayist, John H. Tucker, Henderson; leader of debates, E. T. Dickens, Wilson; committee on scientific work, J. Howell Way, R. H. Whitehead, E. J. Hill; committee on legislation, Richard H. Lewis, George G. Thomas, George W. Long, D. T. Taylor, J. Howell Way; finance committee, J. A. Barron, T. E. Anderson, F. Duffey; chairman committee of arrangements, Charles Robertson, of Greensboro. It was decided to hold the next meeting at Greensboro. The following were elected delegates from this State to the annual convention of the American Medical Association at Atlantic City: J. Howell Way, Hubert A. Royster.

There were over 400 physicians present—by long odds the largest attendance in the history of the society. The new plan of organization, with the district counselors, and the county as a unit, has been found to effect very good results, over eighty counties having been organized, with a total membership of over 1,000.

Base Ball.
Sanford beat Fayetteville by a score of 15 to 3—Capt. Cagle has good material in his new team—but practise, boys, practise.

An Old Institution to Be Rehabilitated

Friends of Greensboro Female College will be glad to learn that preparations have been begun for making brick for the rebuilding of the college, and that it is hoped to be able to have the reconstructed structure in readiness for the opening of the regular fall term in September.

The raising of funds for the building has been going on systematically and encouragingly, but from now on this work will be prosecuted with renewed vigor. About \$30,000 has already been raised for the building and endowment fund. It is also announced that Mr. S. A. Odell, of Greensboro, has subscribed \$5,000 to the endowment fund, to which B. N. Duke some time ago offered \$10,000, conditioned upon the raising of a \$30,000 endowment from other sources.

A Strange Story.

A story of treasure-trove, which would not be out of place in the pages of fiction, has grown out of the wreck at Lucama, near Wilson, some weeks ago, of which a full account appeared at the time in the OREGONIAN. The Raleigh correspondent of the Rich-Times-Dispatch contributes to that paper the sensational denouement of the wreck as follows:

"In a railway wreck at Lucama, Wilson county, due to a collision between passenger and freight trains, an express car and two cars loaded with guano were burned. Lafayette Lucas bought the guano and ashes, and began to distribute this upon his farm near by.

"Negroes who were loading the stuff upon wagons found a fine cut diamond. Later, others were picked up in the debris, and up to day twenty-eight have been found, valued at \$7,700. The whole community is wildly excited, and search is being made also in the fields where Lucas had hauled the fertilizer.

"The question which has now arisen is: Who is the owner of the diamonds? Henry Jones, a negro, is one of the finders, he having picked up a diamond valued at \$500. Lucas demanded the stone, and the case was heard before a magistrate, who gave judgment in favor of the finder. The case has been taken to the Superior court. The owner of the diamonds has not appeared, and it is believed that the gems were being smuggled, as they were not upon the express manifest, nor were they in the safe. Lucas is endeavoring to stop the search for the diamonds save by his agents, but finds it impossible to do so."

Hotel Arrivals.

The following were registered at the LaFayette yesterday afternoon and this morning:

J. L. Prior, city; F. L. Faulstich, Greensboro; P. C. Westmoreland, New York; J. Steinberger, J. Sesoms, W. E. Jenkins, N. C.; Mrs. Frank and children, Japan; Mrs. G. Tait, Norfolk; L. C. Hubbard, Wilmington; W. C. Houston, Jr., Philadelphia; R. E. Buck, Charlotte; C. D. Wilson, Baltimore; L. LeConte, M. M. Ray, Columbia, S. C.; J. J. McLeod, Washington, D. C.; J. E. Walters, A. C. Monagle, New York; O. S. Richardson, Richmond; H. Klees, S. Goodman, Balt.; J. T. McNeill and wife, Red Springs, N. C.

Man Burned.

Fire yesterday morning destroyed the Inn at Burlington, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graves are among the guests who lost valuables. The reporter hopes it may not be Capt. and Mrs. D. H. Graves.

The State has chartered the Gold Knob Mining Company of Salisbury, with a capital of \$220,000.

NOTICE.
On and after Wednesday, June 1st, the meat stalls in the city market will be open for the sale of meats from 5 a. m. to 11 a. m., from 4 p. m. to 8 p. m. No orders for morning delivery will be received after 10 a. m., or for evening delivery after 7 p. m., except on Saturdays, when the stalls will be open from 5 a. m. till 11 p. m.
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