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BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Sunday school at 9:45 each Sunday morning. Preaching service every Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Teachers' Meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

On Thursday night of last week Dr. L. P. Leavell of Ripley, Tenn., who was visiting his friend, Dr. C. H. Stevens, was present at the teachers' meeting and made a fine talk on the teachers and Sunday school workers. Dr. Leavell accompanied Dr. Stevens home from the Tennessee Baptist State Convention which convened at Johnson City. Dr. Leavell is one of the famous Leavell brothers. There are nine of these boys and all are engaged in some definite Christian work except one, who is a doctor and a devout Christian. Two

DR. H. L. ROBERTSON

DENTIST

Cliffside, N. C.

of the brothers are in China as missionaries.

At 11 o'clock Sunday morning the pastor, Dr. Stevens, spoke on the 1925 Co-operative Program and the work of the last Convention year. The statistics show that since the launching of the 75-Million Dollar Campaign one million members have been added to the Baptist church in the South, which is a greater gain than that of any other three of the largest denominations in the South, or in the boundaries of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Sunday evening the pastor brought a fine message from Luke 17:32, his subject was "Remember Lot's Wife." This was a very helpful and instructive message and showed the mistake of looking back when once we have set our faces in the right direction. Miss Whitesides who is teaching at the Simmons School was present at the evening services last Sunday and sang very effectively "The Sinner and the Song" as a solo with quartette joining in singing the old songs as introduced in the song.

Dr. Stevens only has two more Sundays as pastor here, as he leaves the first of December to become pastor of Salem church at Winston-Salem. As the time for his departure draws nearer the church realizes more and more if possible the distinct loss it will sustain in his going. He is now conducting training classes in the Old and New Testament studies in order to enable the several who have taken all the previous studies to become Blue Seal holders. He has mapped out a stupendous task to accomplish before his going and has redoubled his efforts to accomplish much he has had in his heart to do here. The church appreciates his

great love for the church and its work and his willingness to labor overtime in order to do these things.

The Geneva Hunt Circle of the Woman's Missionary Society met last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. H. Campbell. The meeting was opened by singing "Bringing in the Sheaves," after which Mrs. B. E. Gold read the Scripture lesson. Prayer was led by Mrs. J. P. Carpenter followed by a song, "Higher Ground." Reading: "The Beginning," by Mrs. Chas. McCurry. Other readings were: "A Child's Conception," by Mrs. L. H. Campbell. "Winning to Christ Through Children," by Mrs. Marcus Martin. Mrs. E. L. Callahan recited a poem. The meeting closed with the W. M. U. watch word.

After the program Mrs. Campbell, assisted by Mrs. C. C. Tate, served a delicious salad course with accessories.

The following members were present: Mesdames B. E. Gold, C. M. Collins, Marcus Martin, E. L. Callahan, J. P. Carpenter, G. P. McMurry, C. C. Tate and Curtis Splawn. The Senior B. Y. P. U. held a most enjoyable social meeting last Friday night. In the motoring contest Miss Vergis Padgett and Mr. Paul Packard were the winners. Mrs. Charles Carpenter won in the Suit Case race. Numerous other games were played at the conclusion of which ice cream and cake was served.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Freeman spent the week-end with Mrs. Freeman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wilson at Shelby.

Mrs. F. L. Freeman and son, Clower, of Forest City, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Padgett.

Misses Phillips and Pearl Fuller of Gaffney, S. C., visited and attended services at the Baptist church here last Sunday.

Miss Frances Player of Blackstock, S. C., spent the week-end here the guest of her sister, Miss Johnnie Player.

Misses Helen Hall and Ha Lewis of Belmont spent the week-end here with Misses Annie and Laura Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Martin spent Sunday in Shelby.

Mr. J. R. Beason, of Gaffney, S. C., was in town last Saturday.

Miss Hattie Teal of Forest City was the guest of Miss Ollie Tate last Tuesday night.

Mr. Z. O. Jenkins returned last Friday from a trip to Miami, Fla., and Cuba.

After spending two weeks at home here Mr. W. H. Waters and son, Jonas, left Monday for St. Petersburg, Fla. They were accompanied by Mr. Quay Green and Mr. Lytle.

Mrs. J. M. Allhands and children, Messrs. William and George and little Miss Sara, accompanied by Miss Minnie Sue Rucker who is teaching at Floyd's Creek, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Rucker at Charlotte last Friday to Monday.

Mr. Roland Humphries of near Goode's Creek church had the misfortune to both dislocate and break his arm last week.

Mr. J. C. McLeod was in Charlotte last Wednesday and spent last Sunday in Rutherfordton.

Born, November 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bridges, a son, James Monte.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Last Sunday the weather was not quite so bad and the attendance at Sunday school was given a boost. It seemed that every one was in a happy mood and was really glad to be there, Supt. Erwin in his usual jolly manner, had things moving along nicely and the Sunday school hour passed very quickly.

This week is "Children's Week" throughout Southern Methodism and will be observed by the church here, with a pageant, "The Voice of the Future," next Sunday evening at 7:30. There will be no preaching, but everyone is very cordially invited to come and witness the pageant. Miss Johnnie Player and Mrs. J. S. Rudisill are arranging the program. Every father and mother especially should be present. Last Sunday morning at eleven o'clock Rev. Heck-

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SCHOOL NOTES

EDITORIAL

Until the other day I did not realize how fortunate the students of the Cliffside school really were.

As well as being an "A-One" school so far as the training is concerned, I discovered also that the fixtures and equipment were the very best that could be gotten.

I learned that the desks used in the high school were one of the highest grades of school desks and that they cost approximately fifteen dollars each. Each room is equipped with up-to-date maps of every leading country in the world. We have a first class chemistry laboratory, a physical geography laboratory, a teachers' rest room, a boys' club room and a girls' club room, a study hall containing a large up-to-date library. The eleventh grade takes two or three daily papers, so that the students will be posted on the happenings of the day. Besides this we have a good collection of playground equipment including a tennis court and athletic field. The student that goes to the Cliffside school has a great many advantages that are not to be found in other schools. Each student should realize this and boost his school as much as possible.—William A. Allhands.

The Girls' Club Room

The first of this term the girls in high school were rather worried for fear we were not going to have a club-room this year as the club-room we had last year had been converted into a study hall. We were real glad when we found that the boys had kindly consented to give us their's and they would take the study hall.

This club-room furnishes us a place to eat our dinner and a protection in bad weather. I am sure we appreciate this room so much that we are going to keep it "spick and span" all the time. We are going to try our best to keep it so well that Mr. Erwin will have to say we have kept the club room in better order than any high school he has ever had. We have elected a president for the club room and she in turn appointed presidents from each grade in high school. Under this system I think we will get along fine if we have the co-operation of each and every girl and I think we will have. The presidents from the different rooms are: 11th grade, Mary Frances Greene; 10th,

Bessie Harrill; 9th, Marie Jackson and 8th, Katherine Hawkins.

Tenth Grade

The Tenth Grade Physical Geography, under the direction of Miss Weaver, has for the past three weeks constructed maps of United States and North Carolina.

On these maps were placed rivers and mountains and some of the products such as grains, vegetables and minerals.

The class was divided into four groups, each group having a captain. Myrtle Higgins, captain No. 1; Lil-

lian Nanney, captain No. 2; Rosa Mae Haynes, captain No. 3; Nelle Padgett, captain No. 4. The United States map, constructed by group number 3 won first prize. The N. C. map, constructed by group number 2, won second prize.

Tenth Grade Cross-Word Puzzles

The cross-word puzzle system that the tenth grade Latin class has adopted is very interesting and has become quite popular. The eleventh grade has adopted our system also.

We made some copies of a Latin (Continued on Next Page)

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