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Election day was very quiet here. The largest crowds ever at an election here swarmed around the polls from the time it opened until the close, but everybody seemed in a good humor.

Mr. D. C. Hughes placed a radio in the theatre where the large crowd could hear the election returns as they saw the pictures. After the show the people lingered on to hear the fate of their favorites. They stayed until about eleven o'clock and then some of them joined the crowd that stayed in the lobby of the R. R. Haynes Memorial Building until one o'clock, A. M. Wednesday morning. We understand that some here in town stayed up all night, listening to the reports over the radio.

As we write this, (Monday night) about forty have asked to have a plate reserved for them at the "Wayside Banquet" of the Rutherford County Wayside Gang to be held in the R. R. Haynes Memorial Building tomorrow night. We are expecting "Old Wayside" himself, Harold C. Brown of Charlotte, the originator of the Wayside Movement.

There is to be another banquet in the Memorial Building at the same hour. The Rutherford County Bankers Association will meet here.

Ten years ago yesterday, (Sunday) the armistice was signed and with what rejoicing the news was received by the folks at home. It would seem sometimes that we have almost forgotten in the rush of our everyday lives. We have thousands who are still suffering in mind and body from the effects of the war. Many of our bodies are at Oteen and other Government hospitals still "paying with their lives" for the peace that is ours. Let us not forget them.

Some say that the result of the election is a decided victory for the cause of prohibition while another group say that the large vote for Smith is indicative of the discontent of the wage earners. As we view it, it is simply another case of the majority ruling and it is the duty of every citizen to remember, "This is still my country."

A host of readers are going to miss the products of the fertile pen of Frank Crane.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

The family of Mr. J. P. Carpenter "pulled one over" on him last Sunday. Saturday was his birthday and a feast of good things was set before him and after a few presents was given him he thought it was all over. When he returned home Sunday after church he found several cars and soon all were ushered into a "sure-enough" birthday dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Beam of Ellenboro and their son Thomas Beam of Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. John Carpenter and son Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Webb and children, Mary Lois and Fred, Jr. and Mrs. Mary Webb of Forest City, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Hall of Avondale; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Carpenter; Miss Florence Blanton; Mr. Charles H. Haynes; Miss Alice Carpenter, Mr. Arthur Carpenter and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Carpenter.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

The pastor was ill last week but was able to be present Sunday morning and brought a great message on the subject "Jesus The Pivot." The lesson read was from John 1:1-10 and Luke 2:25-35. The text was the 24th verse of the latter passage.

The Lord's supper was observed at the evening hour. There was no sermon, but the pastor read appropriate scriptures.

The pastor left Monday for High Point to attend the Baptist state convention. The pastors' conference convened Monday and the state convention Tuesday afternoon. Rev. R. C. Smith was on the pastors' convention

program to speak Monday afternoon. Mrs. Smith and the two little boys are visiting friends at Elkin while Mr. Smith is at the convention.

Friday of this week is to be observed as a day for special prayer for a real revival and the work of the church.

Local Happenings

Mr. C. T. Settlemyre of Gastonia, was a visitor here and the dinner guest of Mr. B. E. Roach at the hotel last Wednesday.

In reporting the "moves" last week we stated that Mrs. J. R. Padgett had moved into the house recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rhymer, but we were in error. Mrs. Padgett moved into the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Bridges.

Mrs. G. E. Simmons will move this week into the Rhymer house on North Main Street.

We regret to note the illness of Mr. W. C. Tucker who has been very ill at his home on Valley Street for several days.

Mrs. J. C. Hord who recently underwent an operation at the Shelby Hospital is improving and hopes to come home in another week.

Mr. G. P. McMurry has been ill for several days but is improving.

Miss Viola Cranford spent the week end at Gastonia. Miss Cranford will leave Thursday of this week to take a position in the Vanity Beauty Parlor at Gastonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ovey Padgett spent Sunday with friends at Hollis, and New House.

Miss Moss, of Grover, sister of Dr. Oren G. Moss spent the week end here with him.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Martin and family left Monday evening for the late home of Mrs. Julia Grayson near Mt. Lebanon and attended the funeral there Tuesday. Mrs. Grayson was the grandmother of Mrs. Martin.

The many friends of Mrs. Mamie Smith will be glad to learn that she is improving after many weeks' illness.

Miss Julia Smith is spending a few days with her grandmother at Spartanburg, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Lox Harrill motored to Mars Hill, N. C., Thursday of last week where they were the guests of Mr. Frankling Harrill. They attended the Inter-State college debate in which Mr. Franklin Harrill was one of the debaters.

Messrs. Martin, Carl and Hoyle Black with their families attended a birthday dinner last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Dobbins at Caroleen.

We are glad to report that Mr. Craig Watkins is able to be out again after being confined to his room for several weeks.

The many friends of Mr. Owen Padgett whose home is near here are glad to see him out again. Mr. Padgett has been ill all summer and fall and has recently spent a few weeks in the Shelby Hospital.

Clyde Fox, New York, was given seven years in jail for having seven wives. Many men with only one wife gets punished for life!

A British judge has ruled that it is illegal to spank a girl over forty-seven. Well, anyone breaking this law has nothing to worry about. What girl will admit she's over forty-seven?

What an education will do for one! A man graduates an agricultural college, and as a reward he is called an expert grafter!

RED CROSS FIGHTS DEATH AND DISEASE

Four Nation-wide Services Promote Health Preservation and Accident Prevention.

A nation-wide program for preservation of health and prevention of accidental death is one of the great services of the American Red Cross. Four bureaus, manned by experts, direct this work. They are the Public Health Nursing Service; the First Aid and Life Saving Service; the Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick Service, and the Nutrition Service.

These services aim at preservation of health through skilled nursing care; prevention of loss of life in accidents; prevention of illness, through cleanliness in the home and knowledge of methods of care of the sick; and raising the standard of physical efficiency through proper eating.

This nation-wide campaign against disease and accidental death is conducted through a majority of the 3,532 Chapters of the Red Cross. It is a community campaign, fitted to the health problems of each section.

The Red Cross, through its Chapters, is the largest employer of trained Public Health nurses in rural work in the United States. In its campaign for preservation of health and prevention of disease it has aided in establishing 2,000 or more community nursing services.

At the national headquarters an enrollment of nurses is maintained, which forms a great nursing reserve. Under its Charter from Congress this Red Cross Nursing Service is the official reserve for the United States Army and Navy Nurse Corps. In addition, these nurses are available in time of disaster or epidemic. This reserve list of trained nurses has in 1928 reached its peak in number enrolled—there being now 47,000 nurses qualified under Red Cross regulations who may be mobilized in time of emergency.

The comprehensive, nation-wide program of instruction in First Aid and Life Saving maintained by the Red Cross is in answer to the appalling total of accidental deaths each year in the United States.

In its First Aid instruction among firemen and police forces, in factories, railroad centers, great industries, and public utilities, the Red Cross annually reaches more than 160,000 men and women, whom it teaches to be alert, ready in case of accident, to apply first aid treatment.

The campaign against accidental deaths through drowning has been carried throughout the country, and there now are 173,506 men and women, boys and girls, qualified as Red Cross life savers.

More than 500,000 certificates have been issued to girls and women, boys and men who have completed the Red Cross Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick course, which teaches sanitation in the home, safe care of the infant and child and of the invalid in the home.



BOY SCOUT HIKE

The Boy Scouts left town about five o'clock Monday afternoon for a hike and camp supper down on the river near the junction of Broad River and Second Broad River. After cooking and eating their suppers it was very dark down there. Just the kind of night for playing "Jack show your light" and this game was enjoyed for some time until all were pretty well tired then they came together and studied the stars for awhile. The Scoutmaster would name a constellation or some special star or planet and the boys would try to be first to locate them. Two more boys have been elected to membership in the Troop. They are Leon Sargee and Frank Ramsey.

"All women are alike," says Lady Allenby. This thought should be a great comfort to many husbands.

How many of you still remember the name of the elected Vice President?

The test of a radio: Has yours survived the presidential campaign?

Oldest Railroad Man



Colonel George H. Footte, now visiting in San Francisco, has sold railroad tickets for sixty-six years and is still going strong as the world's oldest active railroad man.

Your Health

Things You Should Know

By John Joseph Gaines, M. D.

Sudden Deaths

Such announcements as the sudden death of a neighbor, often sets us to wondering whether we are not harboring some hidden enemy that may strike us down without warning—and we shudder a little, and dismiss the unpleasant thought from our minds as quickly as possible.

Now, listen: There is no fatal ailment that strikes us without warning. Bear that in mind. The fellow that dropped dead at his work bench, had plenty of warnings, but he ignored them. He neglected that little keen pain that he felt in the left breast from time to time—that ailds were away so quickly. He didn't heed the "dizzy spells" or the misty spots before his eyes when he ate pretty freely of fresh meat or veal loaf for supper. He was too absorbed in his work to attend to a bowel that had been clogged for years; he saw no more than just annoyance, when his kidneys got him out of bed five or six times each night. No, my dear sir and madame,—you are always warned—warned plenty—before a sudden attack strikes you down. Heed the warnings, however slight, if you do not understand symptoms perfectly. It will pay in length of days maybe. If you do not understand, go to the physician who does. A visit to the doctor is many times cheaper than a funeral! The capable physician will tell you that neglect in matters that pertain to life and health is simply inexcusable—worse than the height

of folly. It doesn't cost much to have the urine analyzed—and may be the means of prolonging that very delightful sojourn of yours in the land of the living.

It is a rather sad reflection that I indulge this morning—that more than half the deaths were preventable.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

The Sunday School is moving along at a fine clip under the direction of Mr. Chas. H. Metcalfe, General superintendent. Mr. Metcalfe has been in charge only a short time but has already demonstrated his ability to make the Sunday School what it ought to be. He has each department well organized with competent superintendents and teachers, and with renewed interest and enthusiasm aroused all indications point to a very successful Sunday School year. Mr. Geo. C. Shuford is the new president of the Mens' Bible Class and is filling this position most admirably. The Honor Roll for October shows a

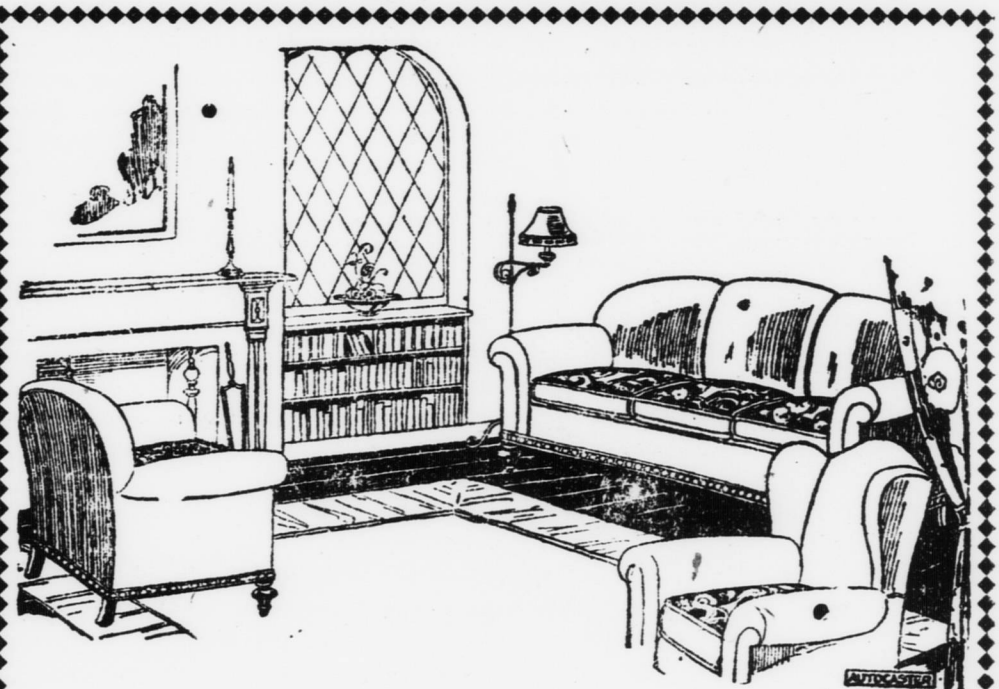
total of twenty-four members of this class who were present each Sunday morning during the month.

Last Sunday being Armistice Day Mr. Rhinehardt made a very fitting talk just before his sermon at the evening service. He reminded his hearers of just what this meant to the world and appealed for the proper keeping of this day to the memory of those who sleep in Flanders Field and those who returned. After this preliminary talk he launched into his sermon, his subject being, "Peace." Several visitors were noted in the congregation Sunday evening. It was a pleasure to have them and they are extended a cordial invitation to come again.

DR. H. L. ROBERTSON

Cliffside, N. C.

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