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DR. PHILLIPS IN CONCORD.

A Success and an Inspiration—Sunday School Work under New Light.

Dr. A. L. Phillips, general superintendent of Sabbath Schools and young peoples societies of our assembly, conducted a "Conference on our Church and her Young People" in the First Presbyterian Church of Concord, N. C., February, 11th and 12th, 1902.

To say that the Conference was a success and an inspiration is but mildly to express our feelings. The awakening was phenomenal. The enthusiasm aroused, prodigious, the helpfulness, immense. We, who were privileged to attend, felt that the assembly has done the right thing, and has placed the right man in the right place.

On Tuesday morning, February, 11th, the Conference was organized, with Rev. Jno. Wakefield, Presbyterial Chairman of Sabbath Schools, in the chair, and Rev. C. Preston, secretary. About eighty five superintendents, teachers and Sabbath School workers, were enrolled, and numbers more attended the services.

Dr. Phillips captivated the entire audience by his first talk, on "The Young People in Missionary Societies," and we remained captive as long as he was with us. His differentiation between young peoples' missionary societies and young peoples' societies for work and worship was unique, but practical and plain. It opened our eyes to many opportunities and advantages, long overlooked or neglected in the past.

The exposition of a Model Presbyterian Sabbath School, in which the "Assembly's Fourteen Points of Excellence" are found, was so simple, and yet so suggestive, that many of us were commended on the spot, but all were encouraged to make new efforts on determination to attain to, and utilize more of these characteristics.

Words cannot express the inspiration in, and derived from Dr. Phillips' address on "The Bible in Modern Education," it was superb, and every one who hears it will receive a comforting and lasting benefit.

"How to Teach the Lesson" was ably and delightfully illustrated, and the plea for a "Graded Sabbath School" converted many of us who had been doubtful or opposed to it previously.

The presentation or exhibition of equipment, books, charts, maps, objects, sand-box, etc., was indeed a revelation to those who have never realized how much assistance can be secured for our Sabbath School work.

But the closing address was supreme. "Missions in the Sabbath School and the Sabbath School in Missions." Though suffering from great hoarseness, Dr. Phillips excelled himself on this great subject as the experience meeting following attested.

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Rev. Mr. Preston to Leave Us.

Rev. Cochran Preston, desiring to take a post graduate course in theology and ecclesiology, resigned his charge before the Concord Presbytery on Wednesday and after hearing his reasons the Presbytery accepted the resignation, to take effect after the fourth Sunday in this month. He will go to Richmond, Va. He will probably be there some three months. He has not decided on a course of action after that time.

While not desiring to restrict him in broadening his field of labor we are exceedingly loath to see Mr. Preston leave his splendid work here.

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The New Process that Promises to Revolutionize the Business—Simplicity of Method.

We have noted from exchanges that the process of manufacturing cotton seed is to undergo a revolution, promising great advantages in favor of the new process, but following from the Augusta Chronicle give the only clear comparative description of the process that we have seen. The Chronicle says:

"By the process now employed it is stated that the cotton seed pass through six mechanical processes: (1) a machine for cleaning seed of sand; (2) machine for removing hulls, pieces of wood, etc.; (3) magnetic machine for removing iron, nails, etc.; (4) a delimiting machine; (5) hulling machine; (6) reel for separating mats from the hulls.

"Instead of these six machines the new process simply dumps the seeds, just as they come from the gin, into a vat containing chemicals, and in twenty minutes it is claimed the hull will pop open and the denuded kernels fall to the bottom of the vat while the hulls float on the top of the solution. If the kernels are to be shipped a distance to an oil mill they are dried first, but if this first process is at the oil mill then the kernels are passed immediately from the vat to the crushing rolls and it is claimed there is a saving of 50 per cent in the cost of producing crude oil. The refining process is no more expensive, and it is claimed that the finest olive oil on the market can be duplicated from the product.

"Another great saving is in the shipment of the denuded seed to cotton oil mills. The weight is reduced one-half and the bulk two-thirds. The hulls that rise to the top of the vat are in shape for paper stock and worth from \$20 to \$40 per ton, showing a gain of from \$9 to \$18 over present practices of treating cotton seed to the point of cooking the meal for extracting the oil.

"This process for which application of patent has been made is said to be in successful operation in Washington City, and can be worked at any refinery, saving the large amount already mentioned to the owner of the seed. The saving under this process will permit the payment of several dollars a ton more to the farmers for cotton seed and it is claimed by the owners of the new process that it means a revolution in the business and millions of dollars to the cotton farmers of the South. It is proposed to organize and work it independent of the trust and Standard Oil Company and give the farmers a chance to enjoy the profits.

KENTUCKY SALOON TRAGEDY.

At Least Six Killed on the 12th, Making a Total of 59 Deaths at This Desperate Hole.

Six or more men were killed and as many more probably fatally shot at Lee Turner's saloon, 3 1/2 miles from Middletown, Ky., between four and six o'clock on the 12th in a terrible pitched battle between officers and mountain desperadoes. Turner resisted arrest by the officers and one of the latter was killed. Turner and several of his men escaped by breaking through while his saloon was burned with six of his men.

It is said that counting but six deaths on this occasion Turner's saloon was a death trap that has caught 59 victims and twice that number have been wounded.

Do a Chicken Have Horns?

Mr. Correll, the express man, showed the writer a chicken rooster Wednesday evening that has two horns of about one inch in length. They are on each side of the comb and extend nearly as high as the comb. They look natural as if an essential part of his fowl physique.

Land Gentily to Rest.

The final tribute of respect to Mrs. T. C. Stricker was paid today (Thursday) at 10 o'clock with an impressive and consoling funeral discourse by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Hiller, when gentle hands bore the remains away to rest in the city cemetery by those of her late deceased husband.

The pall bearers were Messrs. A. M. Brown, D. R. Hoover, M. B. Stucky, D. L. Best, J. M. Hendrix and L. A. Weddington.

CONCORD COUPLE MARRIED.

How the Salisbury Sun in a Fit of Robbery Seeks a Difficulty with our People.

Here is the way our usually courteous and genial friend, Julian of the Salisbury Sun attempts to throw off on Concordians. It is but a fit of reprobacy for which we pardon him in advance and withhold the names through our solicitude for his personal safety.

"With the marriage apparitions redolent with the fragrant aroma of a hash stew, with the entrancing melody of Prof. Martin's two piece string band vibrating and thrilling, in the presence of august magisterial dignity and a dozen witnesses—and—both Concordians, found the consummation of their day dream of love yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The Sun briefly mentioned yesterday that he had wood and won but even the distasteful flights of fancy could not soar to the heights necessary to anticipate the auspicious culmination of this courtship.

The ceremony was performed in Prof. James Hodges' hash house.

Esquire M. F. Randle officiated. Five men, six urchins, two dogs and one cat witnessed it.

Prof. Martin's orchestra drew forth low, sweet strains from a dilapidated guitar and a badly abused harp while the ceremony was in progress and the stereotyped term impressive would fall far short of expressing the manner in which Esquire Randle tied the knot.

When the nuptials were concluded the couple stood under an arching stovepipe and received the congratulations of the assembled aggregation.

They left last night for Concord.

The bride is a handsome young widow and is quite wealthy.

The groom is a taffy maker.

OPENING THE BOXES.

Meeting of Missionary Society of Central M. E. Church.

The monthly meeting of Central M. E. church held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. A. S. Dayvaut, Monday afternoon. There were present twenty five members and three visitors. Mrs. D. B. Coltrane, the president, opened the meeting by reading in a most impressive manner, Psalm 143, Mrs. W. R. Harris led in a short, but earnest prayer. The roll was called and the monthly dues were paid, which amounted to seven dollars and thirty cents. Mrs. J. A. B. Fry read a literary selection "The Gift of the New Year." Mrs. Fry's readings are always enjoyed. It had been decided at a previous meeting to take up the study of Via Christi, a book on Apostolic Missions.

Mrs. Bynum, corresponding secretary, reported having ordered a number of copies for the use of the society. Perhaps the most interesting feature of the meeting was the opening of the mite boxes. This collection was forty dollars and fifty cents, and is always a free-will offering. Fifty dollars is the amount assessed this society towards the support of two missionaries in a foreign field. It must be remembered that quite a number who will contribute to this fund were not present. It trust there were many prayers for God's blessing on every dollar. "Paul may plant and Apollous may water, but God giveth the increase." We should ever keep the spiritual side of the work in our minds and hearts. The ladies were asked for any experience they might have had in making their mite box money. Of course, most of them freely admitted that their generous husbands had given it; but one good housewife, the mother of a large family, related, in her modest way, that she had made four dollars and eleven cents by embroidering the little linen collars so much worn, now, for twenty-five cents apiece. It may be interesting to note, that the mite box of one lady, who works for a salary, contained just three dollars and sixty-five cents, a penny for every day in the year. Last, but not least on the program was Mrs. Dayvaut's pleasant surprise. She led the way to the dining room, which was prettily decorated in pink and green. Dainty refreshments of cake and frappe and fruits, in quite a variety, were served in a most delightful way, and it is needless to say were heartily enjoyed by all present; judging from the way the ladies lingered and chatted loath to leave so charming a hostess. X.

While the Short Hand

of the clock travels twice around the dial Perry Davis' Painkiller will cure a cold; will ease the tightness across the chest and hence will banish the fear of pneumonia. "Just a little cold" does not become a misery that clings until roses bloom if you have recourse to this never-failing help. There is but one Painkiller. Perry Davis'.

GOLD MINING IN CABARRUS.

Renewed Activity, Especially in the Vicinity of Flows—Company Working Under Option.

The people in southern Cabarrus are looking forward with hope to a boom in gold and copper mining. The centre of activity just now is in the neighborhood of Flows, where considerable work is being done. A company, reputed to have abundant capital back of it, has begun work, under an option, on the lands of Mr. L. B. Linker. This property has long been believed to be very rich in gold, and in case it so proves the company will work on a large scale and will buy up thousands of acres of farming lands in the neighborhood, options having been secured already.

This particular section is directly on a mineral belt extending from Gold Hill on the north to the Halle mine and the Valdosta mines on the south and embraces such noted properties as the Reid mine, where many large nuggets have been found, and the Phoenix mine, where extensive operations have been and are now carried on.

THE DALLAS REUNION.

Veterans Will Get a Rate of \$22 and a Sleeping Car for a Home.

Mr. Jno. E. Satterfield, traveling passenger agent for the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis Railroad, was in the city yesterday trying to make arrangements to run a solid train from Charlotte to Dallas, Tex., for the reunion there of the Confederate veterans. Although no rate has been offered Mr. Satterfield said that it would be about \$22 for the round trip, which is about one cent per mile. He proposes to have a sleeper with the train, for the use of which 50 cents per day will be charged. The sleeper will be sidetracked at Dallas and will be used as a lodging place for the men, the car and baggage being attended to by the regular porter while the train is there. If the contract is made the train will leave Charlotte at 8 o'clock on Sunday morning and will arrive at Dallas at 6 o'clock on Tuesday morning.

Speaking of the occasion yesterday a veteran said that about 30,000 veterans usually attended the reunions. The reporter remarked that there was still a large army of Confederate soldiers, to whom the "vet" replied, "Yes, and I'm afraid we will have to fight some in the Philippines before the insurgents are whipped." The veteran said, not boastfully at all, that the Confederate veteran had never learned to run from bullets and that they always held what they got.—Charlotte Observer of 13th.

Liquor and Trouble.

W. H. Folger, who shot and killed Bob Moore at Spencer on the 27th of January, is on trial for his life at Salisbury. Thus far the evidence indicates that liquor was the only real cause. He is in trouble enough over the folly.

Handsome Profit on Real Estate.

A few years ago Col. Andrews as president of the Southern Land Improvement Company sold two acres of land between the depot and the river at Asheville to Mr. J. B. Bostic. A few days ago the Colonel wanted the land for enlarging and improving the railroad equipments there. After much dickering the Colonel planked down \$2,750 and 10,000 miles transportation for the two acres.

Recovers From Appendicitis.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Lowe, of Charlotte, who was operated on for appendicitis at the Whitehead Stokes Sanitarium has recovered and has returned home.

She Didn't Wear A Mask.

But her beauty was completely hidden by sores, blotches and pimples till she used Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Then they vanished as with all Eruptions, Fever Sores, Boils, Carbuncles, Felons from its use. Infalible for Cuts, Corns, Burns, Scalds and Piles. Curo guaranteed. 25c at Fetzner's Drug Store.

Dust Explosion in a Mine.

Fifteen men suffered injury on the 11th by a dust explosion at Bon Air, Tex., and much injury to the mine was sustained.

M. L. Marsh's the druggist, will refund you your money if you are not satisfied after using Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They cure disorders of the stomach, biliousness constipation and headache. Price, 25 cents. Samples free.

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We appreciate the business you gave us the past season, in this Department, and intend giving you still better service this Spring. We are determined to give you a class of Tailoring that is absolutely Merchant Tailoring of the highest order. Our New Tailoring Shops are the finest in the world, and with these increased facilities we are confident you will be pleased with the prompt attention to your orders.

Any suggestion you can offer that will enable us to still better serve you, will be much appreciated.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of the samples as soon as received, and thanking you again for your many favors, we beg to remain,

Yours very truly,
SCHLOSS BROS. AND CO.

Fire at Hotel McAdoo.

A fire occurred at the McAdoo Hotel, in Greensboro, Friday about 4 o'clock. The fire is thought to have been caused by a defective flue. After hard and skillful work the flames were extinguished. The damage is likely not over \$500, covered by insurance.

Good Roads the Thing.

No tax is paid more cheerfully, if the money is wisely used, than a road tax. The results are felt by every one. Good roads into a city facilitate business for the merchant and business men and increase the value of farm lands. Good roads at the same time are the best feeders for the railroads and there is no line of endeavor which does not reap a benefit. We trust that the Good Roads Association so auspiciously begun will push forward the work and accomplish much good for North Carolina in the near future.—Raleigh Times.

A Convincing Answer.

"I hobbled into Mr. Blackmon's drug store one evening," says Wesley Nelson, of Hamilton, Ga., "and he asked me to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism with which I had suffered for a long time, I told him I had no faith in any medicine as they all failed. He said, 'Well if Chamberlain's Pain Balm does not help you, you need not pay for it.' I took a bottle of it home and used it according to the directions and in one week I was cured, and have not since been troubled with rheumatism." Sold by M. L. Marsh's Drug Store.

"While your boy is still helpless help him to help himself. Spend less time scolding and more time teaching."

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Tot Causes Night Alarm.

"One night my brother's baby was taken with croup," writes Mrs. J. C. Snider, of Crittendon, Ky., "it seemed it would strangle before we could get a doctor, so we gave it Dr. King's New Discovery, which gave quick relief and permanently cured it. We always keep it in the house to protect our children from Croup and Whooping Cough. It cured me of a chronic bronchial trouble that no other remedy would relieve." Infalible for Coughs, Colds, Throat and Lung troubles. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Fetzner's Drug Store.

Austin Case Postponed.

The case of State vs J. F. Austin was postponed yesterday until next Tuesday. A large number of witnesses have been summoned on this case and they were dismissed until next Tuesday morning.—Salisbury Sun of 14th.

"Boe" and the Way He Went.

A woman living in the suburbs was aroused by a noise at the window, and dimly saw a man's face peering in through the blind. She silently crept out of bed, and, reaching the window, popped up like a jack-in-the-box with a sudden "Boo!" The man dropped as though shot, and fled.—Hartford Post.

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A WRECK ON THE SOUTHERN.

The Engineer and Fireman are Injured—By No One Else is Hurt—Officials Believe the Train Was Wrecked.

At 11:30 o'clock yesterday the Southern's passenger train No. 39, southbound, came to signal grief at Clifton, eleven miles east side of Spartanburg, S. C. The engineer, C. S. Canby, of Greenville, S. C., received a bad cut on the head and his colored fireman, Al Carter, also of Greenville, was painfully scalded on the leg; the engine was damaged beyond hope of repair, but beyond these casualties no one was injured nor was the damage material.

Statements made by Southern Railway officials last night indicated that they believed that the wreck was the result of a deliberate attempt to wreck the train. Engineer Canby says that he was running at a pretty rapid rate of speed when he saw just ahead of the engine a pile of rocks and railroad spikes on the tracks. Before he could check the speed of the engine it had struck the spikes and the wheels of the front trucks had left the track. The engine ran for 500 feet on the cross-ties before it turned over, and the engineer and fireman pluckily stayed in their seats until the engine started to turn, when they jumped, escaping without serious injury.

The engine and tender, one combination baggage and passenger car and two passenger cars—first and second class—were derailed, but none of the occupants of the cars were at all hurt. The track was cleared in a short time and the passengers resumed their journey.—Charlotte Observer of 15th.

Toddy the Trouble.

The occasional toddy is giving postmaster Mullen, of Charlotte, no end of trouble. Verily, the man who smiles on mint juleps will get an occasional jar.—Salisbury Sun.

It Was Only a Poxum.

It is going the rounds and we suppose the story will be stated by the Atlantic and Pacific waves that a baby was found in Mecklenburg the other day inclosed in a bag and submerged in a creek. Now it turns out that it was only a "poxum," not a baby at all. There is no explanation how some hunter lost his game but a murder trial is spoiled.

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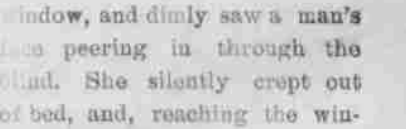
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