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Lillie Maye Joyce.

Mattie Joyce.

We have the pleasure this week of presenting a picture of Lillie Maye and Mattie, two bright and attractive little girls of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Joyce, of Walnut Cove. Lillie Maye and Mattie are both friends and readers of the Reporter.

TEMPERANCE ENTERTAINMENT.

To Be Given At Davis' Chapel On the Fourth Sunday In May--The Program--Everybody Invited.

There will be a temperance entertainment at Davis' Chapel church the fourth Sunday, May 24, beginning at 10:30 o'clock, A. M., which everyone is most cordially invited to attend. Part of the exercises will be in the forenoon and part in the afternoon. So let everybody come, bring dinner, and spend the day. The following will be the programme:

- Song.
- Scripture reading.
- Prayer.
- Recitation by Roy Flinchum.
- Class recitation—"A Band Of Children," by four small girls.
- Recitation—"How Do You Like the Samples," by Miller Wilkins.
- Recitation—"Write It Everywhere," by Claudia Dunlap.
- Song.
- Recitation—"The Two Glasses," by Ethel Flynt.
- Class recitation—"Keep Your Life Straight," by three little boys.
- Recitation—"What License Is," by Bessie Mae Flinchum.
- Recitation by Sam Smith.
- Recitation—"The Drunkard's Bondage," by Peggie Dunlap.
- Song.
- Class recitation—"Temperance Torch Lights," by nine little girls.
- Recitation—"I'll Take What Father Takes," by Charlie Hutcherson.
- Recitation—"It Is Nothing To Me," by Annie Martin.
- Song.
- Recitation—"A Word That Was Not Too Late," by Mary Kington.
- Recitation—"Work For Prohibition," by Cary Flynt.
- Class recitation—"The World's Crusade," by seven girls.
- Recitation—"With Temperance Banner's Wide Unfurled," by Fairy Wilkins.
- Song.
- Recitation—"Poor House Nan," by Sarah Smith.
- Recitation—"Whiskey In Its Place," by Sadie Flinchum.
- Recitation—"An Old Man's Story," by James Hutcherson.
- Song.
- Recitation—"Little Blossom," by Bessie Fagg.
- Recitation—"Gog and Magog," by Maggie Kington.
- Declamation, by Andrew Smith.
- Address on prohibition by Mr. Chas. R. Hutcherson.

Mrs. D. A. Binkley returned Monday from an extended visit to relatives at Lewisville.

Mr. G. G. Shelton, a good citizen residing on Danbury Route 1, was a visitor at the Reporter office Tuesday.

HAPPENINGS AT DALTON.

People Attending School Commencements--Mrs. Ellis Hooker Right Sick--The Trinity Sunday School Doing Well.

Dalton, May 11.—Mrs. D-lla Culler, of High Point, is visiting her mother, Mrs. John Fowler.

Miss Ruby Hamum spent last Wednesday and Thursday in Dalton, with Miss Maud Coe, and her brother, Mr. C. T. Hamm.

Mr. T. A. Dalton returned home Friday after spending some few days in Winston, and was accompanied home by his brother, Mr. C. F. Dalton.

Messrs. W. F. Culler and C. T. Hamm went to Winston Friday, and returned same day. They purchased more goods.

Mr. Albert Phillips left Saturday for Leaksville, N. C., to attend the commencement at L. S. I.

Mr. Ellis Hooker is right sick, but hope he will soon recover.

Rev. Long failed to fill his appointment at Trinity yesterday. But it was filled by young Mr. Ward.

Miss Flora Spainhower, of King, spent Saturday night with Mrs. Lula Spainhower at Mr. C. J. Shultz's.

Dr. and Mrs. M. D. Phillips and little daughter Julia, are expecting to leave next Thursday to attend the commencement at Leaksville-Spray Institute.

The Sunday School at Trinity is very good this spring. Hope it will still grow larger.

Mr. Edgar Spainhower spent yesterday at Mr. C. J. Shultz's.

Miss Maud Coe expects to leave Wednesday for Lynchburg, Va., to visit her sister, Mrs. C. R. Tuttle.

Rev. Wilson spent Friday night at Dr. M. D. Phillips'.

Mr. Ross Hamm and sister, Miss Ruby, are expecting to attend the commencement at Boonville, N. C., the 21st and 22nd.

Mr. Arthur Weisner, of Winston, spent Sunday at Messrs. J. H. and M. D. Hamm's.

"ME."

Death Of Mr. W. J. Wilson.

Esquire J. P. Covington, of Pinnacle Route 2, was in town on business Tuesday, and informed the Reporter of the death of Mr. W. J. Wilson, a prominent citizen of the county, who passed away last Thursday at the age of 74. The burial took place at the family graveyard, conducted by Dr. J. T. Smith.

Clerk of the Court M. T. Chilton left today for Westfield to attend the bedside of his father, Mr. J. A. Chilton, who is seriously ill.

Register of Deeds Jones is busy preparing abstracts for the tax-listers, who will begin work June 1st.

DOINGS ON SANDY RIDGE ROUTE TWO.

Measles Going the Rounds--Mr. Monnie Shaffer Recovering--Mr. Clay Thornton Has Finished Planting Tobacco--Other News.

Sandy Ridge, Route 2, May 9.—Several people in this section have measles at present. "Got 'em at most every house."

Mr. Charles Young, of Spencer, Va., passed through Monday en route to see his nephew, Mr. John Young, near Dillard.

Mrs. A. J. Gann and daughter, Mrs. H. W. McCauley, visited her mother, Mrs. Sarah Watkins, on Campbell Route 1 Sunday.

Miss Mollie Hennis has returned home from Winston, where she has been spending some time with relatives and friends.

Mrs. M. W. Andrews and little daughter Cappie, are visiting friends at Germanton and Pilot Mountain this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson attended preaching at Buffalo Sunday.

Mr. Joe Joyce has lately purchased a milch cow from Mr. G. W. Shaffer.

Mr. A. J. Gann expects to go to Leaksville-Spray with tobacco soon.

An optician named Boyd was in this community Thursday.

We think wedding bells will be ringing in this section soon, as Mr. Henry Martin calls on Miss Nellie Powers right often.

Mrs. Henrietta Ferguson has been very ill with measles, but is much improved at this writing. Hope she may soon be strong and well again.

Mr. Clay Thornton has already planted his entire crop of tobacco. Wonder who can beat that?

Mr. Monnie Shaffer, who has been very low with pneumonia, is slowly recovering. His little daughter Susie is no better, but seems to be growing worse.

Messrs. Ezra Joyce and Sam Wilkins have gone to Stoneville with tobacco today.

Mr. T. Hutchens, of Madison, spent Friday night at Mr. A. J. Gann's.

Mrs. H. W. McCauley has returned to her home at Guilford, after spending a month with her parents.

A good many people in this neighborhood will attend the prohibition contest which will be held at Delta church to-day.

"LEO."

KING.

King, May 11.

Times are very lively around here now. Planting corn is all the go.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Tuttle and family were visitors at Mr. J. M. Gibson's Sunday.

Irene, the little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Slate, is right sick with pneumonia, we are sorry to note.

Miss Claudia Johnson was a visitor in Capella Saturday.

Miss Carrie Hartgrove visited Miss Mary Gibson Sunday.

Mr. Amer Tilley and son James visited Mrs. W. C. Slate Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Cromer and little daughter visited her son in Winston last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Tillotson, Mr. and Mrs. Scales Cromer visited at Mr. R. H. Pulliam's Sunday.

Rev. Dr. J. T. Smith will give a temperance lecture at Mt. Olive church on Saturday night, May 16th. Everybody come.

KITTY.

Mr. W. P. Nelson, of Danbury Route 1, one of our most energetic merchants, was a visitor at the Reporter office Tuesday. Mr. Nelson has an ad in this issue to which your attention is invited.

A FOOT-BRIDGE WANTED AT CLEMMONS' FORD.

Praise For Judge Justice--Fruit Of Fruit and Tobacco Plants In the Asbury Section--Lots Of Tobacco Will Be Planted This Year.

Brim Route 1, May 8.—We have a fine fruit crop around Asbury, and we feel like it is about safe now.

Wheat is looking very good at present.

There is just plenty of tobacco plants around Asbury to plant two crops of tobacco. There will be the most land planted in tobacco this year in Stokes than ever has been planted. When you beg a farmer to plant a small crop of tobacco the desire grows in him to plant a big one. I pity such a class of men. They toil for no good at all. I had rather have the cash that it takes to pay for the fertilizer in Stokes this year than to have all the profit on the tobacco crop.

If Judge Justice could come to Danbury and hold every court we all would be well pleased. We consider him the most business man ever at Danbury. He has the right name—Justice. Among all the work done by the lawyers at Danbury during the criminal part of court, we have heard more praise for young Hall, who pleaded the case of Hardin Moore. That speech was hard to beat. It was well worded and as near the point as it could have been uttered. Then John D. Humphreys on cross-examination of W. W. Noah made a great success. He tore Noah's testimony all to pieces by Noah himself. Then it was that the bill was thrown out of court against G. L. Simmons.

MEADOWS.

Meadows, N. C., May 12.

A new son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Tuttle Tuesday.

Mr. Milton Southern, who has been suffering very severely with neuralgia, is improving.

Mrs. Lizzie Easter, Miss Thelma Neal and Master Rodney Easter returned home from Pilot Mtn. Monday.

Mesdames J. M. Neal, W. P. Sands and Maggie Martin are attending the association at Ridgeway this week.

Messrs. J. N. Young and Will Sands have gone back to their Kernersville farm again.

A large crowd attended services at Clearspring Sunday. Not half of the crowd could be seated.

A good many of the farmers in this community are planting tobacco this week.

Master Julius Young has purchased a goat. He calculates on working it to a little wagon.

Baptist Association at Ridgeway, Virginia.

Elder J. A. Fagg, of Danbury Route 1, accompanied by Messrs. L. D. Hole and Roland Smith, was here Monday en route to Ridgeway, Va., where they go to attend the Primitive Baptist Association which is in session there this week.

SANDY RIDGE.

Sandy Ridge, May 11.—There was an ice cream supper at Mr. W. T. Ward's Saturday night. A large crowd was there and had a nice time.

Miss Handy Jackson is visiting her cousins Misses Millie, Sallie and Dora Ward.

Messrs. E. F. Smith and S. R. Ward returned from Roanoke, Va., a few days ago, where they have been for some time.

Mrs. W. R. East is visiting her brother and sister Mr. John and Miss Sarah Ward. After several weeks of sickness we are glad to see her out again.

A large crowd from Sandy Ridge visited the show at Madison.

TWO COUSINS.

"TO YOUR TENTS, O ISRAEL!"

The Reporter is glad to say to the prohibition people of Stokes county that just as sure as the sun shall rise tomorrow morning, the State is going to roll up a great majority for prohibition—such a majority as will sound the death knell of the whiskey traffic in North Carolina forever. The whiskey crowd, with all of its immense campaign funds, is unable to corrupt the splendid manhood of our old North State, and they have practically conceded to the prohibitionists all but seventeen of the counties of the State.

It makes us downcast with shame that among the seventeen of the counties the whiskey crowd are claiming is our own dear county of Stokes—called by outsiders crime-stricken, lawless, hopeless.

But the Reporter has far too much faith in the good people of Stokes county to believe for one moment that this county will vote for the manufacture and sale of whiskey in North Carolina and Stokes county. We are gaining ground every day. We are now organized at every precinct in the county. The people are reading and thinking. There is beginning to be a great change in sentiment.

Among the crowd that are not with us are some of the best friends this paper has in the world, as good men as there are in the State of North Carolina. We are deeply grieved that they are taking the stand against what their cool, calm reason must tell them is not for the best interests of our county, but opposed to all that is dear to themselves—their churches, wives, children, homes. These people we do not believe realize what a tremendous responsibility rests upon them. There are a thousand homes in Stokes county that have felt the sting of the liquor curse at some time.

The Reporter wants to see the real men of Stokes county rise up and say that we are good people as there are on the face of the earth and we will cast off this dark stain upon the fair name of our county—this record for blockade stills, and disregard of the law. We will do our part, and join the 80 other counties of the State who will roll up big majorities for prohibition on the 26th of May.

The time has come when every man, woman and child are called upon to do their duty—to use all the influence that each one has for the good of their county. Don't be ashamed to do what you must know is right. You will be ashamed of the part you have taken when the State goes for prohibition by 50,000 majority, and you feel that it was in spite of your efforts to legalize the manufacture and sale of liquor at every cross-roads in Stokes county.

All the churches of the State without a single exception are standing on record for prohibition, even the Roman Catholics. In another part of this paper we are publishing a letter from Elder P. D. Gold, the head of the Primitive Baptist church in the State, who declares that he will vote for prohibition, and we are glad to see this great church, which is so strong and has so much influence in our county, standing on the right side. With the help of the great Primitive Baptists, we are going to carry the strongholds of the enemy.

The National Whiskey Trust has sent \$5,000,000 into the field, to corrupt the manhood of North Carolina. Every man, woman and child are expected to do their duty. Never shall we permit this gigantic tear-fed, blood-gorged trust to buy our votes and our influence to destroy our own homes.

"To your tents, O Israel."

Address Of Dr. C. W. Blanchard.

Dr. C. W. Blanchard, pastor of the First Baptist church of Raleigh, spoke at Palmyra and Union Hill churches Sunday, and at Danbury Sunday night, on prohibition, under the auspices of the State Anti-Saloon League. Dr. Blanchard made a most favorable impression on all who heard him, and it is the general verdict that if he could be heard by every citizen of our county that our people would be unanimous in their determination to vote against the manufacture and sale of whiskey in the State. Dr. Blanchard's address was attended by a large crowd, and it is certain, although there are scarcely any persons opposed to prohibition in this community, that those who were doubtful about their duty on the 26th of May, had their doubts removed.

He is making one of the strongest appeals we have ever heard, yet there is nothing in his remarks that could be offensive to even the most sensitive anti-prohibitionists. Dr. Blanchard stated that the central office at Raleigh is much in need of funds to carry on the work of the prohibition campaign in the State. He has spent more than \$500.00 out of his own pocket helping defray the expenses of the work. If there are any persons in Stokes county who desire to help in the great fight financially, send your contribution to Chairman John A. Oates, of the State Anti-Saloon League, Raleigh, N. C. He will send you a receipt, and will thank you. Every little amount, no matter how small, will be thankfully received. All the prohibitionists are working without pay, and nearly all of the speakers are paying their own expenses.

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GANN'S.

Gann's, May 12.—This section is being stirred for prohibition now. On last Saturday there was a rally at Delta church with a good, orderly crowd with fine recitations and speeches. We heard one man who lives in that neighborhood say that there would not be more than two votes cast there for the manufacture and sale of intoxicants.

Rev. Lee Wall preached a strong sermon on prohibition at the Buffalo school house Sunday morning and Sunday night there were recitations and a strong speech by Rev. Lee Wall to a full house at Mt. Hermon. There will be but few if any votes for the liquor side in this section.

Wheat is looking fine. There has been a lot of tobacco plants transplanted.

Measles still raging. Five cases at Mr. A. L. Gunter's.

DILLARD.

Mr. Jerry Martin and Mrs. J. E. Lasley continue to be seriously ill.

V. Gilmer Williams, one of our former neighbor boys, was here Thursday.

Messrs. Carroll and Babbit went into the Fall Hills looking after some moonshiners Thursday. Suppose they were making a geographical survey, as they didn't find any copper.

Mr. Wallace Webster passed through Dillard Monday with one of his children en route to Winston to be treated for mad dog bite.

Miss Emma Duncan, who has been attending school at Danbury, visited her parents Friday and Saturday returning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Mitchell visited there daughter, Mrs. J. H. Willis at Walnut Cove, Saturday and Sunday.

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