

Disease Can Be Prevented

Chamber Of Commerce Banquet A Delightful Event

Secretary Joy's illustrated hits, made possible by the genius of Photographer Bradshaw, and the address on the preventability of disease were the outstanding features of the Chamber of Commerce and Merchants' Association banquet last Thursday night.

President Nicholson introduced Secretary Joy who presided as toastmaster. Dr. Rankin is secretary of the State Board of Health and made a remarkable speech on the preventability of disease. He was introduced by Dr. J. H. Shuford.

Business Locals

You don't have to leave town to get good shoes. The "Kor-rect shape" for men and the Imperial for ladies have no superior at J. A. Bowles.

A good line of hosiery in silk, lisle or cotton at J. A. Bowles.

Wanted everybody to know that L. E. Zerden at the Under-selling Store pays the highest price for all kinds of furs.

White goods for spring sewing at J. A. Bowles.

Just received a fine line lot of California Seedless Oranges at Lawrence Cline & Co.

Go to J. O. Rhodes for all kinds of watch and jewelry repairs, work guaranteed for one year.

For Sale. Plymouth Rock Cockerels, C. M. Shuford strain 50 cents each, Apply to John W. Robinson, Newton, N. C., R. F. D. No. 4.

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A full line of canned goods, such as tomatoes, corn, beans and peas at Lawrence Cline & Co.

The very best in all kinds of watches and jewelry, at the lowest price possible J. O. Rhodes.

New line of spring gingham and percales in great variety at J. A. Bowles.

Wanted, settled white woman to cook etc. Mrs. Henry L. Abernethy, Hickory, N. C.

You can always get a good trunk or suit case at J. A. Bowles.

For Sale. Five or six tons of cut corn stover. Good feed for horses and cattle. Miss Mary Rowe, Conover, N. C. Telephone Newton 96-2.

Get your clothes made to measure at Harris and Littles. Ask for Taylor Tailoring and get the benefit of accurate values at suburban prices. 1 11 41

A picture of all the drug stores closed on account of Hickory's health followed when the room was darkened. Other pictures were D. J. Elliott bringing in a load of new factories while A. A. Shuford was saying "Good boy, Joe!" Col. Thornton's proposed dam on the Catawba; A. A. Whitener and W. S. Stroup cleaning up the park; Geo. Bisner and Edgar Yoder caricatured as chickens in a fight, Leghorn vs. Ornington; also Geo. Lyrelly, Carroll Shuford, R. O. Abernethy as chickens; Watt Shuford dreaming of a completed fair ground, and secretary J. J. riding his hobby horse—"O, Hickory on!"

Near five minute talks were made by J. C. Martin, "The Chamber of Commerce," Prof. C. M. Stray, "How Can Our Grammar Schools be Improved," J. D. Elliott, "How to Get More Income," W. H. Whisenand, "Why He Should Have a Central High School," Chas. W. Bagly, "Holding that Hickory has out-grown the general merchandise store," T. W. Chambliss, "The Charlotte Observer," A. A. Whitener, "The Civic League," W. C. Feimster, "Newton and Hickory," J. W. Robinson, "Good Roads," W. J. Shuford, "Hickory as a Market for the Back country," H. P. Lutz, the Creamery, B. B. Blackwelder, Good Night.

Messrs. Huffman and Fry were on hand personally looking after the comfort of the guests and gave them a good time.

We Want Mr. Smith.

With the hopes of interesting Mr. E. A. Smith, of Charlotte, in Hickory first and if not Hickory in Rhodhiss as a place for locating the \$300,000 cotton mill recently chartered by Mr. Smith and his co-laborers, a number of Hickory gentlemen met Mr. Smith and others as they came down from Rhodhiss Tuesday from attending a directors' meeting of that company. It would require at least 750 horse power to run the mill, and the Rhodhiss people think they have it there, in addition to the power required for the Rhodhiss mill already there. Hickory people would like to see the power brought down to this city to give the mill the advantage of quicker railroads facilities. Mr. Smith is one of the ablest mill men and one of the finest gentlemen in the South, and the man would be a greater asset for this section than the mill. Charlotte and other places are trying to locate him, and he will select the most suitable place later on. The people of this section will be delighted if they can win Mr. Smith.

The quicker a cold is gotten rid of the less the danger from pneumonia and other serious diseases. Mr. B. W. L. Hall, of Waverly, Va., says, "I firmly believe Chamberlain's Remedy to be absolutely the best preparation on the market for colds. I have recommended it to my friends and they all agree with me." For sale by all dealers.

Don't forget the Grand Theatre is open every afternoon from 2:30 to 5:30. 5c. to everybody.

Church of the Ascension. Sunday next the morning service only at 11, and the present rector will deliver his final address. He would take this opportunity for expressing his deep appreciation of the kindness and good will of all the members of the various congregations attending last Sunday night service at Parish church.

A Beautiful Complexion Comes of Using Cydonia Lotion. Softens and whitens the skin; cures sunburn, chapped, roughened skin. The genuine has Burwell and Dunn Co.'s name and label. Price, 25 cents. For sale by all medicine dealers.

The new Baptist churches at Rhodhiss and Brookford were dedicated last Sunday morning and afternoon, by Rev. J. D. Harte and Rev. Livingstone Johnson, with appropriate services.

Mr. J. W. Phillips and Miss Susie Swanson were married at the home of the bride last Tuesday evening. Rev. D. M. Litaker performed the ceremony.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

IN SOCIAL CIRCLES.

Misses Carmalt Grimes and Nellie Holmes Pearson, of Salisbury, and Bess Hairston, of Danville, Va., are visiting Mrs. R. A. Grimes. Mrs. E. L. Sperry entertained with four tables of bridge in honor of these young ladies Saturday night, and the Hickory Cotillion club gave a dance in their honor Monday night.

Mrs. E. B. Cline was hostess of the Traveller's Club Jan. 18. Mrs. J. L. Cillely gave an interesting account of "Scott's Association with the Ballantynes," his devoted friends and publishers. Mrs. W. B. Menzies presented concisely and with an appreciation the salient points of that great novel, "The Talisman." The hospitality of the hostess was shown at the close of this pleasant evening. Jan. 25, the club will meet with Mrs. K. C. Menzies.

On January 19th the Abel A. Shuford Chapter of the U. D. C. met at the home of Mrs. A. S. Abernethy.

The Chapter met especially to honor the day, Lee and Jackson day, that was probably observed in every town and city south of the Mason and Dixon line. Miss M. Y. Shuford read, "Lee's Last Mission," an account of the presidency of Washington and Lee University and his life in Lexington.

Miss Ada Schenk read Father Ryan's "Sword of Lee." It is not generally known that the man who moved Jackson from the field when he was wounded is a North Carolinian and lives in Jackson. His name is Thomas Jefferson Capps and Judge Long tells some interesting incidents of Thomas Jefferson Capps.

The chapter had a good deal of business on hand also. The same officers had served since the organization of the Chapter and it was thought desirable to elect new officers except the president, Mrs. O. M. Royster. The following new officers were elected:

Mrs. John Shuford, first vice president; Mrs. Ben Seagie, second vice president; Recording secretary, Miss Mary Shuford; corresponding secretary Miss Sallie Martin; treasurer Mrs. W. X. Reid; Historian, Mrs. E. B. Cline; Registrar, Mrs. Alice Abernethy. Other necessary and important business received attention.

The treasurer reported \$27.10 in the bank. Mr. A. A. Shuford gave the chapter \$25. for a Christmas present and I believe he will be pleased to know the greater part of his gift will go to adding to the comfort of the living veterans.

Mrs. Royster read inspiring and helpful letters from the general president and state president. After adjourning the hostess served coffee and said as a pleasant completion to a useful and informing meeting.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. La Fayette Abernethy at 8 o'clock the third Monday in February, the 19th.

One very important piece of business was appointing a committee to organize a children's chapter.

The Round Dozen Book Club met January 17th with Mrs. Henry Elliott, thirteen members in attendance. After the usual discussion of the books, the hostess gave prominence to her book, "Marie Claire" and its author, Margaret Andoux. She also read a most entertaining story which was most enjoyed.

A delicious supper was served in the dining-room. Miss Louise Elliott assisted most gracefully. The next meeting will be with Mrs. L. R. Whitener.

The meeting of the Thursday Study club was held with Mrs. L. R. Whitener, Jan. 19th. Quotations on women were given at roll-call. The first topic "Sterne" was given by Mrs. F. B. Ingold; in the absence of Mrs. Council and Mrs. Bisner, Mrs. Best read their papers on Shames O'Brien and James Callanan. Mrs. Whitener gave several of Lady Gregory's Folk Tales, and Miss Johnson concluded the program with a humorous article, "A Guide to Ignorance." Refreshments in courses were served, and the club adjourned to meet next with Mrs. W. B. Council.

Mrs. J. R. Beard delightfully entertained the Wednesday afternoon Book Club on Jan. 20. All the members except two were present. "Phrynette" was the book for the afternoon and the hostess read a personal letter from its charming author, Martha Trolly Curtis. Delicious refreshments were served in the way of an "English Tea" and each guest received a souvenir from abroad. The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. W. A. Hall on Jan. 31st.

Jan. 17, the Hickory Book Club met with Mrs. H. C. Menzies. All members were present and Mrs. J. G. Garth a guest. The discussion of books with every different shade of opinion and current events preceded the talk of the hostess about her book "The Harvester" by Mrs. Porter. A picture of the writer, several views of the Timberlost Cabin and a letter from Mrs. Porter's married daughter, (her only child), were among the items of great interest.

The luncheon table was a dream of beauty. The centerpiece was a limp pool with lily leaves, bordered with dense foliage and flowers and crossed by a bridge; a mirror, smilex and violets, narcissus, a toy bridge. Most of the romantic events in the book took place on this bridge. With the violets of every place were hand-painted cards suggestive of scenes and characters in the novel. All this dainty setting made turkey, oysters, tomatoes, and Charlotte Russe doubly appetizing. The next meeting will be with Mrs. A. A. Shuford, Jr. Jan. 31.

Claremont College Letter.

The mid-term examinations have just been held and the quarterly reports are being sent out. The school is now entering upon the third quarter and the different classes are manifesting considerable energy.

Three new students have entered the literary department since the holidays while the art school and the music department each have registered several new pupils.

At the mid-winter election of officers the Bible school has elected the following: President, Miss Alda Killian of Hickory; secretary, Miss Elizabeth X. McDowell of Morganton.

The literary societies have elected officers recently with the following results: Minervian—Miss Elizabeth McDowell, president; Miss Lillie Barringer, vice president; Miss Ollie Meador, secretary and treasurer.

Columbian—Miss Alda Killian, president; Miss Bayne Rutledge, of Gastonia, vice president; Miss Hattie Stowe, of Lowell, secretary and treasurer. The hour for the meetings of the societies has been changed. Renewed interest is expected.

Some changes have been made in the teaching force by way of rearranging the work. Miss Woodward will teach several classes in the literary department in connection with her work in domestic art.

The Minervian society will observe Washington's birthday by holding their anniversary exercises at that time. The school is looking forward with interest to St. Valentine's day, when suitable arrangements for its observance will be made.

During the cold weather the girls enjoyed greatly a few nights spent on the hill coasting, while the sunshine has induced them to attempt a cross-the-country walk. Some valuable additions have recently been made to the library.

Miss Lina Peck, of Gold Hill, who has been prevented from returning to school on account of the sickness in her family, is expected to enter school soon, while Miss Mattie Brian, of South Carolina, is expected within the next few days. Miss Brian has been sick.

Cabinet Maker.

I am now located on 1406 Eleventh Ave., where I am prepared to do all kinds of cabinet work, and upholstering and to make your old furniture look like new. Screen doors, windows and mantles a specialty. You cannot afford a nicer piece of furniture than a nice cabinet mantle. Call and see me before buying elsewhere. Packing and shipping house furniture. G. A. Critcher, Hickory, N. C.

LOCAL

It was in the interest of the Lutheran church in Salisbury, Feb. 6-8. Every Lutheran ought to attend.

Mr. W. H. of Greensboro, field secretary of the child labor committee, North Carolina, was in the city this week to see a number of mill men. He gave the Democrat a pleasant call.

S. S. Mauney of Cherryville, J. M. Rhodes of Lincolnton and Rev. L. L. Lohr of Lincolnton R. F. D. No. 1, were here Monday attending a meeting of the board of directors of Lenoir College.

Mr. W. L. Cline, of Conover, R. F. D. No. 1, was here Tuesday. He says the roads in his section are the worst they have been in years, and suggests that the drags be used at once so as to level up the deep ruts and cause them to dry out quicker.

Miss Helen Graham, of Philadelphia, who has been spending the winter with Mrs. Roy Abernethy, will leave Saturday for her home to the regret of her many friends in Hickory, for she has won the admiration of all the Hickory people, who hope that she will visit here again in the future.

Rev. John Hall, pastor of Gastonia and Bessmer City churches, was elected financial secretary of Lenoir College at a meeting of the trustees. An effort is being made to raise a \$100,000 endowment fund, and there is \$11,000 in hand. Mr. Hall, will make a splendid man for the place.

There is general sympathy for Mrs. W. under in the apparent paralysis of her daughter, Miss Loal, on Tuesday. Starting with pains in the lower limbs which the physicians thought at first was rheumatism, the girl was later on stricken with this more seriously malady. Her condition is rather serious.

Col. Thornton was at Charlotte Saturday, and Saturday night was entered and passed as a Son of Jové. After which there was a big glorious banquet and flow of merriment. The Colonel says he understands how farmers and hog raisers get at the weight of hogs, and he has known all his life that two pigs fastened in the fence will make more squeal than one pig can make; also that Josh Billings' advice to ascertain the square-root of a hog's nose was to turn him loose in a tater patch, but he never knew before that to get the square measure of a pig's squeal was to hold it in your lap and feed it sweet milk out of a bottle.

The splendidly trained Oak View Orchestra, under the directorship of Prof. K. B. Patterson, will give a concert at the Lenoir College auditorium on Feb. 12, the principal selection being Haydn's second symphony, a production with the great orchestras of the country are not ashamed to play. There will be no toy symphonies in the concert. Among the solos will be one on the violin by Mr. Locke McCorkle of Newton and another by Prof. Patterson; a piano solo by Miss Lillie Bell Hallman; a reading by Miss Stecher; a trombone solo by Hickory's enthusiastic trombonist, Mr. John Henderson. Hickory has had no opportunity hitherto to hear these people in concert work and we have no doubt that they will miss this rare opportunity.

Miss Lucile Little gave to Miss Eva Worth Moody, who is to leave Monday for Globe, Ariz., a farewell party Tuesday. As the guests arrived each one was given a souvenir card to find his partner. There were two contests, one was a description of their partner in which there were lots of funny things. The girls were then taken up stairs where they were given a string and the boys down stairs drew for girls as their partners in a peanut contest in which Eva Moody and Joe Aiken won the prize. Music was the greatest feature of the evening. Mr. John Henderson played a trombone solo with Miss Eva Moody as piano accompanist. Those who enjoyed the hospitality of Miss Little were: Misses Moody, Henderson, Bradshaw, Lowe, McComb, Riddle and Holbrook and Messrs. Hendersons, Menzie, Bonar, Shuford, Gamble, Litaker and Aiken. Delicious refreshments ended a pleasant evening.

Presbyterian Church Note

The regular services in the morning and evening next Sabbath. The morning subject, "The Great Duty of Christians," in the evening, the pastor expects to undertake the beginning of a series of sermons on "The seven words of Christ on the cross." A sermon on each one will be the order the first one next Sunday night being introductory to the series.

The West Hickory Sunday school will soon move over to the public school building for its services. The following is Miriam White-lier's paper on the Pastor's lecture given to the boys and girls Jan. 14. This is adjudged to be the best paper handed in.

- "MAKING OF THE BIBLE." 1. What does the Bible mean? It means the books. 2. What is the Bible? The Divine Library. 3. In what period of time was it written? In 1500 B. C. and 100 A. D equals 1600 years. 4. How many books in it? SIXTY-SIX BOOKS. 5. How many and what kind of authors? Forty men, in different walks of life. 6. What were the Bible languages? Hebrew, Chaldean and Greek. 7. Who inspired the Bible? God. 2 Tim. 3: 16. 8. What is the "Canon?" The books that are inspired. 9. Who collected the Old Testament books? Ezra and others who followed him. 10. Who tried to destroy them? A Syrian king, Antiochus Ep iphanes. 11. How do the Jews devalue the Bible? Law, Prophets and the Holy writings. 12. How do we divide it? Into Pentateuch, Historical, Poetical, Major Prophets and Minor Prophets. 13. How many in each division? Pentateuch 5. Historical 12. Poetical 5. Major Prophets 5. Minor Prophets 13. 14. Name the Books in each division. Pentateuch 5. Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy. Historical 12. Joshua, Judges, Ruth, 1st Samuel, 2nd Samuel, 1st Kings, 2nd Kings, 1st Chronicles, 2nd Chronicles, Ezra, Nehemiah, Esther. Poetical 5. Job, Psalms, Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Song of Solomon. Major Prophets 5. Isaiah, Jeremiah, Lamentations, Ezekial, Daniel. Minor Prophets 12. Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obidiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Jeremiah, Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi.

Speakers at Lutheran Laymen's Convention.

The following is a full list of speakers for the Lutheran Laymen's Missionary Movement convention to be held in Salisbury Feb. 7, 8 and 9, as announced by the secretary, Rev. E. C. Cronk: Gov. W. W. Kitchin, who will deliver the opening address at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 7; Dr. E. T. Horn, Philadelphia; Dr. S. P. Long, Mansfield, O.; Dr. H. E. Jacobs, Philadelphia; Dr. R. L. Fritz, Hickory; Mr. Harry B. Gerhardt, Balto.; Dr. R. C. Holland, Salem, Va.; Dr. Geo. B. Cromer, Newberry, S. C.; Pres. C. B. King, Charlotte; Mr. J. Murakami, Kumamoto, Japan; Mr. B. L. Umberger, Concord; Dr. J. B. Wolfe, Balto.; Rev. A. J. Stirewalt, Kumamoto, Japan; Dr. L. G. M. Miller, Columbia, S. C.; Prof. M. L. Stirewalt, Hickory; Kenneth Baker, Greenwood, S. C.; Mr. W. C. Stoever, Phila.; Prof. B. E. Copenhaver, Marion, Va.; Mr. J. Campbell White, New York; Prof. G. F. McAllister, Mount Pleasant; Mr. A. H. Kohn, Columbia, S. C.; Dr. R. L. Patterson, Charlotte; Dr. C. A. Freed, Columbia, S. C.; Mr. W. E. Doughty, New York; Mr. J. A. Alexander, Staunton, Va.; Pres. J. Henry Harms, Newberry, S. C.; Rev. W. C. Shaeffer, Atlanta, Ga.; Dr. J. E. Cooper, Winchester, Va.; Dr. W. H. Greever, Columbia, S. C.; Pres. W. A. Granville, Gettysburg, Pa.; Mr. C. W. Polvogt, Wilmington; Rev. Isaac Cannaday, Gunter, India.

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A Farewell to Rev. J. S. Moody Other Churches Unite With Him in a Final Service.

The services at the church of the Ascension Sunday, Jan. 20 were more than usually noteworthy. In the morning the Rector, Rev. John S. Moody, preached a sermon specially for men on St. Matthew 28: 15-17, bringing out in a very telling way the inevitableness of man's answer to the question, "Jesus, or Barabbas?"

The evening service was of the nature of a farewell in view of Mr. Moody's departure next week for his new field of work in Arizona. There was a very large attendance, including a goodly representation of the German Reformed and Presbyterian congregations with their respective pastors. Singers from the other choirs lent their aid in the music. The rector was assisted in the service by Rev. J. L. Murphree, who read the first lesson, Rev. J. G. Garth, who read the second lesson, and Rev. E. De. F. Heald, Jr, who read the final prayers.

Dr. Moody preached his sermon with appropriate words of farewell to the many friends present. His discourse on St. John, 1: 14, both in conception and in construction was again a remarkable one, showing an extraordinary grasp of the theological significance of the Epiphany. The manifestation of Jesus Christ to the world, in its fullness, as realized and taught by the Holy Church; and the preacher was most happy in his finished scholarly presentation of these various vital aspects of divine truth in their practical bearing upon everyday life. At the close the Rector and Mrs. Moody were accorded a visible proof of the wide and deep affection in which they are held in the community.

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

Rev. J. H. Wannemacher Pastor, Sunday School - - 9:45 a. m. Chief Service - - 11 a. m. Junior League - - 2:30 p. m. Evening Service - 7 p. m. Morning theme: Jesus stills the Tempest. Evening subject: Lead us not into temptation. To all these services the public is most cordially invited. Large and appreciative audiences attended these services last Sunday. There were more than 200 envelopes placed on the collection plate, begins to show the blessed fruit of every member canvass made recently. All the services were most inspiring. Friend, if you are not attending church elsewhere, come to Holy Trinity and worship with us. You are truly welcome.

Rev. C. L. Crane and bride, nee Miss Louise Dixon, left on 12 yesterday afternoon for Philadelphia from whence they sail on the Merion on Saturday for Africa, where they will work in the Congo Mission of the Southern Presbyterian church. After his fine address on Africa on Sunday morning in the Presbyterian church, the whole congregation bade the young people God-speed.