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WATCH FOR DATES

SPRAY BAPTIST CHURCH

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:30 A. M.
PUBLIC WORSHIP 11 O'CLOCK

Doxology
Invocation
Hymn No. 14
Prayer
Hymn No. 211
Scripture Reading
Offering—"The Lord loveth a cheerful giver."
Special Song by the Choir.
Sermon.
Hymn No. 53.
Benediction.

B. Y. P. UNIONS 6:30 P. M.
PUBLIC WORSHIP 7:30 P. M.

Hymn No. 100
Hymn No. 101
Prayer
Scripture Reading
Offering—"Give and it shall be given unto you."
Song No. 289
Prayer
Sermon
Hymn No. 88
Benediction

ANNOUNCEMENT

Ladies' Missionary Society meets Monday afternoon, at 3 o'clock with Mrs. A. D. Wanamaker.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday evening, 7:30 o'clock. After the prayer service there will be a choir practice.

THE PASTOR'S DESIRE

The Apostle Paul expressed our heart's desire when he said, "Brethren, pray for us," (1 Thess. 5. 25). How do you feel toward your pastor? Did you ever stop to think that, of all men, a minister receives the least sympathy. He must visit the sick, comfort the sorrowing and weep with those who weep. But when sorrow, grief or misfortune comes his way, who comes to him? If he is not fortunate enough to please everybody why then he is criticised. Would it be more Christ-like to follow Paul's request and pray for him? When have you really prayed for your pastor? When I say "Brethren, pray for us," I am sure that I express the desire of every pastor in the town. We are just men like you are. We are subject to mistakes and fault just like you. Brethren, we need your prayer and will you just now breathe a prayer for your pastor, whoever he may be.

HAVE YOU WON ONE?

Sometime ago a number of us pledged ourselves to win one for Christ. Have you won one yet? Whom are you praying for? God answers prayer. He will answer your prayer. Find an unsaved person. Pray for them daily. Invite them to come with you to church. Go by and bring them. Sit beside them in church and when the invitation is given be in earnest prayer for them, and if the Spirit leads you, speak a word to them. Come and tell the pastor whom you are praying for and he will join his prayer with yours. We feel that the Lord has greatly blessed our efforts this year. He has already added 20 to the

church the first three months of this year.

Progress In The Sunday School

The quarterly report of the Spray Baptist Sunday School ending March 31st shows that splendid progress has been made during the quarter over the same quarter of the last three years. The average attendance for the quarter just ending is 136. The total amount of offerings received is \$245.30. There were 82 new scholars enrolled, and 19 visitors present. The total number of scholars present during the quarter was 2352. The number now on roll is 274.

The first quarter of 1922 showed an average attendance of 179 in comparison to 196 this year. The total number on roll in 1922 was 271 and this year it is 274. This present ending quarter shows an increase of 17 in average attendance over the first quarter of last year. The present roll only shows a gain of three over last year.

The average attendance of the first quarter of 1921 was only 152. The first quarter of 1923 shows an average gain of 44 in attendance over 1921.

The first quarter of 1920 has a still less average attendance of only 102. The average attendance of 1923 over that of 1920 is 94. This only lacks four of being double the average attendance in 1923 over 1920.

The careful reader will notice the steady increase in attendance at Sunday school during the last three years. It will be easy, with our new rooms, to make 1923 the best year in our Sunday school in the history of the Spray Baptist Church.

MINNEAPOLIS HOTEL TO HAVE RADIO PLUGS IN EACH ROOM

Minneapolis, Minn., April, 7.—In keeping with the radio progress of the radio movement it will soon be possible to "listen in" from rooms of a large hotel here, which has contracted for the connecting of each of several hundred rooms with radio plugs. The guest will not have to invest in a receiving set, as headphones may be rented for a small fee from the clerk's office.

According to the plans of engineers who have worked on the scheme for several weeks, a massive aerial and three power receiving stations will be equipped in one of the top floors of the hotel. Each room will have a radio plug connected to one of the head receiving sets. Feasibly of the plan was proved recently when more than 100 rooms listened in on one concert.

The guest who wishes radio entertainment may call the office and set of phones will be sent to him. Once connected in the plug, the set cannot be removed until released by a hotel employe, thus insuring against theft by any unscrupulous guest. A small fee is added to the hotel bill for the use of the receiving phones.

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PARENT TEACHER MEETING

The Parent-Teacher's Association of the Leaksville Graded school held their April meeting Wednesday in the Auditorium. In the absence of the president Mrs. S. M. Hampton called the meeting to order after which the Lord's prayer was repeated. The following program was enjoyed by all. Piano solo by Lillie Marshall. Trio... Russel. Craddock, Alfred Fianigan and Herbert Kendrick. Vocal solo by Demetris Kircheis. Piano solo by Klyce Hampton. Piano solo Joseph Ivie.

Miss Simpson gave a very interesting talk using "Leadership" for her subject following a short business session was held during which time it was decided to postpone the Silver Tea offering until next year or sometime in the summer. The following committees were appointed to serve next month.

For nominating president and vice president:

- Mrs. A. D. Ivie, Chairman
 - Mrs. C. J. Darlington
 - Mrs. D. G. Taylor
 - Mrs. C. B. Price
- Refreshment committee
- Mrs. G. H. Clark, Chairman
 - Mrs. Farrell
 - Mrs. N. H. McCollum

Next month being our last meeting for this year every member is urged to come and wear a gingham dress. We want to make the last meeting the very best we have had during the year.

At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed by all. Ice cream cones were served to each one present.

RICE DEARER IN JAPAN

(By Associated Press) Tokio, April, 7.—Despite last year's bumper crop the price of rice in February was yen 30 a koku, having risen yen 5 since the beginning of the year. This compares with an average price of yen 19.18 in 1917 and yen 38.29 in 1919.

The purchase by the government of a million koku of last year's crop, with a view of stabilizing the market, is held by some to be responsible for the present comparatively high price.

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LEAVING LEAKSVILLE-SPRAY
8:30 a. m. Meeting train for Danville No. 44 8:40 A. M.
10:30 A. M. " " Greensboro No. 45 11:40 A. M.
3:30 P. M. " " Greensboro No. 35 5:05 P. M.
5:00 P. M. " " Greensboro No. 48 6:35 P. M.

LEAVING REIDSVILLE FOR LEAKSVILLE-SPRAY
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8:40 " " " " No. 44 8:40

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8:45 a. m. Meeting Train for Winston-Salem 9:53.

12:20 p. m.—Meeting train for Roanoke, Va.

3:30 p. m.—Meeting Train for Winston-Salem, N. C.

5:00 p. m.—Meeting Train for Roanoke, Va.

7:00 p. m.—Meeting Train for Winston-Salem, N. C.

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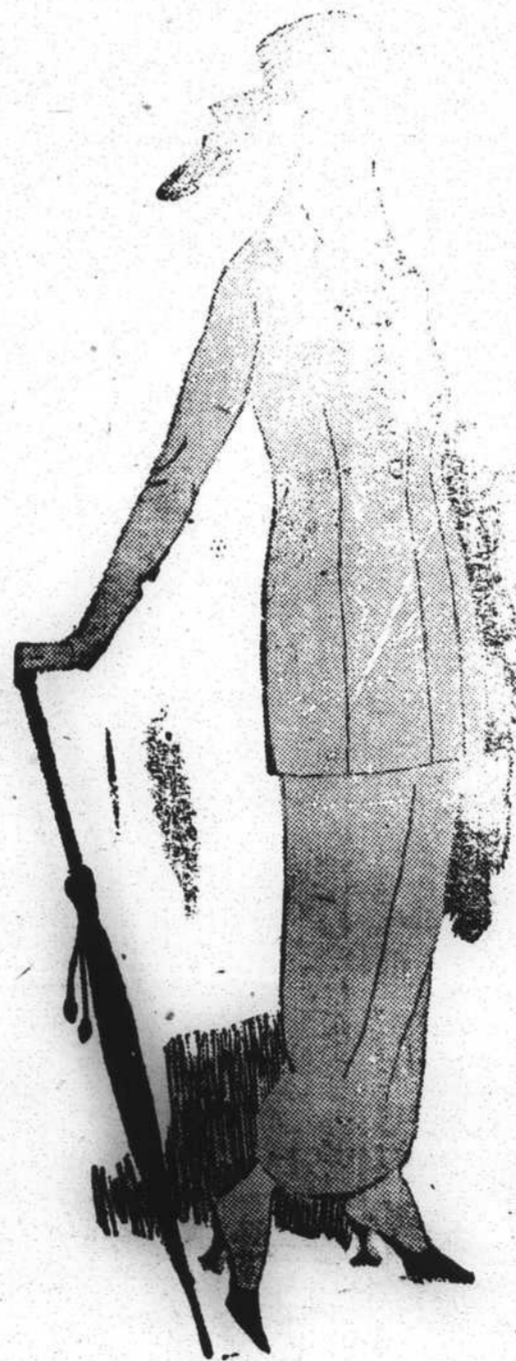
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