

KANNAPOLIS DEPARTMENT

Kannapolis, N. C., Jan. 10.—The Y. M. C. A. has resumed the showing of the series of Bible pictures which was discontinued on the approach of warm weather. Sunday a number of interesting pictures in connection with Abraham were shown in the new auditorium. The large crowd present was free to manifest its enthusiasm. The Y. M. C. A. quartet, also pleased the audience with an old time song very impressively rendered. Pictures will be shown every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock without charge. The public is cordially invited. It is said we remember seventy per cent. of what we see, and ten per cent. of what we hear. Presenting these Bible pictures to the eye means more than a sermon, especially to children.

A sad occurrence of the past week was the mysterious disappearance of Troy Thompson, seventeen or eighteen years of age, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Thompson who live on Mr. Henry Archer's farm, about one and a half miles from Kannapolis. The boy has not been seen since Friday and no trace of him has yet been found. A large number of men from this town Sunday joined in a fruitless search. The parents of the boy are much distressed over the incident. Master Lydell Ketchie, little son of Mrs. P. L. Ketchie, met with a serious accident Friday when, not looking where he was going, he ran into a truck which was backing. Master Lydell is able to be up now, though he is not yet out of danger from the wounds which were made on his face. Mrs. S. G. Simmons and children and Mrs. Irvin Graham arrived home the latter part of the past week from West Point, Ga., where Mrs. Simmons was detained on account of the illness of Master Walton. He is now able to be out.

The friends of Mr. A. C. Lockman will be pleased to know that he is now improving, after having undergone an operation in the Presbyterian Hospital at Charlotte a week ago. Mr. Lockman was, for several days, very ill. Mrs. Beck, of Fairview, N. C., has accepted a position as stenographer at the Cabarrus mill office. Mrs. Beck is making her home at the Mary Ella Hall. Miss Ellen Jamison, of Charlotte, is making her home at the Mary Ella Hall, spending some time with Mrs. W. C. Jamison.

Miss Winona Choney left today for Durham, where she has accepted a unanimous call as home mission worker for Temple Baptist Church of that city, having resigned her work here. Miss Choney has served the First Baptist Church of Kannapolis in the capacity of home mission worker between two and three years, and has demonstrated unusual ability in her calling. As a pastor's aid, she is very valuable indeed. Among other things, she organized the Missionary Society into Circles, reorganized the B. Y. P. T., has been an active member of the Federated Missionary Society of Kannapolis, a member of the Woman's Club, she ministered to the sick and suffering, scattering sunshine and cheer. Her sunny disposition dispels the gloom in sunny a dark corner. She leaves many warm friends in Kannapolis. Temple Baptist Church is to be congratulated on securing her services.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shinn now occupy the pretty brick cottage near Judge Trammell's store. Mr. John Willett, who has not been so well the past week, is improving. The friends of Mrs. J. H. Broom will be glad to know that she is much improved after having been ill the past week.

The Kannapolis schools opened Monday after having been discontinued the past week on account of the flu situation.

Mrs. C. C. Townsend is improving after having been indisposed the past several days. Miss Lois Howie returned Sunday after spending the past week in Albemarle.

The Missionary Society of the Lutheran Church will hold its regular monthly meeting at the church Sunday at 3 p. m.

Little Esther Brown and little Betty Gay and Master Dorette Coltrane, of Concord, were guests of Mrs. John Rutledge Saturday.

Miss Pauline Walter has been home since Christmas on account of two infected fingers.

Mrs. Burley Beaver was hostess to the 500 Club Thursday afternoon. Messrs. Zeb Bradford, of Concord, and Joe Gudgeon, of Albemarle, spent Sunday in the city.

Mrs. J. W. Johnson delightfully entertained Monday evening at a farewell shower given in honor of Miss Chaney. Quite a number gathered at the church and went in a body to the home of Mrs. Johnson, where Miss Chaney was spending the night. Everything had been so tactfully arranged that the occasion was a complete surprise to Miss Chaney. She received many pretty and useful gifts. Mrs. Sam Kelly will entertain the Social Hour Club Thursday afternoon. Miss Lillie Willett spent Monday night in Charlotte with her sister, Miss Mary Willett.

The Woman's Club held its regular monthly meeting Monday night. Miss Stockton outlined some of the county health work and discussed other phases of the work. Miss Wilson gave a helpful talk on balanced diet and the making up of a menu. Reports from some of the committees on Christmas Seals were given. Beginning today and continuing two weeks, Dr. Foster will hold a dental clinic for school children between the ages of six and twelve years of age, the clinic to be held at the south school. The Woman's Club urges that any of the ladies of the town who are able to assist Dr. Foster in the clerical work in connection with the clinic.

Little Annie Hall Flowe is able to be out again after an illness of some duration.

Latest reports from the bedside of Mrs. E. E. Lady, who is in a Baltimore hospital, state that her condition is improving, though it will be necessary for her to remain in the hospital for some time.

Mrs. E. M. Bain and little daughter, Sara Margaret, left yesterday for Greensboro, where they spent last night with Mrs. Bain's brother, leaving today for their home in Lillington. Mrs. Bain has been spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. E. P. Reed.

Mrs. L. J. Brown and little daughter, Nellie, who have been ill of the recuperating.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyle Hollyfield and Misses Mary and Ruth Correll attended the funeral yesterday of Mr. John Rodgers, of China Grove. Interment was made near Faith.

The Y. M. C. A. secretary of Concord will occupy the pulpit of the Reformed church Sunday at the eleven o'clock service.

Miss Esther Harts spent Saturday in Charlotte.

The condition of Mrs. Charles Walker is improving after suffering an attack of flu.

Miss Itulge, Name returned home Friday from King's Business College, Charlotte, on account of illness.

Mrs. J. W. Bounds left yesterday for Charlotte, where she will spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. John Nash.

The Mission Study class of the Presbyterian Church met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. K. O. Boger. The class commenced the study Thursday of the Aztecs of Mexico.

A long distance phone message yesterday stated that the condition of Miss Mary Bradley Thompson, who has been indisposed in the infirmary of the Greensboro College for Women since she returned after the Christmas holidays, is improved.

The Home Economics Department of the Woman's Club will hold its next meeting at the new Y. M. C. A. on the night of Thursday, January 18th. Miss Wilson will demonstrate the making of home made dress forms.

South Carolina Solons May Go After Drivers. Columbia, Jan. 10.—The state highway department is interested in sponsors in two bills which will likely be introduced in the general assembly this week, one to require automobile drivers to be licensed, the other to provide a penalty for the failure of an automobile or other motor vehicle to carry its license plate, showing state registration.

Secretary Thomas, of the highway department, says that a law requiring the licensing of drivers would be effective in safeguarding life and property. Many organizations of the state have written the highway department endorsing the proposed measure.

As to the penalty for failure to take out a motor vehicle license, Mr. Thomas states that a present there is no method of enforcing the license law and as a result the license fee collections last year fell off considerably from the 1921 total.

Victim of Black Brute Dies of Her Injuries. Columbia, C. Jan. 10.—Mrs. Laura Lancaster, of Govan, struck by the negro, Thomas Johnson, who was brought to the state penitentiary here today to prevent his being lynched, died at her home this afternoon, according to advices received here by Governor Harvey tonight. The governor immediately instructed Solicitor Gunter, at Aiken, by telephone, to arrange a speedy trial for the negro. The negro confessed to the governor today that he struck Mrs. Lancaster.

Some Very Rare Coins. Some United States coins are very rare. There are only three of the gold eagle of 1795 in existence. The government owns one of these. They were made in the first United States mint, in Philadelphia. In 1793 a copper cent with a tiny silver spot was issued. Perhaps none of these is in existence. A. D. Millhouse, who lives near Murphysboro, Ill., at one time owned the first five-dollar bill issued by the United States treasury. It was No. 1, series A, issued in March, 1802.

What, indeed! Bobby's mother asked him why he had not done what she had told him to do. He replied with a serious air: "Well, mother, what are you going to do when your forgetter is bigger than your thinker?"

SCHOOL DAYS



Mother's Cook Book

When the sunshine filled the sky, And the days were long, Then we went, my heart and I, Hunting, with a song For a sign. Now when nights are long, And the winds are high, Go we, though with faith less strong, Hunting, with a sign, For a sign. —Margaret Vandergrift.

FOOD FOR THE FAMILY

CAKE that can be given the child and one which they will like is prepared from bread sponge.

Bread Sponge Cake. Take one and one-half cupsful of sugar, three-fourths of a cupful of shortening, two well-beaten eggs, one-fourth of a cupful of sweet milk, two cupsful of light bread sponge, three cupsful of flour, one teaspoonful of soda, spices and raisins to taste. Mix well, let rise and bake in a large bread pan or in smaller loaves.

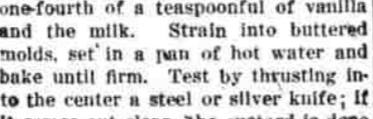
Stuffed Figs. Figs are one of our most valuable fruits and they are usually reasonable in price. Cut a small slit in the stem-end of pulled figs and work in one or two blanched almonds. Another nice filling is a mixture of almond paste, walnut and hickory nuts to which has been added enough orange juice or cream to hold the mixture together. A portion of the soft meat of the fig is removed and the paste is then inserted with a pointed spoon or knife. Press the opening together and roll the fig in granulated sugar.

Coffee Custard. Scald two cupsful of milk with two tablespoonfuls of ground coffee and strain after the coffee is well steeped. Beat three eggs lightly, add one-fourth of a cupful of sugar, a pinch of salt, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of vanilla and the milk. Strain into buttered molds, set in a pan of hot water and bake until firm. Test by thrusting in to the center a steel or silver knife; if it comes out clean, the custard is done and should be taken from the heat and cooled at once.

Noodles. Beat one egg slightly, add one-quarter of a teaspoonful of salt, one-quarter teaspoonful of baking powder, one tablespoonful of cold water and sufficient flour to make a stiff dough. Roll out as thin as a sheet of paper, dredge with flour and let dry, then roll up and cut in strips. Drop into boiling hot soup and cook ten to fifteen minutes.

A nice luncheon dish which may be prepared from cooked noodles is as follows: Line a buttered baking dish with cooked noodles, pour over a custard made of two beaten eggs, one cupful of milk, one-half cupful of finely minced ham, and one tablespoonful of minced parsley. Turn over the noodles, mixing well. Set into a moderate oven and bake until the custard is set.

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Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE

AS OLD AS HIS HOPE

YOU can't live on hope, of course. But neither can you live without it.

The surest sign of growing old is the fading of hope.

The best indication that a man still has youth and a future, is the tenacity with which he clings to his hope.

You smile at the rainbow chaser, but he is far more likely to get something worth while out of life than the cynic or the pessimist.

You can't catch even a street car without wanting to catch it, and you will never catch even the rim of happiness without hope.

Don't be afraid of hope. And don't be afraid to hope high, and hard.

Make your hopes great enough, and if you realize 25 per cent of them you will finish far ahead of your neighbor.

The doughboys who went to war hoping to come home colonels or generals didn't all achieve their ambition. But a lot of them came back lieutenants, and still more came back with D. S. C.'s and Croix de Guerre.

Those who went to war despondently came back, most of them, but they came back privates, and opportunity, which they never hoped for, passed them by.

Youth, which all men want to hold as long as they can, feeds on hope.

A distinguished lawyer, seventy-five years old, is today in Europe doing an important work for his country. He will succeed, because though his physical strength has waned, his hope burns as high as ever.

You will have trials and discouragements, and black hours, but hope will carry you through them. Cling to it and you will live and die with a youthful heart. Give them up and desolation will cloud your autumn years and despair will accompany you to your grave.

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MEN YOU MAY MARRY

By E. R. PEYSER

Has a man like this proposed to you? Symptoms: You have seen him in unsquirmable tight places, in business, in games, in his family, in his purse, and he always gets out of everything in a fine manner, you like the way he handles things, life, and you and himself. Yet he is anything but good looking, everyone thinks him "the last word" on homeliness, has the ugliest girl on earth lashed to the mast. He is not deformed, just no Winter Garden beau. He's nuts on you, and goes easy not to crack them, he'd chute from an airplane without a parachute if you so commanded. You can't make up your mind, though your heart is made up.

IN FACT What matter is it how he looks if he doesn't have to look for a job? Prescription to his bride: Thank your stars daily for such a man. They are rare. Absorb This: UNHANDSOMENESS IS ONLY SKIN DEEP.

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EMULATION. How in the world does it cost you so much to live? I sometimes fancy it's because I have such expensive night boys.



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PIGGLY WIGGLY STORE Will Open SATURDAY, JANUARY 13, 1923 under New Management. Get our prices before buying your Groceries. You will save from 15 to 20 per cent. on the Dollar. We have a complete line of Groceries.

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NOTE PRICES AND SEE WHAT YOU WILL SAVE

Table listing various grocery items and their prices, such as Campbell's Pork and Beans, Libby's Assorted Soups, Van Camp's Evaporated Milk, etc.

Don't forget the Date, Time and Place, where you will save Money on your Groceries. It pays to trade at PIGGLY WIGGLY STORE

WE DON'T MEET PRICES—WE MAKE THEM

PITY THE BLIND MAN

Some days you'll see him, slowly, hesitatingly, feeling his way. At other times he has a guide who quickly leads him where he wants to go.

When you shop without advance knowledge of where to go to get the best, you are feeling your way.

The advertisements in the newspapers are guides. They will tell you where to go to get the best—quickly.

And they are a guarantee of satisfaction. The consistent advertiser pays money to tell you about his goods. He KNOWS they are good—he backs them with his money because he believes they'll satisfy. Only merchandise which is consistently good can be consistently advertised.

Read the advertisements and buy the advertised products. Don't spend your money blindly. Get dollars' worth for a dollar by buying products that have proved their worth under the glare of publicity.