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## Short Locals

—Mrs. C. M. Burns, Jr., entertained the Book Club Thursday afternoon.

—Rev. J. H. West left Friday, to be gone two weeks in the western part of this state.

—Mrs. B. A. Horne arrived here Wednesday night to visit her sister, Mrs. C. M. Burns.

—Prof. M. H. Stacy of Chapel Hill spent one day here last week returning from Morven, his former home.

—Mrs. R. B. Hill left Wednesday for her home in Monroe after spending sometime here with her sister, Mrs. T. W. Austin.

—Miss Sarah Redwine and her brother, Master Worth Redwine of Monroe, spent several days here last week with their aunt, Mrs. T. C. Cox.

—Mr. L. T. Burr sent us a very large sweet potato last week, a specimen from his crop which is the earliest we have seen. He has sold several bushels already.

—The Republican county convention will probably meet in Wadesboro, August 22nd. Delegates will be appointed to the State convention and it will be decided then whether or not the convention will put out a county ticket.

—His many friends in Wadesboro will regret to learn that Mr. Lester J. Webb of Columbia, S. C., fell a few days ago while getting off a street car and broke the large bone in his right arm between the elbow and the wrist. His father, Mr. W. D. Webb, received a letter last week bringing this information.

—Rev. M. T. Steele requests the following announcements to be made for meetings to be held in the Ansonville Circuit, commencing at Cedar Hill, Wednesday, August 5th; Wightman, Wednesday, August 12th; Mt. Vernon, Wednesday, August 19th; Burnsville, Wednesday, August 26th; Salem, Wednesday, Sept. 2nd. Meetings will begin at each appointment at 10 a. m.

—Mr. J. T. Aycock of Wadesboro township sent several stalks of cotton to this office last week which show to what extent the crop is being damaged in many parts of the county. The stalks are large enough but have very few bolls on them and are apparently suffering from some kind of blight. A field of cotton like this would look well from a distance but on closer observation shows that the yield cannot possibly be as large as it might be, the size of the stalk being considered.

—Captain W. B. Smith, one of the most popular railroad men who has ever lived in Wadesboro, has resigned his position as agent for the Atlantic Coast Line here. Mr. Ben F. Biggs an old Wadesboro boy, has charge of the office for the present and will probably succeed Mr. Smith. It is of interest to know that when a vacancy occurs in the Atlantic Coast Line system, it must first be advertised for 30 days and the man who has been in the service of the company for the longest period, has the option of accepting the position if he wishes it.

—Jackson Allen, colored, who works on Mr. T. B. Wall's place six miles from Wadesboro, had quite an unusual and very painful experience with a lame mule last Tuesday. He made several unsuccessful attempts to get it up and finally went around in front of its head, when the mule made a sudden and vicious attack on him, seizing the bottom of his foot and biting half of it off. The mule seemed to relish the human flesh and swallowed it with apparent unconcern. Allen came at once to town and had his wound dressed by Dr. Bennett.

—Messrs. W. H. Brown of New York, general manager of the Rockingham Power Co., and W. A. Leland of Rockingham, the resident manager, spent Wednesday here in the interest of the transmitting line to be constructed from the Falls to this place. The company agrees to run the line to Wadesboro provided 750 horse power can be sold here and these gentlemen were assured that this amount would be taken. The line will be 12 miles in length and if built, will mean much to Wadesboro. More than 200 hands have been busy for sometime at the Falls and the work is being rapidly pushed to a finish. Our people are to be congratulated that the panic caused only a temporary suspension of the work there.

## DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES

To be Held Next Saturday—Laws and Rules Governing Same—Poll-holders and Managers.

The Anson county Democratic Executive Committee ordered that primary elections be held in the several voting precincts of the county between the hours of 9 a. m. and 6 p. m. on Saturday, the 8th day of August, 1908. Provided that in precincts Nos. 1 and 2, Wadesboro township, the polls shall be kept open until 7 o'clock in the afternoon.

In this connection it was also ordered that the second primary, in case one is necessary, shall be held on Saturday, August 15th, at the same hours named for the first primary, and shall be conducted under the same rules and by the same pollholders as was the first primary.

**Poll Holders for Primary.**

Wadesboro No. 1—W. T. Moss, J. B. Teal, W. S. Bennett, W. S. Covington, Luke Wall, R. T. Bennett, Jr., Henry S. Boggan, D. P. Huntley, J. A. Little, J. H. Benton, G. W. Huntley.

Wadesboro No. 2—E. V. Fenton, F. L. Autry, W. N. Jeans, R. J. Lowery, Tom L. Huntley, A. L. Leggett, W. B. Lockhart, Ed S. Marsh, R. A. Biles, J. W. Odum, J. G. Boylin.

Lilesville—W. S. Spencer, E. P. Liles, Beecher Seago, W. C. Long, Carroll Henry, William Lindsey, J. D. McGregor, Hugh Livingston, M. C. Maness, G. B. Birmingham, Joe Clarke.

Morven No. 1—H. S. Liles, C. H. Dunn, T. W. Morrison, P. E. Ratliff, C. M. Niven, A. A. Martin, T. R. Covington, John DeBerry, Joe L. Diggs, T. H. Sellers, D. T. Watts.

Morven No. 2—S. M. Pratt, W. N. Northcutt, J. M. Sings, R. T. Russell, J. T. Henry, P. M. Moore, J. M. Pittman, Robt. Moore, W. A. Stegall, Harris Liles, John Morris.

Gullledge—J. C. Griggs, J. P. Ratliff, J. T. Ratliff, J. M. Rayfield, J. T. Teal, E. L. Huntley, John Griggs, B. F. Gullledge, Jr., Boggan Griggs, John Jones, J. T. Cappel.

White Store—E. T. Redfearn, Jr., J. E. Tarlton, C. P. Griffin, Sr., F. S. Tillman, D. A. Lowery, Sr., J. W. Jones, F. H. Morgan, J. T. Leonard, R. E. Smith, H. W. Lowery, H. W. Eason.

Lanesboro No. 1—T. M. Smith, Tyler Edwards, Geo. L. Lockhart, Ems. Griffin, Jas. Cameron, W. A. Gaddy, J. C. Allen, John Moore, Fred Ledbetter, T. Caudle, Frank Griffin.

Lanesboro No. 2—M. L. Horne, H. M. Baucum, M. C. Traywick, J. A. Redfearn, E. E. Barrett, W. H. Helms, J. D. High, A. D. Horne, Vernon Allen, Young Allen, J. F. Kelly.

Burnsville—Troy Edwards, Julian Thomas, J. E. Eford, N. E. Howard, N. G. Thomas, John Curran, S. J. Turner, Marshall Edwards, J. A. Burns, G. P. Hendley, J. P. Hill.

Ansonville—W. B. Hancock, W. S. Clarke, J. T. Gaddy, D. R. Dunlap, B. F. Staton, F. K. Lentz, W. E. Hendley, J. A. Dunlap, R. C. Watkins, G. E. Burns, W. D. Redfern.

## Rules of Primary

I. That the Democratic county executive committee shall appoint the day and the hour at which the polls shall be opened and closed in each township; appoint a pollholder for each county officer to be elected in November next; also for justices of the peace and constable in each township, who shall constitute a board of managers of said election, judge of the qualifications of voters in same manner as the regular elections, and make returns through one of their number to the chairman of the county executive committee on Monday after said election, at the court house in Wadesboro. The chairman of the executive committee and the representative pollholder from each township shall constitute a board of canvassers, who shall proceed at once to canvass the returns from each township and declare the result of the election in the county. The candidates receiving a majority of all the votes cast for each office shall be the nominee of the party for said office. The election shall be under the supervision of the resident member of the county executive committee. Should one or more of the managers thus appointed to hold such elections fail to appear on the day of election, the remaining managers shall appoint others in their stead and administer to them the oath prescribed.

II. If it shall appear that no candidate has received a majority of all the votes cast for any office, the executive committee of the county shall order another election, when the two candidates who received the largest number of votes shall be voted for in the coming election, and no votes for any other person shall be counted by the managers for said office, and the candidate receiving the highest vote in said election shall be the nominee of the party for said office. Returns to be made in same manner as at first election.

III. All persons who voted the Democratic ticket in the last general election, all persons who have arrived at the legal age of voting

## STATE AND GENERAL NEWS

The Turkish veil has at last been abandoned and the women are now rejoicing over their freedom.

Charlie Dowdy, colored, of Winston-Salem, shot and killed his wife while carelessly handling a pistol last week.

A complete lumber plant, belonging to the Charles Creek Lumber Co., near Elizabeth City, was destroyed by fire Thursday.

Rev. R. E. Neighbor of Salisbury has resigned his pastorate of the First Baptist church and will spend most of his time in evangelistic work.

A large sailing vessel used in Pamlico river was capsized Thursday near the mouth of the river by a water spout. The captain and crew were rescued.

The St. Louis Iron Mountain and Southern Railway of Baton Rouge, La., has been fined \$2,000 for failing to provide the negroes with accommodations equal to those of the white people.

As the result of a very violent tornado near Canton, China, many people were drowned and thousands of vessels destroyed. Several large warships were considerably damaged.

Archie Herron of New Jersey, who shot and killed a Methodist minister, Rev. S. B. Pritchett, was found guilty in the first degree a few days ago and sentenced to be electrocuted September 7th.

Tad Smith, a negro brute, was burned to death at the stake by an angry mob in Dallas, Texas. He is charged with criminally assaulting a young lady. About a thousand people witnessed the burning.

W. N. Camp of Florida has brought suit against W. R. Bonsal of North Carolina to recover \$40,000 worth of damages from sale made to him by Bonsal. It is declared in the bill that the value of the property was misrepresented by Bonsal.

The North Carolina Department of Agriculture has cooperated with the Bureau of Soils of the United States Department of Agriculture and as a result the soil survey work will be extended. Trained men have already arrived to take charge of this work.

Rev. W. G. Whitaker of Asheville, charged with using the mails for fraudulent purposes, was sentenced to serve 18 months in the Federal prison and pay a fine of \$500 last Wednesday. Whitaker fraudulently collected money from relatives to secure a foreign estate.

A home belonging to two ladies was entered by negroes in Buncombe county last week. On awakening the ladies, a knife was thrown at the head of one and the other was dragged into the yard and strangled. It is reported that two other homes were entered the same night, probably by the same negroes.

John B. Veeder, a prominent lumberman of Morganton, killed himself a few days ago. The killing was probably due to insanity. He was about six miles from town with his wife and cousin and walking ahead, sat down by a tree and shot himself through the brain. Before his wife reached him, he was dead.

An angry mob at Pensacola, Fla., determined on securing Leander Shaw, who had brutally ill-treated a Mrs. Davis, caused two lives to be lost and nine persons to be injured, some fatally, in their desperate efforts to secure the criminal from the officers. After making a second attempt, they were successful and, drawing the noose around his neck, he was dragged about two blocks and hung to an electric light pole.

In taking the prescribed oath, or shall impersonate another person and take the oath in his name in order to vote, such voter shall be guilty of perjury, and shall upon conviction be punished as for perjury.

Section 6. That if any person voting at such primary election shall vote more than once for each candidate or at more than one polling place, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisoned not exceeding six months.

Section 7. That any person who shall either buy or sell or offer to buy or sell, or be in any way concerned in buying or selling, or contribute money for the purpose of buying a vote in any primary election in this State, whether the election shall be for nominees for State, county, municipal or Federal officers, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall upon conviction thereof be fined not exceeding five hundred dollars or be imprisoned not exceeding twelve months, or both, at the discretion of the Court.

D. A. McGRIGOR, Chm'n.  
J. G. BOYLIN, Sec.

## Sunday School Department

Conducted by Special Editor.

### SUNDAY, AUGUST 9.

Lesson.—David and Goliath.—I Samuel 17:1-18:5.

Golden Text.—"In the Lord I put my trust."—Psa. 11:1.

Time.—Uncertain. Possibly about four years after the anointing. B. C. 1063.

Place.—The armies were gathered at Ephes-dammim. The scene of the battle was fourteen miles southwest of Jerusalem.

Since the last lesson.—Saul's evil and moody temper grew until it came to the border of insanity. One of his servants suggested that music would probably have a soothing effect. David was recommended as a skillful player upon the harp and he is thereupon brought to the king's palace and pleases the moody king with his music.

### THE LESSON STORY

One of the most familiar of old testament incidents. The armies of Israel in battle array confront the Philistines. The Israelites are encamped upon one mountain and their opposites upon another and the valley between them. A champion of the Philistine host, a giant in stature, Goliath by name, offers to meet individual combat one from the army of Israel. The champion offers to leave the result of the battle entirely to this individual combat. Saul is dismayed and his army greatly distressed. At this time, David the shepherd lad, a young man of ruddy countenance and slender stature comes to the camp, bringing refreshments from home for his brothers. He hears the defiance of the Philistine and inquires as to the meaning. His brother rebukes him but the Shepherd continues and his words are told the king, who sends for him. To the king, David offers himself as a champion, willing to meet the Philistine. Saul would refuse to allow him to go out in battle—"thou art but a youth," David tells of experiences as a shepherd and remarked, "God will deliver me out of the hand of this Philistine," and Saul said, "Go and the Lord be with thee." David tries the armor and discards it. With his sling and his faith in God he goes forth to the combat. Both armies watch from the hills. It is the supreme moment. Notice the combatants. One towers high, clothed in tried armor, with sword and spear. The other, a young man, clean, beautiful and with the shepherd's cloak. No sword, no spear, no armor. One is haughty and sneers. The other is calm and courageous. It is faith versus force and faith wins. One swing of the shepherd's arm and the battle is won. Philistines flee. Israel pursues. David goes to the palace of King Saul and "behaves himself wisely."

### LESSON TRUTHS

The battle was the Lord's and He guides the stone from the shepherd's sling.

"One struggle of might and the giant of Gath.

With a crash like the oak in the hurricane's path.

And the clangor of arms, as of hosts in a fray.

At the feet of the stripling of Ephraim lay."

There is a constant personal conflict on in this present world. The giant of evil faces the man. The best weapon is the "sword of the Spirit."

There is a personal conflict with evil as when Christ fought the battle of temptation in the wilderness. There is a broader conflict with the wrongs and principles of evil that pervade humanity.

David did not despise means. He used all his talents, and genius and training, but he used those weapons which belonged to him and his work. Saul's armor, in imitation of the giant's was of no use to David. He would have failed if he had tried it.

The Church cannot succeed with earthly weapons. It has never done its best work by catering to the world, its wealth or position, by lowering its standard in order to gain numbers.

David's preparation for his great victory lay in the faithful use of his daily duties. There is no better way today for the young man or woman. Do your very best wherever you are, in whatever circumstances you are placed, and God will lead you to victory.

"For the God of David still Guides the pebble as his will: There are giants yet to kill. Wrongs unshriven.

"But the battle to the strong Is not given, While the Judge of right and wrong Sits in heaven."

### SELECTED NOTES

Nearly ten thousand Sunday schools in this country have teachers' meetings.

About twenty thousand primary departments in this country have separate rooms.

The eyes of the world are upon the Sunday school as never before.—Marion Lawrence.

Nearly one million converts were gathered last year from the Sunday schools of our land.

More than twenty-two thousand persons now belong to the International Bible Reader's Association.

It is estimated that there are eighty thousand persons in this country studying in teacher-training courses.

During the past year there have been organized in North America fourteen new Sunday schools a day, on the average.

Mr. Marion Lawrence says that the total Sunday school enrollment of North America is nearly one million larger than it was three years ago.

Nearly fifty thousand Sunday school Conventions have been held in North America during the past three years, attended by probably more than three million different people.

### Union Meeting of Pee Dee Baptist Association.

To be held with the Ansonville church August 29th and 30th.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29.

Devotional Service. 10 o'clock. Rev. G. O. Whitolt.

Opening Sermon. 11 o'clock. Rev. J. Crudup.

2.00 P. M. Mission work in our Association: Rev. R. D. Redfearn.

a—Anson County. Rev. A. M. Burleson.

b—Richmond County. Pastor at Laurinburg.

c—Scotland County. Rev. T. W. Chambliss.

3.00 P. M. Missions in the World. Rev. A. B. Caudle.

8.00 P. M. Soul Winning.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30.

10.00 A. M. Sunday School Mass Meeting. Dr. W. J. McLendon in charge.

11.15—Sermon. Rev. Pennert.

2.30 P. M.—The New Testament. Rev. J. L. Shinn.

3.30 P. M.—The Need of Men. W. C. Bivens.

8.00 P. M.—Sermon. J. L. Shinn.

NOTICE.—This is the last Union meeting before the session of the Association. Every church should send delegates. Help to have a good meeting. Ansonville Church extends a cordial welcome.

COMMITTEE.

## Why He Lost His Friends

(Success Magazine)

He was always wounding their feelings, making sarcastic or funny remarks at their expense. He was cold and reserved in his manner, cranky, pessimistic. He was suspicious of everybody. He never threw the doors of his heart wide open to people, or took them into his confidence. He was always ready to receive assistance from his friends, but always too busy or too stingy to assist them in their time of need. He regarded friendship as a luxury to be enjoyed, instead of an opportunity for service. He never learned that implicit, generous trust is the very foundation stone of friendship. He never thought it worth while to spend time in keeping up his friendships. He did not realize that friendship will not thrive on sentiment alone; that there must be service to nourish it. He did not know the value of thoughtfulness in little things. He borrowed money from them. He never hesitated to sacrifice their reputation for his advantage. He was always saying mean things about them in their absence. He measured them by their ability to advance him.

## A Strange Story

(Kansas City Star.)

Miss Isla Stewart, for twenty-one years matron of St. Bartholomew's hospital, London, recently told this story at a public dinner given in her honor: Some years ago, in one of her wards, lay a little boy who was dying of hip disease. He was an orphan with only one brother; a sailor then serving on a British warship in Chinese waters. One morning the boy told her that he had had such a happy night, as he had dreamed that his brother was with him at his bedside. When the night nurse came to report she said that she had had a curious experience. When looking along the ward during the night she had been astonished to see a sailor in the ward beside the boy's bed. Resenting the intrusion, she had gone to the bed to inquire into the matter, when she found there was nobody there. Twice afterward during the night she had seen the same apparition. At last she turned down the gas and altered the position of some plants. After that she did not see the sailor again.

Thinks It Saved His Life

Lester M. Nelson of Naples, Maine, says in a recent letter: "I have used Dr. King's New Discovery many years, for coughs and colds, and I think it saved my life. I have found it a reliable remedy for throat and lung complaints, and would no more be without a bottle than I would be without food." For nearly forty years New Discovery has stood at the head of throat and lung remedies. As a preventive of pneumonia, and healer of weak lungs it has no equal. Sold under guarantee at Parsons Drug Co., 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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## The Best Pill Ever Sold

"After doctoring 15 years for chronic indigestion, and spending over two hundred dollars, nothing has done me as much good as Dr. King's New Life Pills. I consider them the best pills ever sold." writes B. F. Aycock, Ingleside, N. C. Sold under guarantee at Parsons Drug Co. 35c.