

Rally Day at Christian Church Tuesday

The United Christian Missionary Society Conducts Successful Rally at Local Christian Church

The rally day conducted by Dr. Geo. M. Muckley and directed by the United Christian Missionary Society of St. Louis, held at the Christian church here Tuesday attracted quite a large crowd from Beaufort, Hyde, Tyrrel and Washington counties. The services began at ten o'clock Tuesday morning and ended with a sumptuous repast held in the basement of the court house at 7:30 p.m. The luncheon was prepared and served by the ladies of the local Christian church and about one hundred and fifty guests were served.

The visitors from the adjoining counties represented in the main delegates from their respective churches.

Dr. Jas. G. Ulman of Newbern who recently received Ph.D. degree from Yale University, and who is now pastor of the Newbern church, delivered three inspiring lectures during the rally exercises. Dr. Ulman is a former resident of this county, and was converted in the Acre Chapel church in 1912, and since that time has attended several schools in an effort to equip himself for the ministry. He is still a very young man and one of the most versatile ministers we have ever had the pleasure of seeing. He presents his argument in a convincing and logical manner, and his personality is a valuable asset in conveying his thoughts to others.

Dr. J. P. Bagby of Washington also made splendid talks during the rally, and officials of the church advise us that this day was one of the most successful from every viewpoint that the church has ever enjoyed.

PROGRESS IN THE SCHOOLS

Parents who desire their children to make more rapid progress in the schools, might well ask themselves the following questions:

Have we become personally acquainted with our children's teachers? A few kindly attentions give quite a lift to a teacher who is struggling with a roomful of restless youngsters. Sometimes she can tell the home folks things they need to know about their angelic offspring.

Are we co-operating with school discipline? Do we frequently let the children stay up late at night, thus depleting their energy? Do we encourage the children to think they are severely or unfairly treated, and thus incite them to an attitude of resistance?

Many other questions could be asked.

Remember that you can't turn children over to the school to have their heads filled with knowledge, as you turn them over to the dentist to have their teeth filled with gold. Education calls for ambition on the part of pupils, and the homes have to help create that sentiment.

BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

The announcement was made Tuesday that Plymouth is to have a building and loan association and that W. J. Martin is to be the local representative. The association office will be with the Washington County Insurance company.

Mr. H. H. Hutchinson will be with Mr. Martin the week of November 24th for the purpose of explaining the details of the organization to those who are interested.

In line with the policy of establishing building and loan facilities in many of the smaller towns of the state the North Carolina Mutual Building and Loan Association has opened up an agency here as it has already done in about one hundred towns and cities in the state. While the association is statewide, one of the reasons why it was organized was to serve the communities which in themselves are not able to operate and maintain a building and loan. As loans from the organization are made to shareholders those people in Plymouth who wish to ultimately build a home of their own are assured that through this state association funds will be available to help them in building and owning their own home.

The building and loan saving plan is one which appeals to people of limited income. In fact building and loan associations are the poor man's friend. Through this association he can save a little each month until ultimately that little saving with interest will grow into a substantial sum.

Building and loan investments are of the highest type and very secure. Money from \$100.00 up may be used to purchase paid up shares in this association. This money is loaned out to shareholders and is secured by first mortgage on residential property which may be located at any point in the state. This investment pays a substantial return and is non-taxable.

MR. LOWE RETURNS.

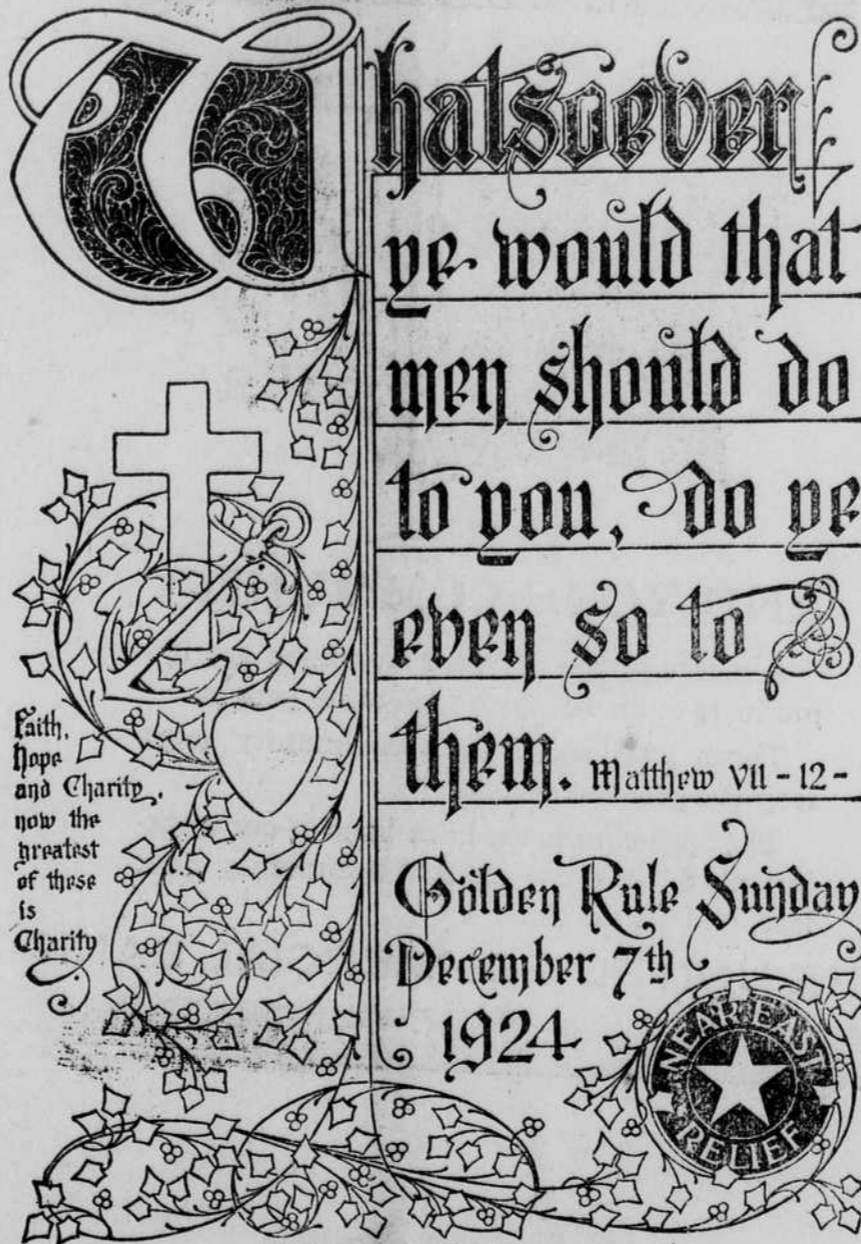
Our people rejoice that Rev. W. G. Lowe, who has been pastor of the local Methodist church for the past two years, will begin his third year of service here now.

Mr. Lowe returned from Wilmington Tuesday where he attended the North Carolina Conference.

Mr. Lowe is held in high esteem by the people here of all denominations and it is a general feeling of satisfaction that he will be with us at least another year. It is hoped that he will remain for the maximum of four years allowed Methodist ministers in this state.

Mr. Lue Read has accepted a position with Smith Motor Co.

PRIZE CONTEST FOR CHILDREN



THE GOLDEN RULE
Motto Design for Golden Rule Sunday, Made in the Style of Ancient Hand-Lettered Manuscripts From the Middle-Age Armenian Monasteries, by the American Artist, J. Thompson Willing. Prizes Are Offered by Near-Color Relief to Children for Coloring This Design, Using Crayons or Water-Color.

AN ORDINANCE

An ordinance authorizing the issuance of bonds of the town of Plymouth, North Carolina, to the amount of for the purpose of constructing street and sidewalk improvements in said town.

WHEREAS, it has been made to appear to the Board of Commissioners of the town of Plymouth, North Carolina, that certain street and sidewalk improvements are urgently necessary in the following streets of the said town to-wit:

Water Street - From Monroe to Madison Streets inclusive, Washington Street, Water Street to Atlantic Coast Line Railroad.

WHEREAS, it is the opinion of this Board that said improvements should be made in a permanent and substantial manner, the streets to be constructed of bricks, blocks, sheet asphalt, bituminous or bituminous concrete, laid on a solid foundation or of concrete, and the sidewalks to be constructed of brick stone, concrete or other material of similar lasting character, and,

WHEREAS, all of said improvements are a necessary expense of said town, and

WHEREAS, the current revenues of said town are not sufficient to meet the obligations imposed upon the town and at the same time provide money with which to undertake and construct said improvements.

Now, Therefore, be it Ordained by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Plymouth, North Carolina; SECTION 1. That for the purpose of constructing the street and sidewalk improvements of said town, more particularly specified in the preamble of this ordinance, bonds of said town shall be issued the maximum sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

SECTION 11. That a Tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest on the bonds shall be annually levied and collected by the Town of Plymouth, North Carolina, at the same time and in the same manner as other town taxes are levied and collected.

SECTION 111. That simultaneously with the introduction of this ordinance a statement of the debt of the town was filed with the Town Clerk pursuant to the Municipal Finance Act as re-enacted at the Special Session of the Legislature of North Carolina, 1921 and is open to public inspection.

SECTION IV. At least one fourth of the cost of improvements herein provided for, exclusive of the cost of paving at street intersections is to be especially a sessid upon the abutting property, and this ordinance shall accordingly take effect upon its passage and shall not be submitted to the voters.

The foregoing ordinance upon roll call was adopted by the following vote

Yeas 6 Nays 0
The foregoing ordinance was passed on the 17 day of Oct, 1924, and was first published on the 7th day of Nov, 1924.

Any action or proceeding questioning the validity of said ordinance must be commenced within thirty days after its first publication.

J. O. Everett
Town Clerk.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in that certain Deed of Trust from A. B. Litchfield and wife to H. G. Walker, Trustee, dated April 28th, 1923, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Washington County in Book 83, Page 548, to which reference is hereby made default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured; the undersigned Trustee will on Monday, the first day of December, 1924, at 12 o'clock Noon, at the Court House door in Washington County, offer for sale, to the highest bidder for cash, that certain property described in the said instrument as follows:

It being part of the property formerly belonging to H. W. Bateman and well known as part of the H. W. Bateman property and being the same land described in the following conveyances of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Washington County, North Carolina, and to which reference is hereby made and the same made a part thereof for purposes of a full and complete description of the land hereby conveyed: Deed from H. W. Bateman and wife to E. L. Gibbs, dated April 5th, 1918, and recorded in said Register's Office in Book 68, Page 5-9 mortgage deed from E. L. Gibbs and wife to H. W. Bateman dated April 5th, 1918, and recorded in said Register's Office in Book 73, Page 168; deed from H. W. Bateman, mortgagee, to A. B. Litchfield, dated the 30th day of March, 1923, and to be recorded in the said Register's Office; all of the aforesaid conveyances being hereby referred to and made a part hereof for purposes of a full and complete description of the land hereby conveyed; it being the same land so conveyed to the said E. L. Gibbs by the said H. W. Bateman and wife.

The bidder at such sale will be required to deposit as much as 10% of the amount bid as a guaranty of good faith pending confirmation of the sale by the Court and right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

This the 31st day of Oct. 1924.
H. G. Walker, Trustee

STREET PAVING

Bids Close November 24, 1924.
Plymouth, North Carolina.

Sealed proposals on blank forms furnished by the TOWN and addressed to the "MAYOR AND COUNCIL, PLYMOUTH, NORTH CAROLINA" will be received until 2 P. M. November 24, 1924, at PLYMOUTH, NORTH CAROLINA, for furnishing all material, equipment and labor for doing the following work:

Approximately 14,000 square yards of Bituminous Street Paving, together with all necessary drainage, curb and gutter and other work incidental thereto.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or satisfactory bidder's bond, made payable to J. O. Everett, Town Clerk, for not less than FIVE PERCENT of the total amount of the bid.

Plans and Specifications can be seen at the office of the TOWN CLERK in PLYMOUTH NORTH CAROLINA, or at the office of the Engineer in Beaufort, North Caro-

Mr. H. R. Brandon Dies Suddenly

After a Brief Illness One of Our Most Respected Citizens Passes Away in Rocky Mount Hospital

BANK OF JAMESVILLE CLOSES

The Bank of Jamesville closed its doors last Saturday.

No charge is made against any of the officials or employees of the institution, and the officials of the bank think that all depositors will be paid promptly and fully, which will probably result in a loss to stockholders unless good collections are made.

The bank enjoys the reputation of being a fair and square enterprise and it is said that the reason for its suspension of business is that too many loans were made while times were good, and too few deposits during the time of less business.

BANK CLOSES THANKSGIVING

Next Thursday being Thanksgiving Day the United Commercial Bank, following its usual custom, will close for that day. Patrons are urged to transact what ever urgent business they may have on the day before. The bank will open for its usual business on Friday following Thanksgiving.

It is expected also that other business houses will be closed on that day.

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to an order of the Superior Court of Washington County, rendered in a special proceeding entitled Viola A. Sexton et alvs. Lily A. Sexton et al, on the 17th day of Nov. 1924, I will on the 18th day of Dec. 1924 at 12 M. expose at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the courthouse door in Washington County, the following described real estate:

That certain house and lot in the Town of Roper, N. C. adjoining the lands of John Newby and others, and being the home of the late Agnes R. Cooper, deceased. Exception is made of a certain graveyard plat on said land 15ft square.

This the 17th of Nov. 1924.
Carl L. Bailey
Commissioner of the court

Dr. D. B. Mizelle

DENTAL SURGEON
in Plymouth every day except Monday prepared to do all kinds of Modern DENTAL WORK

SUBSCRIBE TO THE BEACON

Full set of Plans and Specifications may be obtained from the Engineer upon payment of Ten (10) Dollars, which will be refunded upon the return of the plans in good condition within ten days after the award of the contract.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.
HORACE V. AUSTIN, Mayor.
J. O. EVERETT, Town Clerk.
GEO. J. BROOKS, Engineer,
Beaufort, North Carolina.

A sudden pall of gloom and sadness settled over our community last Saturday night when it was learned that Mr. H. R. Brandon had died in a hospital in Rocky Mount.

Mr. Brandon was taken sick Friday night rather suddenly and Dr. T. L. Bray was summoned to administer medical aid. At first his condition was not alarming, but during the early hours of Saturday afternoon he gradually became worse and following the advice of his physician he was taken by automobile to Rocky Mount where surgical aid was administered. He failed to respond to the aid of the surgeon and at about ten o'clock that night his spirit passed into the great beyond.

The deceased had been a resident of Plymouth for only about three years, but during that time he has made close and warm friends of all those who have come in contact with him. He had been here in the service of the National Handle Company and was considered by them to be one of the most valuable men they had in their employ.

Mr. Brandon was always cheerful and forever ready with a cheery word for those who he came into contact with. He was an intimate acquaintance with most all business houses of the town, all of whom maintained quiet reverence for him. Such men as Mr. Brandon was of the sort that make for a community of the highest order, and Plymouth sustains a great loss in his death.

He was of the Christian persuasion and was a consistent member of that faith.

He came to Plymouth from Wytheville, Ark., and his remains were taken to Halls, Tenn., last Sunday for funeral and interment.

The Beacon joins his grief-stricken relatives and friends in their bereavement.

BAZAAR

Benefit of
METHODIST CHURCH

Tuesday, November 25th
6 P. M.

At the Old S. B. Spruill Office
(opposite Mrs. Latham's Mercery store)

MENU:

- Turkey with Dressing
- Creamed Potatoes
- Sweet Potatoes
- Green Peas
- Bread
- Cranberries
- Celery
- Cream Almond Cake or
- Coffee
- Chicken Salad
- Ice Cream