

THE DUNN DISPATCH

VOLUME X.

DUNN, NORTH CAROLINA, MAY 4, 1923.

NUMBER 10

INTEREST GROWING IN THE REVIVAL

Dr. Bagby Preaching Sermons Of Great Power At First Baptist Church

Large crowds are attending the revival which began Sunday at the First Baptist church and interest is fast growing in the meeting.

There will be no service tomorrow (Saturday) morning. It has been announced when the meeting will close, though it is expected that it will run through Wednesday of next week and probably longer.

Preaching on the subject of "Divine Ethics" last evening, Dr. Bagby declared that sin demands of God either of three things—commendation, ignoring or punishment.

After making it plain that God cares for his creation—man—Dr. Bagby told of the way God can save. He couldn't save by edict or moral, but only by way of substitution.

Using as a subject, "The Divine Right of Service," Tuesday evening Dr. Bagby pictured the path of service as the only one which leads to the highest pinnacle of success to the individual.

"The right of service," declared the preacher, "is taught by Divine example." The word, service, rings forth from the pages of the Bible from Genesis to Revelations.

"Service is also illustrated in the human history," continued the preacher. The only right to life is that which comes through service.

Those who have experienced the new birth were described as the only finished products of manhood and womanhood by Dr. Bagby in his sermon Wednesday evening.

Physique, brain, beauty nor wealth do not constitute the finished product of manhood or womanhood, declared the preacher.

The finished product of manhood or womanhood is not a matter of morality, he said, adding that in his belief the moral unreligious man in a community does more harm than the vilest sinner.

In closing his sermon Dr. Bagby asked the question, "Are you a Christian?"

FRANKLIN MAN DIES AT AGE OF 108 YEARS

Greensboro, April 30.—David Faulkner, aged one hundred and five, died at the Guilford county home tonight, his death due to the infirmities of old age.

INFANT DEAD, MOTHER IS PAINFULLY INJURED

Terrific Cyclone Hits Shalmerdin Section Near Vanceboro

Vanceboro, May 2.—During a terrific cyclone last Saturday night in the Shalmerdin section, a few miles west of here, the six-month-old baby of Mr. Jasper Cannon sustained injuries by the falling in of the house top that resulted in the death of the child a few hours later in the night.

HEIR TO MILLION KEEPS WORKING

Greensboro Auto Repairer Has Proof Of Real Money

Greensboro, May 1.—"Roxie" Walker, garage employe here, is working right along in greasy overalls, although he is heir to a million dollar estate in Texas.

This is no mythical alkate, nor one that "may pan out." Walker has already received part of the money. He received a check for \$4,480 recently, the semi-annual return from the estate.

Walker is a modest fellow and does not like to talk about his good fortune.

Information as to the million-dollar estate and Walker's heirship came to light today, not having been made public before because of the young man's modesty.

The executor of the estate is said to live in Burlington, but his name could not be ascertained here, as Walker is reticent.

GRAVE CHARGE AGAINST HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER

Young Woman Alleged To Have Sent Body Of Infant Through The Mail

Opelousa, La., May 1.—The State had taken no action early today against Miss Josie Fuitts, a high school teacher, of Scott, La., who is charged by the federal authorities with having sent a parcel post package containing the body of a newborn infant from Scott to Duncan, Okla., on April 16.

A conflict between federal and state authorities was reported at Lafayette, the former contending for the custody of the young woman and the state authorities threatening to arrest her on a charge of murder.

There is always room for improvement.

born in Franklin county, 10 miles from Lenoir in 1918 and spent a considerable part of his life in Franklin, later moving to Randolph county. He came to the county home about a year ago.

A FINE POINT TO BATTLE OVER

Case From Harnett County Will Be A Hard One To Decide

Heirs of John A. Weathers, Harnett county farmer who met the same death by train and automobile collision that came to his wife and adopted daughter several weeks ago near Fuquay Springs, are making Harnett romantic with an inheritance story which puts barristers' wit to the supreme test.

Mr. Weathers, Mrs. Weathers and an adopted daughter of 16 were on their way to Raleigh when a Norfolk Southern train backed on them at a crossing about 25 miles from Raleigh. All were killed.

But the girl, who was adopted by Mr. Weathers and not by Mrs. Weathers, lived five hours longer than either. Her right to such property as came through her father (in the law) is unquestioned.

When the investigators went into this property business they found Mrs. Parker, the dead girl's real mother, suspicious, said an attorney of Harnett.

Two juries in Harnett County Superior court yesterday rendered verdicts on notes issued in payment for stock of the defunct Cumberland Railway and Power Co.

BANK TO COLLECT DISPUTED NOTES

Verdicts Given On Two Notes Made In Payment For

Each of the suits of the other class has also been tried in Wake county, S. B. Holliman securing a judgment by which notes amounting to \$15,000, negotiated by the Harnett County Trust Co., and now held by the Union Trust Co., of Raleigh, as receiver for the owners of certificates of deposit issued upon the notes, were ordered brought into court and cancelled.

Commencement Program BUIE'S CREEK ACADEMY

The thirty-seventh commencement of Buie's Creek Academy will begin on Saturday, May 12, and close on Thursday, May 17.

Saturday, May 12 8:30 P. M. Washingtonian Society.

Sunday, May 13 11:30 A. M. Sermon—Rev. J. W. Lynch, D. D., Durham.

8:00 P. M. Sermon—Rev. J. W. Lynch, D. D.

Wednesday, May 16 2:30 P. M. Declaimers' Contest.

4:00 P. M. Senior Class Exercises.

8:30 P. M. Astro and Sapho Societies.

Thursday, May 17 10:00 A. M. Orators' Contest.

12:00 M. Literary Address—President E. W. Sikes, Ph. D., Coker College, S. C.

1:30 P. M. Alumni Address—Rev. Kyle M. Yates, Th. D., Southern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Alumni Banquet. F. Hunter Crook Esq., Washington, D. C., Toastmaster.

Reunion of Classes of 1913 and 1918.

4:00 P. M. Ball Game.

8:30 P. M. Play—"Crickets On the Hearth."

Records are broken by men who are so hard pushed they have to break a record in order to win.

TOMORROW TO BE "BOLL WEEVIL DAY"

Plans For Defeating Him Will Be Outlined In Great Meeting Here

Time, 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, May 5. Place, Opera House in Dunn. Tomorrow has been proclaimed as "Boll Weevil Day" in Dunn and the Dunn District.

The very best methods known for growing cotton under boll weevil conditions will be outlined by a speaker from the State of Louisiana—a man who has grown cotton for a number of years in spite of the weevil.

It is the purpose of The Dunn Chamber of Commerce and others interested in defeating the boll weevil in the Dunn District to make this meeting the beginning of one of the greatest battles ever waged against the cotton enemy.

Two juries in Harnett County Superior court yesterday rendered verdicts on notes issued in payment for stock of the defunct Cumberland Railway and Power Co.

MURDEROUS LIQUOR STILL FOUND BY BRAGG SOLDIERS

Fort Bragg, April 28.—Members of the Fort Bragg Range Riders, under Sergeant Cunningham, have brought in a 50-gallon still, found at the extreme western edge of the Reservation, just inside the government boundary line.

Edgar Turlington goes to Lausanne conference.

COLORED GIRL WAS FIRST-PRIZE WINNER

Nettie Lee, a student of the ninth grade at the Harnett County Training school, Dunn, was awarded the first prize of \$5 by judges in the essay contest recently conducted by Pearce's bakery.

McLEAN REGRETS ACTION CANCELLING ENGAGEMENT FOR ADDRESS BY BAILEY

Litersville, May 3.—A. W. McLean, of Lumberton, generally recognized as a candidate for Governor in the Democratic primary next year, who delivered a school address here today, wired J. W. Bailey, of Raleigh, also regarded as the probable chief opponent of Mr. McLean in the next gubernatorial race, expressing his regret for the action of the school authorities at Parkton in cancelling the appointment of Mr. Bailey to deliver an address there.

MEANE HASN'T GONE OUT OF BABY BUSINESS

Cyclone Meak Felicitates People On This Fact; Preaches On "The Devil"

Meane, May 2.—"I notice one particularly pleasing thing about Meane and that is that you haven't gone out of the baby business," said Cyclone Meak last night just before he launched in his attack on "The Devil," which was his subject, and looking out over the vast audience one would find his remarks very true, for in almost every seat could be noted a mother with an infant in her arms.

It was a most interesting subject "The Devil" and a large number at his call came forward to the altar. Meak also stated that he had never had such a number to respond to this subject, for "the atmosphere was so thick with the devil working against him, that you could almost cut it with a knife."

On Friday night this great evangelist will preach on "Evolution" and "it will be so hot it will be necessary for the reporter to use asbestos pads to write that sermon," he stated.

GROWERS TO ELECT DIRECTORS SOON

Plans Announced For Holding Annual Meeting Of The Co-Operative

Raleigh, May 1.—Thirty thousand cotton growers have been called to attend local meetings on Friday night, May 11th, to select delegates to county conventions of the North Carolina Cotton Growers Co-operative Association, which will be held in every county seat on Monday, May 14th.

MEANE HASN'T GONE OUT OF BABY BUSINESS

Cyclone Meak Felicitates People On This Fact; Preaches On "The Devil"

Meane, May 2.—"I notice one particularly pleasing thing about Meane and that is that you haven't gone out of the baby business," said Cyclone Meak last night just before he launched in his attack on "The Devil," which was his subject, and looking out over the vast audience one would find his remarks very true, for in almost every seat could be noted a mother with an infant in her arms.

It was a most interesting subject "The Devil" and a large number at his call came forward to the altar. Meak also stated that he had never had such a number to respond to this subject, for "the atmosphere was so thick with the devil working against him, that you could almost cut it with a knife."

COTTON GROWERS TO GET CHECKS

Third Advance To Members of Co-Operative Association Being Mailed

Raleigh, May 1.—Checks for a third advance on cotton delivered to the North Carolina Cotton Growers' association began going out to members Monday. It was announced from the headquarters here today.

Approximately \$3,000,000 will be paid to 30,000 cotton growers on this distribution, it is stated, and it will require several days to complete the mailing out of the checks, but they are being mailed out as fast as they are made out.

No favorites are being played in mailing out the checks, it is stated, as they are going out in the order in contract numbers. That is, the member holding contract No. 1 got the first check and so on through the list, including both mortgaged and free cotton.

It was thought best to begin mailing the checks as soon as they were made out instead of holding them in the office until all are made out.

MAY FESTIVAL WAS A DELIGHT

Miss Christine Thompson Was Crowned May Queen On Lockwood Square

The value of Lockwood Square as a public park was fully recognized Tuesday afternoon, when the Camp Fire Girls proved what a thing of beauty could be made of it.

At 6 o'clock the procession to the square began, Miss Gladys Rowanport as herald, announcing its approach. Misses Eleanor Gilman and Mary Evans, dressed in quaint costumes, and carrying large bouquets of flowers led the line, followed by Miss Ella Northrup Smith, who scattered flowers in front of the queen.

After the queen had received her crown and taken her place on the throne a number of pretty dances were given just before the dinner, beginning with a series of athletic dances which illustrated the transformation of winter into spring, followed by charming folk dances and the stately minuet and ending with the ever popular waltz.

Not the least important part of the festival was the Junior, Henry Newberry and the court ball, Jack Remmer. More than 95 girls took part in the dance.

MAKES FINE SHOWING

In The Savings Bank, published by the Fifth Federal Reserve District, of May 1, reference is made of the fact that Postmaster W. D. Holland of Dunn had reached the quota for the year for second-class post offices in the sale of treasury certificates before April 1.

CLOSING EXERCISES OF MARY STEWART SCHOOL

Dunn, E. S. May 2.—The closing exercises of the Mary Stewart school were held on Saturday, April 29 and Monday April 30, beginning with a picnic dinner on the grounds at 1 o'clock Saturday, followed by a program of drills and recitations by the children of the lower grades.

The school and faculty wish to express their appreciation to Rev. A. M. Hall, Prof. Benner, Mrs. Thelma Overby, and Miss Emma Harfoot for their kindness and assistance with the program.

DOCK J. POPE DIED SUDDENLY WHILE WORKING IN FIELD

Dock J. Pope, well-known farmer, died suddenly Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock while plowing in a field at his home, eight miles east of Dunn.

It is thought death was due to a stroke of apoplexy. Deceased was about 60 years old and is survived by his widow and three children.

The funeral was conducted yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from Bethesda church and interment was made in the church cemetery. Mr. Pope was a member of the Free Will Baptist church and a good man.

MAY FESTIVAL WAS A DELIGHT

Miss Christine Thompson Was Crowned May Queen On Lockwood Square

The value of Lockwood Square as a public park was fully recognized Tuesday afternoon, when the Camp Fire Girls proved what a thing of beauty could be made of it.

At 6 o'clock the procession to the square began, Miss Gladys Rowanport as herald, announcing its approach. Misses Eleanor Gilman and Mary Evans, dressed in quaint costumes, and carrying large bouquets of flowers led the line, followed by Miss Ella Northrup Smith, who scattered flowers in front of the queen.

MAKES FINE SHOWING

In The Savings Bank, published by the Fifth Federal Reserve District, of May 1, reference is made of the fact that Postmaster W. D. Holland of Dunn had reached the quota for the year for second-class post offices in the sale of treasury certificates before April 1.

CLOSING EXERCISES OF MARY STEWART SCHOOL

Dunn, E. S. May 2.—The closing exercises of the Mary Stewart school were held on Saturday, April 29 and Monday April 30, beginning with a picnic dinner on the grounds at 1 o'clock Saturday, followed by a program of drills and recitations by the children of the lower grades.

The school and faculty wish to express their appreciation to Rev. A. M. Hall, Prof. Benner, Mrs. Thelma Overby, and Miss Emma Harfoot for their kindness and assistance with the program.

DOCK J. POPE DIED SUDDENLY WHILE WORKING IN FIELD

Dock J. Pope, well-known farmer, died suddenly Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock while plowing in a field at his home, eight miles east of Dunn.

It is thought death was due to a stroke of apoplexy. Deceased was about 60 years old and is survived by his widow and three children.

The funeral was conducted yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from Bethesda church and interment was made in the church cemetery. Mr. Pope was a member of the Free Will Baptist church and a good man.

MAY FESTIVAL WAS A DELIGHT

Miss Christine Thompson Was Crowned May Queen On Lockwood Square

The value of Lockwood Square as a public park was fully recognized Tuesday afternoon, when the Camp Fire Girls proved what a thing of beauty could be made of it.

At 6 o'clock the procession to the square began, Miss Gladys Rowanport as herald, announcing its approach. Misses Eleanor Gilman and Mary Evans, dressed in quaint costumes, and carrying large bouquets of flowers led the line, followed by Miss Ella Northrup Smith, who scattered flowers in front of the queen.

MAKES FINE SHOWING

In The Savings Bank, published by the Fifth Federal Reserve District, of May 1, reference is made of the fact that Postmaster W. D. Holland of Dunn had reached the quota for the year for second-class post offices in the sale of treasury certificates before April 1.

CLOSING EXERCISES OF MARY STEWART SCHOOL

Dunn, E. S. May 2.—The closing exercises of the Mary Stewart school were held on Saturday, April 29 and Monday April 30, beginning with a picnic dinner on the grounds at 1 o'clock Saturday, followed by a program of drills and recitations by the children of the lower grades.

The school and faculty wish to express their appreciation to Rev. A. M. Hall, Prof. Benner, Mrs. Thelma Overby, and Miss Emma Harfoot for their kindness and assistance with the program.

DOCK J. POPE DIED SUDDENLY WHILE WORKING IN FIELD

Dock J. Pope, well-known farmer, died suddenly Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock while plowing in a field at his home, eight miles east of Dunn.

It is thought death was due to a stroke of apoplexy. Deceased was about 60 years old and is survived by his widow and three children.

The funeral was conducted yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from Bethesda church and interment was made in the church cemetery. Mr. Pope was a member of the Free Will Baptist church and a good man.