JAPANESE SINGER HERE

TO TAKE PART IN BROWNING MEETING

Rev. Y. Kondo, Student at Emory University, Arrived This Morning -Mr. Stapleton's "Candle Sermon" Strongly Impressed the Children — Special Sermon for Men Sunday Afternoon — "Will Church Members Murder Meet-

At last night's tabernacle service there was a splendid crowd and at the close of the sermon quite a number of people gave their lives to God. The service was closed with the gathering around the altar of a large number of church members and Christians who thus signified their willingness to co-operate with the preacher and respond to whatever calls he might make upon them for assistance during the remainder of the meeting.

Evangelist Browning's sermon last night was a continuation of his talks on the Lord's prayer and his discourse was one which riveted the attention of the large congregation. He paid his respects in scathing language to the church members and nominal Christians who are inactive and who will not make use of the opportunities to help save souls. It's the church members who will murder this meeting if it is murdered, thundered the speaker.

Wednesday night Mr. Browning devoted a good portion of his discourse to the subject of taking God into your business. He begged his hearers to adopt the Biblical injunction to pay to the Lord one-tenth of their incomes. He gave numerous instances to show that the Christians who tithe are prospered by the Lord. He called on all in the congregation who followed this Biblical plan of giving to stand up. There were only a few who responded. He also pleaded with the Christian people to establish and maintain family altars. These discussions of practical everyday Christian living, presented in the plainest and most forceful manner, impressed his hearers strongly and will no doubt result in great

THE CANDLE SERMON. Tuesday night, Mr. Stapleton delivered his "Candle Sermon," which is a discourse intended primarily for the children but which was greatly enjoyed by the grown-ups present as well. On account of the rain the crowd was not large but the service was a most impressive one.

Large double deck tables covered with candles of every description, each one illustrating a different kind of a person and as he attempted to light one from the large candle in the center which represented Jesus the lighting power was interfered with by some object attached to the candle which by some means had to be eliminated in order to get the candle to shine. Each candle had its place in a forceful illustration. As the text was in the words of Jesus "I am the light of the world. and "ye are the light of the world, it was necessary to remove the hindrance from most of the candles before they could shine. For instance, there was a boy with a bad temper who when he was spoken to would spit fire and flash until all of that was burned off of him then he began to shine.

Another very interesting illustration and one that seemed clear and amusing to the congregation was a big candle being rolled around in a doll carriage. After lighting htm and getting him in the church, the speaker turned from him to attend to other matters whereupon the baby cried aloud and had to be rolled some more and petted by his pastor in order to keep him in a good humor. This represented the "baby on the official board. Another interesting one was a man in the church determined to have his own way or break up the church. A box represented the church. As the candle on top of it was lighted a fuse blew out his light and a large number of fire crackers exploded inside the box or

church. Such things as, a man with a grouch, one with money in the way cards, a big-headed person, man running from the preacher, one with his bottle in the way, self-righteous man, poor and rich, and numerous others which were true to life as we see it daily were shown. The concluding scene was of a person in the church who has never been converted and represented by a beautiful candle, unlighted. They were doing nothing till death came in the home and a little girl died which was the means of the conversion of both father and mother. When Mr. Stapleton called a little girl to the platform to light the candle there were

many in the audience weeping. There were about 75 kinds of people represented in the talk and it held rapt attention from start to fin-

Large, small, red, white, green, blue, yellow and gold candles were used and afforded a beautiful scene after all had been lighted from the "Jesus" candle. INSERT- fOnv6mbiifC e2H mnS 1

JAPANESE SINGER HERE. Rev. Y. Kondo, of Japan, a student at Emory University, Atlanta, and a personal friend of Mr. Brown ing's, arrived this morning on No. 36 from Atlanta and will be Mr. Browning's guest here during the remainder of the meeting. Mr. Kondo has a wife and three children in Japan. He came to America from



T. W. BICKETT Raleigh, N. C. Democratic Candidate for Governor.

Charlie Chaplin in "His First Vacation," in 3 reels, Ideal Monday.

Shelby has issued \$40,000 in bonds for street improvement and the laying of sewer and water

Get the best fountain drinks at Kennedy's Rexall Store "on the Phone 84. square."

Mooresville has organize a chamber of commerce with approximately 100 members.

Mary Miles Minter in "Lovely Mary," Cozy Tuesday.

The fourteenth annual meeting of | public knows. the North Carolina State Nurses' Association will be held in Winston-Salem, May 30-June 1-2.

Charlie Chaplin in "His First Vacation," in 3 reels, Ideal Monday.

The election of Miss Mary O. Graham, of Charlotte, as president of Peace Institute, Raleigh, was unanimously ratified by the board of trustees at a meeting held Tuesday.

Bring or send or phone your prescriptions to Kennedy's Drug Store, phone 84.

Six negro convicts escaped Saturday and Sunday night from the Buncombe county chaingang.

Charlie Chaplin in "His First Vacation," in 3 reels, Ideal Monday.

Vice-President Thomas R. Marshall delivered the annual address before the students of the State Normal and Industrial College at Greensboro Tuesday. Of a class of 51 graduates 49 were North Carolina girls.

Mary Miles Minter in "Lovely Mary," Cozy Tuesday.

Three thousand newspapers and publications in Germany have had to go out of business, generally on account of financial difficulties, since the war began, according to the newspaper lists for the imperial postal district. The list for this year shows a falling off of 1,255 publications from the list of 1915, or an average of more than three a day.

See the five window suggestions at Kennedy's, "on the square." Phone 84.

the mission field last year to educate himself at Emory University. He will be at the University for two more years. Mr. Kondo has a splendid baritone voice and will sing at the services during the remainder of the meeting.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

There will be no service tomorrow, Saturday, morning but the usual service will be held tomorrow night.

Sunday morning there will be preaching at the regular hour. At 3:30 Sunday afternoon Mr. Browning will preach again to men and boys, his subject being "Victor or Victim." Monday night he will preach a special sermon to boys and girls, his subject being "The Ant, the Rabbit, the Grasshopper and the Spider.'

Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services. Evangelist Browning is preaching strong, practical sermons and Mr. Stapleton and his splendid choir are furnishing most excellent music.

It is understood that a special train will bring a large crowd of people from Kings Mountain to the service next Tuesday night.

MR. A. O. LLOYD RESIGNS A WHIRLWIND CAMPAIGN

Board Accepts Resignation With Regrets-Goes to Chester, S. C., to Take Similar Position After June

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Half Years-His Successor May be Chosen Soon. Mr. Alfred O. Lloyd, for the past wo and a half years secretary of the Gastonia Chamber of Commerce, yesterday presented his resignation to President T. L. Craig of the Chamber and, at a called meeting of the board of directors held last night, to consider the matter, his resignation was accepted with re-

grets by the board. This news will

come as a surprise to many mem-

bers of the chamber as well as to the

public generally. Mr. Lloyd's resignation becomes effective June 30th on which date he goes to Chester, S. C., to assume the duties of a similar position as secretary of the Chester Chamber of Commerce, just organized, at a considerably larger salary than he received here. The Chester people are to be congratulated upon securing Mr. Lloyd for this position.

So far as is known the directors have no applications for this position and no one under consideration as Mr. Lloyd's successor.

Coming to Gastonia the first of January, 1914, from McKeesport, Pa., where he was advertising manager of The McKeesport Daily News, on a visit to relatives here, Mr. Lloyd was chosen secretary of the Gastonia Chamber of Commerce which had just been organized. He undertook the difficult work of perfecting the organization and getting it in working shape. A Chamber of Commerce was a new thing for Gastonia, the detail work of which was an unknown quanity with local business men. Mr. Lloyd was quite successful in getting it in good running order in a short time.

To attempt any account of what has been accomplished by this organization since its inception calls for more space than can be given the subject today. Suffice it to say that one of the biggest things done by the chamber under Mr. Lloyd's administration was the promoting of the first Gaston county fair last year which was a big success. This was a new thing for Gastonia, also, and called for an immense amount of work. How well that was done the

During his residence here Mr. Lloyd and his family have made many friends, all of whom will regret to see them leave. The best wishes of a host of friends here will go with Mr. Lloyd to his new field of

Get your cigars, smokes and tobaccos at Kennedy's Rexall Store "on the square." Phone 84.

Mary Miles Minter in "Lovely Mary," Cozy Tuesday.

Death of Clay Cavin.

Following a lingering illness of many months with tuberculosis Mr. Clay Ferguson Cavin, aged nineteen years, died Wednesday morning at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Cavin, in Mount Holly. Funeral services were held at the residence yesterday morning at 10 o'clock by Rev. S. L. Cathey, pastor of the Presbyterian church, of which deceased was a faithful member. The pall-bearers were Ralph Holland, Magnus Edwards, Herman Hoover, Carl West, J. L. Finger and J. \ J. Farrar. The stricken parents have the deep sympathy of many friends.

-Mr. J. R. Davis, of the law firm of Gardner and Davis, of Kings Mountain, is attending Superior Court this week.

-Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Babington and little daughter returned last night from a visit to relatives Raleigh.

-Dr. O. P. Rein returned yesterday from Chapel Hill, where for the past three years he has been assistant professor of Germanics in the Dr. University of North Carolina. Rein has resigned his position at the University and has not yet decided upon his plans for next year.

Mrs. J. B. Reeves, who has been spending some time here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Long, left Wednesday for Hamlet where she will spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. I. McPhail. From Hamlet she will go to Norfolk, Va., to join her husband and they will reside there in the future, Mr. Reeves having been transferred from Charlotte to Norfolk by his house.

Many people suffer the tortures of lame muscles and stiffened joints because of impurities in the blood, and each suceding attack seems more acute until eumatism has invaded the whole system. To arrest rheumatism it is quite as im-To arrest rheumatism it is quite as important to improve your general health as to purify your blood, and the cod liver oil in Scott's Emulsion is nature's great bloodmaker, while its medicinal nourishment strengthens the organs to expel the impurities and upbuild your strength. Scott's Emulsion is helping thousands every day who could not find other relief. Refuse the alcoholic substitutes.

AS SECRETARY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE FOR ORTHOPAEDIC HOSPITAL FUND

Twenty-six Hundred Dollars Raised

in Two Hours this Morning-Gaston County Expected to Contribute \$10,000 of Total of \$50,000 for This Institution-None Payable Until Full Amount is Subscribed -Interest Growing in Proposed Charitable Institution.

At a recent meeting of the trustees of the North Carolina Orthopaedic Hospital plans were adopted whereby it looks possible now to realize this institution within the near future. Many of the most prominent and energetic business men of Gastonia and Gaston county are behind the project in earnest. A whirlwind campaign for subscriptions has already begun. Gaston people propose to start this institution with a subscription of \$10,000 or more given by Gaston countians for this humane purpose. The campaign for subscriptions has only been on a day or two and up to this time there has been subscribed \$2,600, none of which subscriptions is payable until \$50,000 has been subscribed. The institution is an assured success, provided the other counties of the State do their share as well as Gaston. There does not seem to be any doubt that Gaston will raise her \$10,000 and also that Mecklenburg, Cleveland and Lincoln will swell this amount to at least \$25,000 within the next sixty days. Many of our best business men are so much interested in this laudable institution to help the poor, crippled and indigent orphaned children of the State that they are leaving their work and making this personal campaign themselves.

Below is a copy of the subscription card clearly setting forth sufficiently the purposes thereof. Anyone desiring to help with this work is asked to cut out and fill in this card and mail to Mr. J. Lee Robinson, the treasurer, a subscription of any amount desired, as all contributions however small or large will be thank. fully received and acknowledged.

Some facts concerning this institution and its work might be of interest to the general public who would like to assist the promoters in this undertaking.

FACTS. Its object is to provide a hospital, crippled children and those with chronic diseases; to aid them to become at least partially self-supporting by means of education and the careful training of any special talent

a child may have. It is absolutely nonsectarian.

It is open to all crippled white children who need its care.

Children who cannot pay are to be received absolutely free. It will be a home, a training school and hospital where any physician of good standing may send his patients

and have his instructions for each case carried out. All moneys, bequests, legacies and donations received will be expended

to alleviate the sufferings of diseased children. Experienced nurses and teachers

will be employed. About seventy-five cents per day overs the cost of the care of each child in like institutions.

There is not an institution this, as proposed, in the entire South and only about eight or ten in the United States, thus the great State of

North Carolina has a wonderful oppertunity to lead along this philanthropic line as well as along the lines of commerce and agriculture. It is cheaper to cure and educate

cripples, thus transforming them from the dependent to the effective class, than it is to support them This institution will pay large di-

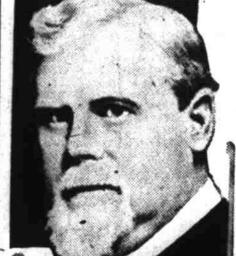
vidends in human character, more useful lives and better citizenship. Give the crippled, deformed children of sound mind a chance to make

Mary Miles Minter in "Lovely Cozy Tuesday.

Rock Hill's Population. Rock Hill (S. C.) Herald.

The Gastonia Gazette directs attention to an editorial published in The Herald some days ago, in which the statement was made that the population of Rock Hill is about ten thousand. The Gazette accepts the chance to do a little bragging for its own town, and says that Gastonia will have fifteen thousand population following the building of new cotton mills which will be ereted there. The Herald does not know how much territory would have to be taken in around Gastonia in order to find fifteen thousand people. However, Allen D. Albert, the civic expert, estimated that the population of Rock Hill, including those people on the outskirts who are rightly to be considered members of the community, is fourteen thousand. The municipality of Rock Hill includes but four square miles of territory, and The Herald considers ten thousand a fair estimate of the population in this territory. As Mr. Albert suggested, there are several thousand people outside the city limits who constitute part of the population of Rock Hill in every essential except the fact that they cannot be counted by the census taker in securing a record of the population of the city.

Buy It In Gastonia.



W. A. GRAHAM Raleigh, N. C. Democratic Candidate for Commis sioner of Agriculture.

NEWS NOTES.

William Barnes, aged 31, of Reidsville, was killed by a dynamite blast at Charlottesville, Va., last Friday.

A dispatch from St. Paul, Minn. says that James J. Hill, the great railroad magnate, is ill and that his friends and business associates are concerned about his condition.

A portrait of the late D. A. Tompkins, of Charlotte, was presented to the A. & M. College, Raleigh, at the recent commencement by his brother, A. S. Tompkins, of Edgefield. S.

According to the Charlotte weather bureau, in the 24 hours ending at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening 3.19 inches of rain fell. This was six times as much as had fallen during the entire six weeks previous.

Fifty thousand coal miners in, the Pittsburg district quit work Tuesday as a result of dissatisfaction over the wage scale agreement recently made with the operators in that district.

Mrs. Annie Mitchell, widow of L. E. Mitchell, who recently lost his school and home combined, for the life in a fire which destroyed the treatment, education and training of Neill hotel in Winston-Salem, has suit against the the hotel for damages in the sum of

The Methodist General Conference refused yesterday by a vote of 435 to 360 to remove from the discipline of the Church the clause which provides the penalty of expulsion for Church members who play cards,

dance and attend theaters. The biennial national convention of the Federated Women's Clubs of America began its sessions in the Seventh Regiment armory in New York City Tuesday and will continue through June 2. More than 30,000 women are in attendance.

Charley Lovett, aged 21, son of Harper Lovett, of West Hickory, was shot and killed two weeks ago in Muncie, Ind., by John Stanley, a former cowboy and would-be bad man. Lovett's body was brought back to Hickory for burial.

Col. John L. Phillips, U. S. A., retired, committed suicide Monday night in Baltimore, a victim of melancholia. He was a native of Chapel Hill, this State, where his body was buried. He was a son of Samuel Phillips, who was at one time United States solicitor general.

William Jennings Bryan is being talked of as a possible candidate for the presidency on the Prohibition party. Recently Mr. Bryan has stated that he had come to the point where he could no longer follow a party that refused to endorse National prohibition. The colonel may yet be elected.

The General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian Church in the United States in session at Orlando, Fla., Tuesday decided not to grant women full privileges as deaconesses, but showed in a long statement of the situation that it was not the desire to restrict the activities of women in the home and foreign mission elds. On last Saturday the assembly decided that women should not appear in the pulpit.

U. D. C. MEETING POSTPONED,

There will be no meeting of Gastonia Chapter, U. D. C., this afternoon, by reason of the fact that the chapter room is being remodeled. Announcement of the date of the next meeting will be made in The Gazette.

ENTERTAINED FOR STUDENTS AND TEACHERS.

The boys and girls of the Union high school entertained at a reception in honor of the graduating class and the teachers last Friday evening. They indulged in a number of games and contests. Refreshments were seryed in two courses. Sweet pear and other flowers were used in decorating the rooms. The hours were from 8 to 11. The affair was a thoroughly delightful one throughout.

Mr. Taft has so many personal friends among the Republican candidates that he naturally hesitates to state which of them has the least chance.—New York Evening Post.

-Rev. J. E. Berryhill, of Kings Mountain, was in town Wednesday.

-Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Haynes are spending the week in Asheville.

-Mr. A. E. Beam, of Cherryville, was a Gastonia visitor Wednesday.

-Mrs. C. Rush Hamrick, of Shelby, was the guest Sunday of Miss Mamie Pearson.

-Mr. C. L. Emerson, of Charlotte, was a business visitor in the city yesterday. -Miss Kate Miller has returned

from Hickory, where she visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller. -Miss Irma Willeford, of Kings Mountain, was a visitor in the city Wednesday.

-Mr. F. H. Robinson, of Dallas, was in the city on business yester-

-Mrs. J. M. Holland and little son, J. M., Jr., returned yesterday from a visit to relatives at Hickory. -Mrs. Linwood Robinson, of Lowell, has been spending the week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

V. E. Long. -Master Preston Covington, of Hamlet, is spending some time here with his cousins, little Miss Wilma. Kirby and Master Fred Kirby.

-Workmen have been engaged. for the past day or two in replastering the overhead ceilings in the two waiting rooms at the Southern Railway depot.

-Mr. Max D. Abernethy has returned home from Chapel Hill where he has been a student at the University the past session. -Messrs, Caldwell Ragan and

Earle McLean returned Wednesday from Westminster School, Rutherford county. -Mrs. R. V. Whitener, of Spartanburg, S. C., spent Wednesday in

the city as the guest of Mrs. E. K.

Whitener at her home on Columbia street. -Good progress is being made ow the construction of the steel frame of the First National Bank

building. The work has reached the level of the third story. -Mr. W. G. Gaston, of Lowell, has accepted a position for the summer with the Atlanta Construction Company, who have a sub-contract

on the First National Bank building. -Messrs. Fred M. Arrowood, Max D. Abernethy and Charlton Torrence, students in the University of North Carolina, returned home Tuesday night for the summer

-County farm demonstration agent J. M. Gray has recently placed 14 thorough-bred Berkshire pigs for the several banks of the county who made a special offer to the pig club members.

-Miss Jessie May Mackie, of Granite Falls, is spending a few days here with her sister, Mrs. A. E. Woltz. She is en route home from Raleigh where she has been a student

at Meredith College the past season. -Mrs. Lizzie Falls and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Harry Falls, the latter of Richmond, Va., have returned to Kings Mountain after spending several days here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Long.

-Friends of Mr. W. F. Marshall, of Raleigh, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at Rex hospital, will be glad to learn that he has sufficiently recovered to return to his home in Cameron Park.

-Mr. W. F. Wellman, of Cooleemee, spent Saturday night and Sunday in the city with his brother, Rev. H. M. Wellman, pastor of West End and Franklin avenue Methodist churches

- Miss Mary Sydnor left yesterday for her home at Charleston, W. Va., after being the guest for some days of her cousin, Mrs. Clyde C. Armstrong. 'Her brother, Mr. L. W. Sydnor, left for Charleston Modnay.

-Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wilson and children left in their auto for Graham, where Mrs. Wilson and children will make an extended visit to her father, Mr. John W. Stockard. Mr. Wilson will return to Gastonia Monday.

-Ground was broken yesterday for the new graded school building to be erected in West Gastonia. Architect Wheeler is here from Charlotte today staking off the foundation for the new school building in East Gastonia.

-Mrs. Stella Shetley, of Bessemer City, route two, who has charge of the demonstration work of the girls' and women's clubs, will leave Monday for Greensboro to attend a conference of demonstration agents which will be in session at the State Normal and Industrial College for a week.

Mr. Hugh E. White, who has made his home in Gastonia during the past year or more as government inspector in charge of the construction of the postoffice building, left Wednesday for Savannah, where he will be in charge of the construction of a Marine Hospital, quarantine station and probably other government work. Mr. White's family will go to Black Mountain for the

Spend Your Money With Home Merchants.

The hair's best friend is Parisian Sage. Get a bottle from J. H. Ken-nedy & Co. and see how quickly it will cure dandruff and itching and stop the hair from falling