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ISSUED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.

NEW M. P. CHURCH NOW OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

I made a trip to Sandy Cross and Betheny Sunday. Good congregation at both places.

For this quarter I will preach at Sandy Cross the fourth Sunday in February at 11 a. m., and Betheny at 3:30 p. m.

We organized Sunday school in our Reidsville church on the first Sunday in January with 43 present, and new scholars enrolled each Sunday since. Mrs. J. D. McCollum is superintendent; J. A. Dixon, assistant; T. S. Wray, secretary; Geo. D. Williams, treasurer; teachers, Mrs. T. S. Wray, Mrs. D. L. Carroll, Mrs. Geo. S. Kerndle, Miss Fleetwood, McCollum, Miss Bessie Gunn, Miss Treva Raper, and Miss Nellie Hutcherson. Miss Madge Thompson is organist; Miss Treva Raper is organist for church service.

We are starting off well. There will be preaching the next fourth, first, second and third Sundays, morning and night. We have our organ, chairs, pews, etc. and hope to have our church lighted this week. We give all a hearty welcome. We will open the doors of our church next Sunday morning. Following the service there will be a meeting of the trustees and stewards. Hope to have you present.

Our president said when he was here, when you move to town bring your certificate with you, and I have talked with many who have lived in town with their membership back at their home church because there was not a church of their own denomination where they moved to, and they said they would never do it again. Last year I gave several certificates to our members to join other denominations, who had moved away to places where we had not a church. We are saved through the blood of Christ's atonement and our personal effort, and not by church creeds. If you only live here for one year, bring your certificate and join the church that you feel most at home and where you can do the most good. Do your level best where you are, and if every one would only do that, what a revolution and, oh, what a revelation and salvation would take place. Every one shall give an account of himself to God. Be careful, prayerful and watch.

Wheat and winter crops are looking fine. Much plowing has already been done, many tobacco beds already prepared, and seed in the ground. I noticed on my way to Betheny on both roads, as I went on and came another.

They are having a splendid school at Betheny. They also have a splendid attendance with a fine set of teachers.

Sandy Cross has a good school. So has Sharon. The patrons speak well of the schools.

Fraternally,
C. E. M. RAPER.

Escaped After Fifteen Years.

W. P. Broyles made a successful escape after fifteen years of suffering from kidney and bladder troubles. Foley Kidney Pills released him and will do just the same for others. He says: "They cured a most severe backache with painful bladder irregularities, and they do all you claim for them." Refuse substitutes. For sale by all dealers.

W. C. T. U. HELD MEETING WITH MRS. L. T. SMITH.

The W. C. T. U. held its regular monthly meeting with Mrs. L. T. Smith. Twenty members were present and two new members added to the roll.

The president held a short business meeting. The Union was divided into bands. Each band is to make as much money as they can within the next two months, this money to be used in both State and local work.

It was decided to have the prize-winning essay on "The Evils of Cigarette Smoking," by Reuben Baker, published, also two of the next best. It will be remembered that this contest was held at the Graded School in December, the prize being \$2.50 in gold.

A committee was appointed to arrange for the Francis Willard memorial service to be held in February.

After all business had been transacted, the meeting was given over to Mrs. Will Williams, superintendent of Mothers' Meetings, who had arranged for the reading of several interesting leaflets as follows: Practical Suggestions for Local Purity Workers, by Mrs. J. H. Walker; A Call to Young Women, by Mrs. R. T. Burton, and The Heavenly Vision, by Mrs. D. R. Allen, in which the names of several faithful women were mentioned, among them Frances E. Willard, who did so much for the betterment of humanity and who had such a deep sympathy for the lowly and unfortunate.

On motion it was decided to organize a club in Domestic Science for the young girls, which we hope will prove both pleasant and profitable. The next meeting will be with the president, Mrs. P. W. Gildewell, in February.

IN MEMORIAM OF MOTHER AND CHILD

On January 7, 1913, the Great Father of Mercies saw fit to call from Time to Eternity our beloved friend and neighbor, Mrs. S. J. Powell. For some time her health had not been good owing to heart trouble; but her last attack was sudden and unexpected. She retired in apparently her usual health about 7 o'clock, and passed to the Great Beyond without the knowledge of any one by 9 o'clock.

She had lived a consecrated life of service to her community, her family and to her God. She had for years been a faithful and loyal member of the Missionary Baptist church. Her entire life was beautiful in its simplicity, being quiet and unassuming and ever in touch with her Lord and Master, living each day as though it were her last. She is survived by a host of relatives and friends.

In her own family she is survived by a loving husband and five children, one of which was seen to follow her.

Little Stephen was taken with pneumonia on Saturday following her death. He was given the best medical attention but continued to grow worse until on Sunday, January 19, his little soul returned to the God who gave it. His short little life had been lived so as to win the love of all who knew him. His suffering was great but the end quiet and peaceful.

The bereaved family have the love and sympathy of the community. A FRIEND.

GROOM'S.

Messrs. Willie, Eddie and Earle Robertson, of Crystal, W. Va., are visiting friends and relatives here.

Messrs. J. H. and J. C. Wall and their families visited at the home of Mr. G. W. Brown in the Apple's Store section Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wilson and Miss Lula Wilson visited Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Washburn at Mizpah Sunday.

Miss Lottie Brown was the guest of Miss Della Brown in the Apple's Store section Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Robertson, of Crystal, W. Va., are guests of relatives and friends here.

Farming is progressing nicely in this section at present.

There has been a good deal of plowing the past week, and the people are about through burning plant land.

Wonder what has become of our friends in the Oregon and Nance vicinity. It seems that they are asleep, as we don't hear anything from them.

Work on the new church at Groom's is progressing nicely.

Groom's School is doing splendidly under the direction of Miss Ida Apple, we are glad to know.

WHAT HAS HAPPENED SINCE OUR LAST ISSUE

Carrying appropriations aggregating \$93,830,177, the annual army appropriation bill was passed by the House Tuesday.

Plans to impeach the Japanese cabinet at the reassembling of the Diet this week were made by the Constitutional party.

Argentina has accepted the invitation to participate in the Panama-Pacific Exposition. Twenty-four foreign nations have thus far accepted.

From the South will be drawn the only infantry regiment taking part in Wilson's inauguration. The 17th Infantry, of Fort McPherson, Ga., was selected.

Because Governor Blease was not invited to the inauguration of President Wilson, he will not allow the South Carolina troops to leave the State for that occasion.

President-elect Wilson's inaugural ball was officially abandoned when the House committee providing for the ceremonies March 4 struck it out of the Congressional resolutions.

The contract for 125,000 pounds of plug tobacco at 39 cents a pound has been awarded by the Navy Department to Martin Brothers, of New York, as the result of personal chewing and chemical tests.

Free lemons or at least 50 per cent cut in the present duty of one and one-half cents a pound assumed shape this week as part of the Democratic tariff revision policy of the coming extra session of Congress.

As an undertaker was preparing to embalm his body, Harry Brigham, a long-time resident of Ulysses, Pa., shook off his hand, straightened up in bed and asked for breakfast. After eating Brigham said he felt better than he had in several days.

"Free meat" proposed by the House Democrats at the last session of Congress, but blocked by a Presidential veto, was indicated as part of the extra session of Congress tariff revision program at the hearing before the House committee on ways and means this week.

Wearing livery of medieval times, Miss Inez Mulholland, of New York, on a prancing steed, will lead the troop of "petticoat calvary" which marches down Pennsylvania avenue March 3. She has been designated as the "most beautiful girl" in the suffragette movement.

A complete wireless equipment has been installed in the Fifth Street Methodist church in Philadelphia by the pastor and will begin wireless classes for boys in connection with his church work in order to get the boys and young men interested in the new method of holding conversations to come to church.

To tease her husband, Mrs. Alphonso Victorine concealed herself in a trunk at Amesbury, Mass., as she heard him enter the house. As the cover dropped over her the bolt of the old-fashioned lock slipped into its place and in a few hours the woman was dead from suffocation.

Alarmed for the safety of American lives which are in jeopardy because of widespread lawlessness of Mexican rebels in Vera Cruz State and throughout Southern Mexico, the State Department has again called upon the navy to protect American interests in the republic. The gunboat Wheeling is on its way to Vera Cruz.

One hundred and thirty men, many of whom are representative in St. Louis business circles, have agreed to each adopt a boy between the age of 12 and 16 years old, as his foster brother, in so far as he shall become responsible for the boy's moral influences, at a meeting held at a St. Louis M. E. church. No man is allowed to take his own child.

At Columbia, S. C., Tuesday, the Atlantic Coast Line Railway was found guilty in the United States Court on two charges for violation of the act of Congress "to promote the safety of employes and travelers on railways, by limiting hours of service of employes thereon." The railway was fined \$1,200 for overworking T. M. Jandian, a telegraph operator stationed in Columbia.

Regulation by the interstate commerce commission of the compulsory competitive provisions of the Sherman anti-trust law, will be the means of solving, in large measure, the so-called telephone trust problem, according to Attorney General Wickersham, who announces that he has referred the whole question to the commission for investigation and action. This move terminates the investigation by the Department of Justice of the alleged \$6,000,000 telephone trust, against which independent telephone companies have made charges of unfair treatment and of the employment of methods destructive of competition.

NEWS OF THE OLD NORTH STATE IN BRIEF FORM.

At a recent meeting of the good roads advocates held at Lenoir it was decided to ask the Legislature to allow the people to vote on a \$200,000 bond issue for building good roads in Catawba county.

Greensboro—Daniel McCormick shot and seriously wounded Blanche Whitley. Both are negroes. Whitley was shot in the side and in the hip, the two bullets being taken from his body by a local physician. His wounds are not believed to be fatal.

Raleigh—A charter is issued for the Wayne Red Brick Company, of Goldsboro, capital \$50,000 authorized, and \$2,000 subscribed by T. A. Griffin, J. W. Sotherland and others; also for the J. B. Pierce Company, Ayden, capital \$50,000 authorized and \$7,600 subscribed by J. B. Pierce and others.

Concord—Efforts to locate Bob Armstrong, at whom Manly Morris is supposed to have been shooting when he killed Joe Morgan last month, have proved unavailing, although he is wanted by the state for his testimony as an eyewitness to the shooting. It is reported that Armstrong is in Oklahoma. Morris will be tried January 27, and all witnesses have been subpoenaed.

New Bern—The board of aldermen of New Bern have reduced charges to users of electric motors to 4 cents a kilowatt, in place of a rate of from 6 to 10 cents, in operation for several years. For the lamps of the city the rate remains 10 cents. The city's light plant is on a very satisfactory basis.

Charlotte — Charlotte leads the state in the parcels post business. This is the news that comes from the postoffice department at Washington. Since the new system was established 6,415 parcels have been handled by the local office. During the same length of time Wilmington handled 4,522, Greensboro 4,193 and Raleigh 4,106.

Durham—City Attorney S. C. Chambers announced that he would within the next few days draw up a bill that will effect the cocaine laws of the county should it be passed. The bill will make it against the law for anyone to have cocaine in their possession, unless they can show evidence that the cocaine is for their own use and that it was purchased legally.

Raleigh—Governor Craig has written the governors of California, Arizona, New Mexico and other states interested to send delegates to a meeting to be held in Asheville February 12, to consider the locating of a great ocean-to-ocean highway proposed by the Ocean-to-Ocean Highway Association, to be located far enough South to make it available for satisfactory travel the year round, especially during the winters.

Raleigh—Congressman J. H. Small says that by February 15 the government will take over the old Albemarle & Chesapeake canal, paying \$500,000 for it, and having \$900,000 additional to expend in deepening it in connection with the great inland waterway. He says the sale of the bonds for the Mattamuskeet Lake drainage is being closed and this work ought to be well under way before a great while.

Raleigh—If a bill introduced by Representative Henry A. Page, of Moore county, and now pending in the house, should be enacted into law every county officer in the state whose compensation is derived from fees instead of salary will be required, on the first Monday in next January and on the first Monday in January in each year thereafter, to file with the county commissioners of his county a sworn statement setting forth the total gross income of his office for the preceding year and the total amount paid out during the year for clerical or other office assistance.

Raleigh—The Great Chiefs of the Great Council of North Carolina of the Improved Order of Red Men assembled in council here recently and considered and disposed of several matters relating to the interests of the order.

Newbern—Forty-three barrels of whiskey consigned to J. H. Smith, and which were confiscated by government officials last December are now being held at the federal building in this city. There has been much speculation as to what disposition the government will make of this liquor.

Washington.—At the last meeting of the county board of commissioners held a day or so ago Dr. John G. Bleunt of this city, was unanimously elected county superintendent of health to succeed Dr. E. M. Brown, whose term has expired.

Greensboro.—An amendment to the Greensboro commission term of government charter which the present legislature is to be asked to ratify provides that no action of damages against the city shall be instituted unless within ninety days after the happening or infliction of the injury complained of, notice has been given.

READING CLUB MEETS WITH MISS M'KINNEY.

A delightful meeting of the Tuesday Afternoon Reading Club was held with Miss McKinney January 21. The program was as follows: Roll-call, Minutes Read, New business, Second roll, with quotations. Papers: Passions of the Play, Miss Sallie McGehee; Shakespeare's Political Career, Miss McKinney; What We Really Know About Shakespeare, Mrs. Manton Oliver.

The main passions and proceedings of the drama of Othello have their origin in Iago. In the first act it is evident that his actuating principle is not revenge alone, but an original malignity of nature.

Iago first exercises his faculties on Roderigo, trying to engage the duke in a dishonorable quest of Desdemona. Here Iago has little trouble in working his scheme.

Dealing with the Moor is quite another matter. There is no way for the villain to crush Othello except to turn the latter's honor and integrity against himself. Othello has every manly virtue and his love is so devoted that he can even give up war for it.

When once Iago's insinuation of jealousy has taken hold of Othello's mind it does its work with terrible rapidity. The light of love and finally reason leaves him.

Coleridge says Othello's jealousy is augmented by the agony of being compelled to hate that which is supremely loved.

Shakespeare's poetical career is divided by one author into four periods. A few doubtful plays that may belong to him, The Two Gentlemen of Verona, The Comedy of Errors, Pericles, etc., exhibit a certain youthful awkwardness, harshness, and immoderation. This first period may have extended from 1587 to 1592. The years between 1592 and 1597 which latter date marks Shakespeare's highest renown and brilliancy, must have formed the transition period. To this era belong Richard III., All's Well That Ends Well, Romeo and Juliet, King John, A Midsummer Night's Dream, and The Merchant of Venice.

The full power of the poet's genius is first apparent in his three great tragedies, Hamlet, King Lear, and Othello, which in their force of tragic pathos cannot be equalled.

The dazzling wealth of Shakespeare's humor is displayed in his comedies, Twelfth Night, As You Like It, Much Ado About Nothing.

The pieces placed in the last period of Shakespeare's activity as a poet are Troilus and Cressida, Julius Caesar, Antony and Cleopatra, and several other well known plays.

After an attractive and tempting luncheon, the club adjourned to meet with the president, Miss McGehee.

Other guests of Miss McKinney were Mrs. J. H. Walker, Mrs. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Ivie, and Miss Emma McKinney.

On account of the Mardi Gras celebration January 30-February 4, 1913, at New Orleans, La., and Pensacola, Fla., the Southern Railway will sell round-trip tickets to the above mentioned points at greatly reduced rates, these tickets being on sale January 28 to February 3, with final limit until March 3, 1913, by depositing ticket with special agent and upon payment of one dollar at time of deposit. For detailed information, Pullman reservations, etc., call on nearest agent, or write R. H. DeButts, Division Passenger Agent, at Charlotte, N. C.

MR. KIRKPATRICK IS A REAL LEAD MINE

A special from Washington says: S. Kirkpatrick (no first name ever revealed), Congressman-elect from the Sixth Iowa district, promises to be one of the most interesting men in the next Congress. Recently he wrote to House Clerk Trimble:

"I want to thank you for all your kind remembrances. By reason of loss of vision I am feeling my dependence very much. My eyes were almost literally shot out by moonshiners and I am carrying about two hundred pieces of lead in my body." The World correspondent wrote:

Mr. Kirkpatrick at Ottumwa, his home and asked for particulars of his strenuous career. They came in a dictated letter, written December 16, in which he said: "I was born February 11, 1842, in Madison county, O. I emigrated to Iowa in 1849. I grew up between two rows of corn."

I served four years and four months in Company K, Second Iowa infantry, and was promoted from the ranks to first lieutenant. I participated in all of the prominent battles in the South and West, and never missed a fight or a foot-race, and was never wounded.

"I was appointed internal revenue agent in Cleveland's first administration. I was severely shot three times by moonshiners. In March, 1899, I was transferred from Omaha, where I had charge of the Iowa, Kansas, Indian Territory, Colorado, Wyoming and the Dakotas fields, to the South, with headquarters at Raleigh, N. C."

"February 25, 1890, in Orange county, I had a fight to the finish with Henry McManon, an illicit distiller. He used a shotgun and I a 45 Colt revolver. As a result my skull was crushed, every bone in my face broken, my teeth knocked out, shot entered both eyes. One eye was removed after the fight. I fired one shot at my assailant, the ball passing directly through his heart, killing him instantly. I was tried for murder and acquitted."

"As a detective I acknowledge no superior. I have placed more men behind the bars than any other man in the service."

When Mr. Kirkpatrick left North Carolina last spring for his old home in Iowa he had no idea that he would be a candidate for Congress. He went there to wind up some business affairs. While attending a Democratic convention in his district he made a roof-splitting, side-splitting speech which instructed, entertained and delighted the crowd that gave him the nomination in a district which, as he says, once gave a Republican majority of 9,000.

The Republicans and Bull Moosers of Iowa became alarmed at the progress Mr. Kirkpatrick made in his campaign for election and sent runners to North Carolina to get something against him; but the more his opponents discussed the encounter that resulted in the death of the negro moonshiner McManon, the more voters rallied to him.

Mr. Kirkpatrick is a resident of North Carolina, owning a pretty home in the suburbs of Greensboro.

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