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We wish to call your attention to the fact that it is, and has been our custom to charge five cents per line for resolutions of respect, cards of thanks and obituary notices, after one death notice has been published. This will be strictly adhered to.

TUESDAY, DEC. 9, 1924.

GIVING AND GETTING.

Whatever job he has to do,
He quietly goes about it;
If demon trouble heaves in view,
He'll grout his teeth—and rout it!
He does his duty with a smile,
Is tried and true and steady;
And when he's called to bear a trial—
He's there dead game, and ready!

He gives a share of what he gets,
And does his "bit" for others;
He bears his share of trials and frets,
And also helps his brothers.
He thinks not only of himself,
And how he'll win a living;
The pleasure that he finds in self
He mostly gets—by giving!

He's made the Golden Rule his creed;
In good deeds he's invested;
He's proved himself a friend in need,
Whose staunchness has been tested;
He thinks of "give" instead of "get"—
And always he is giving,
And you can bet that no man yet
Has got more out of living.
—James Edward Hungerford.

A good New Year's resolution would be to pay the Christmas bills first.

The proverb of "bet'er late than never" met reality last week in Alexander county when a 90-year-old youngster took unto himself a bride of 75 summers. They made their matrimonial trip to Taylorsville in a buggy drawn by a jenny—the age of the jenny was not given. Now, Elsie Robinson?

CHAMPIONS

Within five minutes after the game ended Saturday afternoon in which Shelby lost her first opportunity to win the state football title four telegrams left Shelby congratulating the Rockingham on their victory. One was from local fans to Coach "Shorty" Lawrence and his state champions; another from Superintendent Griffin to Superintendent Bell of the Rockingham schools; one from the mayor of Shelby to the Rockingham mayor, one to Coach Lawrence from personal friends here. When the final score flashed over the wire telling of the defeat of the local boys a tear or two trickled down the faces of fans and parents, but with the regret was the realization that the best eleven won and the sentiment expressed, revealing the quality of the make-up of Cleveland folks, was: "Well, since Shelby couldn't win we're glad to see Rockingham that gets the title, for they certainly are a fine bunch—must have a fast-stepping football eleven."

Rockingham and Shelby have met for several years on the diamond and the feeling between the two schools has always been a friendly one. Last spring Rockingham lost the baseball title to Shelby and presented a fine spirit in defeat. Shelby lost the football title, and Shelby wanted to win bad, but any school that can lose with the spirit exhibited by Rockingham deserves to win sometime. And the congratulations were sincere.

THERE WAS AN ANNIE LAURIE.
Perhaps back in every man's mind there is or has been an Annie Laurie, perchance to every girl there was one day a personal vision of the immortal little Scotch. To these the following narration may be of interest:

"Ever since you had a school day sweetheart, and all through your college years and along into the luncheon club period of your life, you have been singing 'Annie Laurie'."

"Did you know that Annie Laurie was a real girl a little Scotch girl born 242 years ago? And the man who wrote the song, when Annie was 18, was her lover, as he should have been."

"The facts are that they quarrelled and didn't marry. That is a pity, for she must have been a very sweet girl to have inspired a song that two centuries later is still almost the best love song in the book of favorites."

"Just a hundred years ago last summer the song, as we know it today, was first published."

"Captain William Douglas, soldier of fortune, just back from the Continental wars—there were plenty of wars in those days—fell in love with the youngest daughter of Sir Robert Laurie, of Maxwellton, Scotland. That was in 1700. Hence the song. Ever since then we have been singing about this lovely lady of Maxwellton."

"It surely never occurred to that fair maid that two hundred years later her name would ring in song wherever English was sung at all."

"The song which was printed just a hundred years ago differs but little

from the original verses written by Captain Douglas a hundred years before that.

"The immortality of 'Annie Laurie' is the immortality of all things that are good and simple. It is the immortality of the clean and heartfelt, the sincere and the true."

"The finest thing that can be said for civilization is that it retains words and music, art and literature—all the makings of good men and women—so long as they are clean and true and have honest merit. Barbarism retains nothing except by accident."

"The unworthy, the unclean, the insincere, the dishonest die. So long as the love of the simple and wholesome remains, civilization remains."

BAPTISTS MEET IN RALEIGH TODAY

Denomination Raised \$944,000. Largest Amount Ever Except in 1919. Still Short of Aims.

A number of Baptist preachers and laymen left Cleveland county Monday for Raleigh where the Baptist State convention convenes today.

"This has been the greatest year of achievement in all our ninety-four years of history," said Dr. Charles E. Maddry, secretary of the Baptist Board of Missions of North Carolina as the books of the fiscal year of the Baptist state convention were closed.

Cashier Robert Lee Middleton has received \$944,000 for benevolent objects this year as compared with \$795,000 last year. The amount received this year is the largest ever collected except in 1919 which was both a flush year and the first year of the five-year \$75,000,000 campaign of Southern Baptists.

This year's collections brings the total raised in North Carolina during the five years to \$5,100,000, which while less than the \$6,500,000 aim is much more than was ever raised before. The old quotas are now regarded as slightly excessive and the denomination next year will seek to raise around a million dollars, as compared with the annual aim of \$1,350,000 fixed five years ago. Pledges for the sum are now being taken in all the churches of the state.

Raised Three and One-half Million.

The sum total contributed by the Baptist churches in this state this year for benevolent objects including state, home, and Foreign missions, Christian education, Thomasville orphanage, Baptist hospital at Winston-Salem and old ministers relief is \$944,566.56. Adding to this amount \$2,740,860.25 spent for local church expenses gives a grand total of \$3,685,426.82 for the year. Of this amount \$224,566.42 has gone to the Thomasville

orphanage, which breaks all former records for this institution. Treasurer Walters Durham of this city has received through his office \$703,267.47. All the money for the orphanage has gone direct to Thomasville, and \$16,752.94 has gone direct to the different boards and institutions. Nearly \$200,000 were received during the past week.

By general agreement throughout the Southern Baptist convention, the 75 Million campaign, which was launched five years ago now, will not close finally until December 31 of this year. By that time North Carolina will finish up its million dollars for this year, it is believed. Already the state has gone beyond the five million mark for the five year period. While the objective set has not been reached fully, yet the results are highly gratifying, especially in view of the poor crops this year throughout the state. Many churches and individuals have made heroic efforts not only to reach their original quotas, but their pledges made five years ago. Many of them have succeeded in doing so.

Women Surpass Theirselves.

The women of the denomination have had a large part in the success of the movement. They are asked for \$1,100,000 for the five year period in North Carolina. They have given during that period \$1,560,000, which is more than a half million beyond their quota. In their 34 years history prior to the launching of the campaign they had given \$638,313. In other words, they have given practically a million more in five years than they gave in 34 years. They have given during the past three months more than \$100,000. In the million dollar objective for the denomination in North Carolina for next year the women have assumed one-third of it.

SUBSCRIBERS ARE ASKED TO RENEW IN DECEMBER

Statements to all subscribers whose time has expired, are being sent out from The Star Office and we want to ask those who receive one to please make early settlement as we wish to close our books by the end of the year and correct our mailing list. We have many subscribers who have been taking the paper a long time, write there are other short-time subscribers who do not intend for the paper to come to them longer than they first pay for, consequently it is a difficult matter to know the individual wishes of 3,600 subscribers, except when they signify their want for the paper by renewing promptly when the time has expired. When you receive a statement, therefore, we would thank you to remit promptly. A two cent stamp with a check or money order, if you do not happen to be coming to town.

TRY STAR WANT ADS

(Continued from page six.) SOCIAL NEWS.

Messrs. John Russel Cross, James Baker of Atlanta, Ga., Warren Bryce of Charlotte, N. C., and Edwin Hutchinson of Mt. Holly. The maid of honor, Miss Luisa Rodriguez was in peacock blue, and Mrs. Irvin Henderson of Charlotte, N. C., the matron of honor in peach. The little flower girls made a charming picture in orchid crepe and rhinestones, and carrying baskets of flowers which they scattered in the path of the bride. The bride entered with her father Dr. Roland B. Macon. Her girlish beauty was enhanced by her charming gown of Duchess satin and lace, made basque effect with full skirt, trimmed in rows of lace. The train hung from the shoulders and the veil was fastened with a coronet of pearls. Old fashioned lace with were worn and her only ornament was a handsome string of pearls, a gift from an uncle. The bouquet was of brides roses and lilies of the valley. Mr. Mitchell was attended by his brother Dr. Thomas B. Mitchell of Philadelphia. Following the wedding a reception was held at the Macon home on North Second street. Guests were limited to the bridal party and intimate friends. Receiving with Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell were Dr. and Mrs. Macon, Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Mitchell of Shelby, N. C., Miss Ora Rogers of Nashville and Mrs. J. D. Slaydon. Mrs. Mitchell wore a gown of rose crepe elaborately beaded in crystal and carried an old fashioned bouquet of Premier roses and lilies of the valley. The bride's mother, Mrs. Macon was in pink broaded satin and pearls, and carried pink roses. Mrs. Clayton wore a handsome costume of grey and silver. Miss Rogers' gown was blue embroidered velvet. The living room and parlors were done in yellow chrysanthemums. A dainty collation was served. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell will take a southern trip before going to Mt. Holly to reside.

For travelling Mrs. Mitchell wore an ensemble suit of mahogany duvetyn and fur with hat to harmonize. This marriage is the culmination of a friendship begun during the brides' school days at Queens College, Charlotte. The bride is one of

Clarksville's most attractive and popular young women and her many friends regret her departure from the city.

Mr. Mitchell is a member of prominent North and South Carolina families and is superintendent of the Yarn Processing company. A handsome collection of gifts was received by the young people.—Daily Leaf Chronicle, Clarksville, Tenn.

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SHELBY, N. C.

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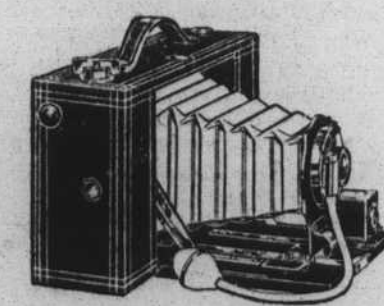
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