

WOMAN'S MISSION CONFERENCE AT ROCK HILL, S. C.

The second annual session of the Woman's Missionary society of the Upper South Carolina conference convened at Rock Hill, S. C., in St. John's M. E. Church South, March 13-16, with 120 official delegates and 50 visitors, making a total of 170. It was encouraging to note that 63 of these were new in the work, having not attended an annual meeting before.

The opening service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. C. Roper. Addresses of welcome were extended from the missionary societies of the various churches of the city. The response was made by the conference corresponding secretary, Mrs. D. N. Bourne.

Mrs. H. R. Steele of Nashville, Tenn., educational secretary of the woman's council made the address of the evening, speaking of the missionary movement as being the greatest movement of our time and that the business of this movement is the business of making God known, and that God is made known over the world by men and women who know Him. She gave a general outline of the work since its beginning 37 years ago. Stating our work in Brazil being the best organized of any in the Orient.

Vashti Home at Thomasville, Ga., has 63 girls, 1000 having been turned away because for lack of money and room. 400 of these institutions are needed to take the girls out of the haunts of sin and lead them to the Father.

The business session opened Wednesday morning with the president, Mrs. R. E. Stockhouse in the chair. Reports from the conference officers were given with much encouragement. There are 286 societies with 6,433 members. The conference supports 5 scholarships, 9 Bible women, one missionary and four deaconesses. \$14,548.52 was raised with an increase of \$23,000.00 over last year.

Five hundred more subscriptions to the "Young Christian Worker" were pledged at the conference last year. This is the only conference that has redeemed its pledge.

Wednesday evening a Young People's pageant was presented, followed by addresses by Miss Edith Leighty, deaconess at Spartauburg and Miss Annie B. Williams, missionary from Japan. Miss Leighty spoke of the definite plan and purpose God has for each life. Miss Williams spoke of the customs and work in Japan. Two years ago the women of the council entered Japan. We can not lift a country above its womanhood. We must give Japan the gospel not because it is the key to the Orient, but because of Japan herself. Only 40 per cent of the people have been reached by the gospel. This is a day of opportunity. Men and women need to realize they are the stewards of God. Mrs. J. H. Yarborough of the women's council spoke on city missions. Reports were heard from the representatives of the Wesley Houses at Spartauburg and Greenwood. The city mission board at Spartauburg, travelers aid work at Spartauburg, doer of hope in Columbia. The district secretaries reports showed advancement along all lines. Cokesbury district reported 25 adult, 11 young people, 14 junior divisions, 3 baby divisions, making a total of 52 societies, raising \$1,986.70.

Thursday afternoon the conference adjourned to accept the invitation of the chamber of commerce for an automobile ride, after which a delightful reception was tendered the conference by the faculty and students of Winthrop college.

Friday morning was given to hearing reports of committees, election of officers and miscellaneous business. The conference adjourned at 1 o'clock to meet again next year at Gaffney, S. C.

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Water Analysis. Charleston, S. C., March 16, 1917. Sanitary water analysis No. 1706 of water received March 13, 1917, from commissioners of public works, Newberry, S. C.

Table with 2 columns: Component and Amount. Includes Chlorine (27.00), Free ammonia (0.01), Albuminoid ammonia (0.01), Nitrogen in Nitrates (0.50), Nitrogen in Nitrites (0.00), Total solids (335.00).

Bacterial Remarks. Bacterial Indications of contamination—Negative. Remarks: Analyses indicates water to be of good quality and free from contamination. Respectfully submitted, (Signed) F. L. PARKER.

MRS. SLACK'S LETTER To Mothers of Delicate Children Palmyra, Pa.—"My little girl had a chronic cough and was so thin you could count her ribs, and she had no appetite. Nothing we gave her seemed to help her until one day Mrs. Neibert asked me to try Vinol, and now she is hungry all the time, her cough is gone, she is stouter and has a more healthy color. I wish every mother who has a delicate child would try Vinol."—Mrs. ALBERT SLACK. We guarantee Vinol, our non-secret tonic, to make delicate children healthy and strong. Gilder & Weeks, Druggists, Newberry, S. C.

News From Excelsior.

Excelsior, March 19.—Our teacher, Miss Gertrude Bobb, attended the teachers meeting in Columbia last week.

The oat crop will be very short indeed while wheat has been very slightly injured.

Mr. Bennie Lee Boland and family of Greenville have been on a few days visit to his father, Mr. J. A. Boland.

Our people have commenced plowing and will be busy from now on getting ready to plant another crop. Miss Helen Wheeler, a student of Winthrop college and one of the graduates at the coming commencement, is at her home here resting up from a short spell of fever.

Mrs. G. W. Kinard of Newberry is spending the week at her home in Prosperity.

Mr. Clifton Boland and family of Chapin have been on a visit to Mr. E. L. Hawkins' family here.

Mr. G. W. Kinard is getting in good condition to handle ice at his warehouse in Prosperity the coming season and will do all he can to keep his friends cool during the long summer days.

Mrs. T. L. Wheeler of this section was carried to the Columbia hospital on Thursday for an operation. Her many friends hope she will soon be able to return home again.

Mr. Editor, I read your interesting letter in Friday's Herald and News as to your work of the past thirty years on the paper. You have made a success with the paper and have done much in building up your town and community. I was a reader of The Herald and News when Mr. A. C. Jones was editor of the paper. Mr. Jones was a good man and I liked him. Success to The Herald and News and its present editor.

Griffin Ballentine.

Ninety Six, Mar 15.—That was a large, happy, genial crowd that gathered at the spacious home of Dr. and Mrs. John Barr on Wednesday evening 14th, to witness the marriage of their sister, Miss Mary Sue Griffin to Mr. J. B. Ballentine of Batesburg. Under the efficient artistic touch of Mesdames H. L. Sloan and C. L. Moseley the parlor and halls were converted into veritable spring bowers. The color scheme being white and green.

The front parlor contained a miniature chancel with a back ground of white and green over-topped with a similar shelf on which were lighted candles in front of which were large white columns capped with baskets of white sweet peas. Within this chancel stood the officiating minister, Mr. J. G. Wilson and grouped in semi-circle around were the bridal party, which entered in the following order: Mr. J. G. Wilson, Miss Harvey, Miss Alene Griffin, singly, Misses Sadie Moore, and Claire Stalworth together and the maids bearing beautiful pink sweet peas. Then came the groom on the arm of his brother, Mr. Ballentine.

Next came the dearest little fairy, Miss Mary Hale Barr, niece to the bride, bearing the ring. She was too cute for anything and bore her honors with queenly grace. Following her was the bride on the arm of her brother, Mr. W. H. Griffin.

Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party left for the Southern train. The bride wore a handsome go-away gown of navy blue with accessories to match. The bride's bouquet of bridal roses was exquisitely beautiful.

Miss Carrie Townsend of Ninety Six and Mr. Hartley of Batesburg added much to the pleasure of the evening by rendering a most charming vocal program, with Miss Marie Littlejohn at the piano.

Miss Mary Lipscomb assisted by Mrs. D. M. Lipscomb had charge of the bride's register book. A delightful sweet course was most graciously served.

EXPLAIN RETREAT TO HOME PEOPLE

Say it Breaks Up Entente Plans and Gives Chance for Master Stroke.

Berlin, March 19 (via London, March 20).—The morning newspapers today gave the German public its first news of the big events on the front in France. All published articles by military experts explaining the movement as part of the strategic plan of the general staff for a decision on the Western front and the master stroke to vitiate the preparations of the entente for an offensive, giving a decided advantage to the Germans. These writers are unanimous in expressing the fullest confidence in Field Marshal von Hindenburg. The Deutsche Tages Zeitung says:

"This is not the first strategic retreat von Hindenburg has executed in this war. It is necessary only to remember his great retreat from Warsaw and the partial evacuation of Transylvania."

"Thus far these retreats of von Hindenburg always have borne fruit a hundredfold, so that we may face the new measure of our highest military command with well founded confidence and the fullest assurance that it furnishes the preliminary to new German successes."

The Morgenpost says: "The German people can and must have the fullest confidence in their leaders, especially von Hindenburg and his able counselor and assistant, von Ludendorff. Developments may be awaited with calm confidence."

The Vossische Zeitung says: "We must not forget that the same von Hindenburg who began the Transylvanian campaign with a retreat and who in 1914 evacuated a conquered strip of Poland to strike the Russians like a bolt of lightning now stands master of the battles on our Western front."

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JAS. T. McCULLOUGH

Mr. J. T. McCullough of the Cannon's Creek section died in a hospital in Columbia March 11th. The body was brought up on the C. N. and L. train Monday and laid beside the loved wife in Colony cemetery to await the judgment morn. He was well known throughout the county and none knew him but to love him, none named him but to praise. He leaves one son, Eugene McCullough, of Columbia; one daughter, Mrs. Levi Schumpert of the county, an aged mother, five sisters and three brothers. Rev. H. A. McCullough (a brother of the deceased), several other relatives and friends of Columbia accompanied the body to its last resting place. Funeral services conducted by Revs. Boland and Bowers.

WILL RECOGNIZE THE NEW RUSSIA

Ambassador Francis' Reports of Revolt Tell of Astonishing Results.

Washington, March 20.—Early recognition by the United States of the new government set up by the revolution in Russia was forecast here today in the belief that with good order now prevailing the plans being made for a permanent constitutional government, call for the moral support of this government. All reports to the state department indicate that the army and navy are supporting the provisional government.

Ambassador David R. Francis at Petrograd summarized the situation today in the following cablegram:

"The last week has seen the most astonishing revolution. Two hundred million people who have lived under absolute monarchy for one thousand years and who are engaged in the greatest war in history, have forced their emperor to abdicate for himself and his son and induced the brother to whom was transferred imperial authority to accept on condition that constitutional assembly of people be called to exercise power under authority of government framed by that assembly."

"There is no opposition to the provisional government, which is the council of ministers appointed by the committee of 12 named by the duma. Absolute quiet here and throughout all Russia."

"Plan of provisional government is to call a constitutional assembly or convention whose members shall be elected by the whole people and who shall be empowered to organize good government. Whether republic or constitutional monarchy undecided but conclusions of assembly will be accepted by the people and enforced by the army and navy."

The United States always looks with favor upon a movement for the extension of democracy and has been eager to be among the first to welcome into the family of nations new governments known to be founded upon the will of the people. The Russian movement consequently has been received with deep sympathy here, where the quality of the present leaders is well known and highly esteemed.

As yet no official action has been taken because it is not felt certain that the revolutionary elements set in motion have entirely quieted down into a stable government. With each day that passes, however, the conviction increases that democratic or constitutional Russia has come to stay.

Those who favor immediate acceptance of the new regime at Petrograd point to the possibility that the United States soon may be cooperating with the allies at least to the extent of combating Germany's submarine warfare.

Frank Shealy Recovers.

The State, 21. Frank W. Shealy, member of the railroad commission, who was painfully injured several weeks ago by a mule at his place in Lexington, has recovered. He was in Columbia yesterday.

Corns Peel Right Off With "Gets-It"

2 Drops, and the Corn is a "Goner" When you've got to walk on the sides of your shoe to get away from those awful corn-pains, there's only one common-sense thing to do.



Use "Gets-It" Your Corns Won't Swell in Water. Besides, They'll Shrive! Loosen and Peel Off!

Put 2 or 3 drops of "Gets-It" on the corn right away. Pain and inflammation will disappear, the corn will begin to shrivel from that instant—then it loosens and falls right off.

There's no other corn-remover in the world that acts like "Gets-It." No new discovery has been made in corn-removers since "Gets-It" was born. Don't forget that fact. "Gets-It" does away forever with the use of salves that irritate, bandages that make a bundle of your toe, plasters that half do the work. Knives and scissors that draw blood. Use "Gets-It"—no more digging or cutting. "Gets-It" is sold everywhere. See a bottle, or sent on receipt of price by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

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WAS AFRAID SOMETHING AWFUL WOULD HAPPEN

Madden Declares He Lived in Constant Dread of Evil.

SO WEAK HE TREMBLED

In Statement, Belton Man Says It Seems Strange as He Thinks of Past.

"Since Tanlac got me to feeling so well and strong, it seems strange now that I once was in such bad health and felt so badly," said J. W. Madden, of Belton, night engineer of the Belton Mills, in a statement he gave in endorsement of Tanlac on February 14th. "Before I took Tanlac," continued Mr. Madden, "I couldn't lay or stand still. I was so nervous and I felt that if I didn't keep moving I would just fall over dead or something else would happen to me."

"I took Tanlac for a very bad form of nervousness. I had no appetite and ate almost nothing. I could not sleep well, and I lost ever so much sleep. Any noise would fly all over me, that's just how nervous I was, and I had a nervous headache almost all the time."

"All the time I was in a dread of something awful, but I did not know just what. I had no energy, and I was so weak I trembled all the time. I am in charge of the boilers of the Belton mills at night, and before I took Tanlac I did not feel like doing a lick of work."

"The Tanlac just did me all the good in the world, though, and I soon was in fine shape. My strength came back and soon I was eating heartily and enjoying my meals. I began right away to pick up in energy and my nerves steadied, and I then got so I felt a good many years younger. I don't dread my work or anything else now, and my general condition is good and the Tanlac improved me in every way."

"You can take it from me, Tanlac is all right. It is a good medicine and it will do all that is claimed for it, which I say because I know from my own experience with it."

Tanlac, the master medicine is sold by: Gilder & Weeks, Newberry, S. C., Dr. W. O. Holloway, Chappells, S. C., Little Mountain Drug Co., Little Mountain, S. C., The Setzler Company, Pomerania, S. C., Prosperity Drug Co., Prosperity, S. C., Whitmore Pharmacy, Whitmore, S. C.

OIL WELL FOUND FLOWING AT CLIO

C. F. Jackson Makes Important Discovery While Building Flour Mill on Plantation.

The State. Clio, March 19.—Discovery of oil within four miles of Clio has created tremendous excitement here. The flowing well of crude oil was discovered within five feet of the surface several days ago by C. H. Jackson while engaged in building a flour mill on his plantation of 360 acres.

The oil flow was not taken seriously at first, although a number of Clio people went out to look at it Saturday. Many more visited it yesterday and it is unmistakably oil and continues to flow. It has been accepted today as a matter of much moment. Samples have been sent to experts for judgment as to the value of the oil and steps will be taken at once to take advantage of this upheaval.

Pending advice from the colleges and universities which have been called into consultation there is considerable excitement in Clio and much speculation as to the future the town may have through this appearance of oil at its door step. No investigation has been made on property near the Jackson place.

SOME BARGAINS.

The Herald and News has never been much on clubbing offers and yet we are always willing to give our big family the benefit of any bargains that we may have. About a year ago we ran an offer for the Woman's magazine and some other papers and there were some complaints that the subscriptions were not filled. We made that arrangement through some publishers agency. We have made an arrangement to run the Woman's World, Farm and Home, McCall's and one McCall's pattern and The Herald and News for \$1.92. We wrote the Woman's World about the trouble we had last year in having subscriptions filled when the order and money was sent in and we have the following reply:

Jan. 30, 1917. Mr. E. H. Aull, care The Herald and News Co., Dear Sir:

This is to notify you that our club composed of Woman's World, Farm and Home, McCall's and one McCall's pattern, is a bona fide offer controlled absolutely by this company. We have given you the privilege to use this club and will render every service at our command in filling and clearing these subscriptions.

Your subscribers can rest assured that the publications will be sent to them for the specified time, without interruption, beginning with the first copy which should reach them several days after their order comes in to this office.

Thanking you for your cooperation and hoping your friends will take advantage of this remarkable offer, we are,

Yours very truly, WOMAN'S WORLD MAGAZINE CO., Inc. Club Department. Per S. B. Brigham.

SBB-MG. If any of our subscribers desire this combination we will be very glad to receive the order and send the money for the magazines.

We have some inquiries about the Progressive Farmer. (We have made arrangements with the Atlanta Constitution for the following combination:

Tri-Weekly Constitution one year \$1.00; Thrice-A-Week N. Y. World one year \$1.00; Progressive Farmer once a week one year \$1.00; Alabama Weekly Times one year 25 cents; Home Friend monthly one year 25 cents; and The Herald and News one year all for \$3.00. This is a lot of

mighty good literature might despite the high price of printing. If any of our subscribers want of these combinations send along price and we will send the order them. Any subscriber who has paid in advance for The Herald and News and would like any one of the combinations may get it by sending the price less the price of The Herald and News, but we will not send the order for any one but a subscriber to The Herald and News.

Advertisement for Granger Liver Regulator. Pays 25c a Month for Perfect Health. For 15 years, E. A. Little, Bessemer, Ala., has paid 25c a month to keep in perfect health. Read what he says: "I desire to add my endorsement of Granger Liver Regulator. I have had many other medicines for 15 years, but I know it is the best for all liver conditions, and will cure any case of indigestion, biliousness, when I first began to take your Granger Liver Regulator. I have had my stomach and liver completely cured. Now I can eat anything I like without any ill effects."

Advertisement for Kinky Hair. KINKY HAIR grows 28 inches long says May Gilbert whose picture is shown here. Every one can have nice long hair by using EXELENTO QUININE POMADE which is a Hair Grover, not a kinky hair remover. It feeds the scalp and roots of hair, cleans dandruff and stops falling hair at once, and after using several times you can see the results. Try a box. Price 25c by mail on receipt of stamps or coin. AGENTS WANTED EVERYWHERE Write For Particulars EXELENTO MEDICINE CO., ATLANTA, GA.

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