

CONEROSS CHURCH AT WORK.

Committees Appointed for Year—Matters of Local Interest.

Coneross, Jan. 6.—Special: The following committees have been appointed by the pastor and deacons of Coneross Baptist church to serve for 1913: Building and grounds—J. H. Keil, W. H. Butler, J. W. Alexander, Mrs. Davis Abbott, Miss Janie Alexander.

Benevolence—J. C. Barker, W. M. Dilworth, Mrs. S. M. Hunsinger, Miss Lizzie Barker, Mrs. W. H. Butler.

Devotional—A. N. Prichard, S. F. Johnson, Miss Rena Hunsinger.

Music—Brunis Alexander, Garven Barker, Misses Bewley Hunsinger, Mertie Alexander, Beulah Barker, Katie Abbott.

Social—T. L. Alexander, Joe Dilworth, W. T. Alexander, Misses Minnie Barker and Madera Alexander.

Ushers—Colie Abbott, Henry Butler, Herculal Abbott, D. Barker.

Vigilance—T. D. Alexander, W. H. Butler, Roney Abbott, H. Barker.

Mrs. J. L. Duckworth spent last week with her sister at Greenville.

Willie Walker left yesterday for Atlanta after spending the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Walker.

Miss Minnie Butler has been suffering from a severe attack of grip.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Alexander report a daughter born unto Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Alexander, of Westminster, recently.

Our missionary study class will meet on Saturdays before the first and third Sundays in each month at 7 o'clock p. m. We invite all those in this and adjoining communities who are interested in missions to join us in our study. We will also have a choir practice in connection with these services.

J. C. Barker returned home Saturday after spending several days very pleasantly in Atlanta.

Rev. L. D. Mitchell and Zetna Abbott spent Friday and Saturday in Greenville with friends.

Joe Patterson, of Ninety-Six, was a welcome guest of his sisters, Messdames E. M. Gambrell and T. L. Alexander, recently.

Misses Agnes Ellison and Murtice Cleveland, of near West Union, visited their friend, Miss Nellie DuBose, last week.

The social entertainments of last week were, one at the home of the Misses Abbott on Monday evening, and at the Misses Barker's on Tuesday. The little folks also were entertained by little Miss Adda Duckworth on Monday night.

Misses Cary and Susan Doyle and Miss Ferritt, of Bounty Land, visited Miss Mertie Abbott last week.

Neal Patterson, of Ninety-Six, left Sunday after an extended visit to his uncle, E. M. Gambrell, and family.

There will be prayer meeting at Coneross on the third Sunday in each month at 7.30 p. m.

Miss Ora Arve spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Rothell, of Toccoa, Ga.

Miss Annie Abbott returned to Limestone College last Thursday after spending the holidays with her folks here.

Misses Maud and Frances Hamlin, of Baldwin, Ga., are expected to arrive here to-day to visit the Misses Barker.

There will be regular preaching services at Coneross on the first and third Sundays at 11.30 a. m., and on Saturday before the third Sunday at 3 p. m., and on the first Sunday at 7.30 p. m. Everybody is invited to attend these services.

M. H. Hughs has recently moved into our community from near Walhalla. We welcome him and his into our Sunday school, church and neighborhood.

33 Lives Were Lost.

Astoria, Oregon, Jan. 7.—Leaving marine records strewn with tales of death and disaster connected with her career, the Rosecrans, once a United States Army transport, was lost on Peacock Spit, just beyond the bar, to-day in a furious gale that drove her on the rocks.

Thirty-three of her crew of 36 perished when the ship went under, it is believed. Three others clung to a topmast and their death seemed certain.

The Rosecrans cleared from Southern California points with a crude oil cargo for Portland, Ore. She encountered a 60-mile gale to-day as she stood in toward the bar at the mouth of the Columbia river. It is thought her officers lost their bearings and the tanker was hurled on the rocks to pound herself to pieces. Attempts at rescue were futile.

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RICHLANDITES BACK TO SCHOOL.

Young Ladies Take Advantage of Last Day of Leap Year.

Richland, Jan. 6.—Special: Miss Leila Cunningham returned to her home in Greenville Tuesday evening. Robert Davis returned to Dahlongega, Ga., Wednesday evening to resume his studies at the North Georgia Agricultural College.

Misses Christine Anderson and Ruth Berry returned to Winthrop College Thursday, after spending the holidays with homefolks.

Roger Coe and John Ballenger returned to the Presbyterian College at Clinton Thursday; Edgar McMahon and Stiles Stribling returned to Clemson and Edward Verner returned to the University of Alabama on Thursday evening.

Charlie Denny left Friday for Arkansas, after spending ten days with relatives and friends at Richland and other places.

Supt. J. O. Singley and Miss Mamie Cromer returned to Richland Saturday, after a two weeks' visit to homefolks near Prosperity and Newberry, respectively.

Mrs. N. S. Sligh and daughter Lois, of Birmingham, Ala., have been visiting friends and relatives in and around Richland.

Rev. W. H. Mills, of Clemson College, filled the pulpit at Richland church and gave us an excellent sermon. Rev. Mr. Vaughn, the pastor, was absent.

The Richland school opened this morning after a two weeks' holiday for Christmas and New Year.

Miss Pauline Davis left last Wednesday for Gainesville, Ga. She has accepted a position to teach school near there, and we hope she will have much success.

Mrs. C. M. Gaines and children have been spending the holidays with J. H. Denny.

Miss Lola Wyly spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. O. E. Cashen, of Westminster.

Miss Pearl Verner is in Fountain Inn visiting her sister, Mrs. Furman Burns.

Miss Beulah Berry leaves to-day to resume her duties as teacher in the Simpsonville school.

Misses Ada and Cora Wyly have returned to their schools at Fvatt and Oconee Station, respectively.

Misses Pauline and Christine Anderson entertained their friends at a leap year party, from 8 until 12 o'clock, Monday night, December 30.

The young men assembled at Mrs. S. H. Coe's and waited until the young ladies called and escorted them to S. N. Hughs's residence. They were met at the door and invited in by Roger Coe.

At several conspicuous places were notices reminding the young men to play the part of girls and for the young ladies to act as boys. A strip of paper containing a line of a poem was pinned on each guest's back. Each guest was given a sheet of paper and asked to copy these lines and then put them into verses. Ruth Berry and "Miss" Edward Verner were the most successful at this and received the prize—a box of candy.

After this contest the "young ladies" were taken into another room and covered with a sheet and then carried back into the parlor, where they were auctioned off to the highest bidder. With these partners all were invited into the dining room, where a delicious salad course, with tea, was served, followed by mints. After this a pantomime contest was engaged in, which was very amusing.

The parlor and dining room were decorated with holly and mistletoe. In the center of the dining room was a table decorated with holly and candy, with red streamers from the corners to the hanging lamp above. Miss Pearl Verner assisted Mrs. S. N. Hughs in entertaining the guests.

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DEATH OF MRS. S. M. SMITH.

Aged Lady Passed Away After a Long Illness.

Madison, R. F. D. No. 1, Jan. 6.—Special: Mrs. Sarah M. Smith died at her home in this section on December 31, 1912. She had been an invalid and a great sufferer for several years with rheumatism and asthma. Mrs. Smith's maiden name was Lane. She was born and raised in Banks county, Georgia, and was first married to W. R. Cash. To this union one son was born—Rufe Cash, of Georgia. On December 27, 1870, she was married to W. R. Smith, of Banks county, Georgia, and she moved with her family to Tugaloo Valley, in Oconee county, January 1, 1875. Mrs. Sarah M. Smith was born January 11, 1842. She was a member of the Baptist church for 54 years, having joined the church in youth, and was truly a Christian woman. She leaves a husband and six children to mourn her death. They are: Rufe Cash, of Georgia; E. T. and C. T. Smith, Denny, Iowa; Sadie Cooper, S. F. Cooper, and many grandchildren, who reside in Oconee county.

The remains were buried at Unity Baptist church last Thursday, the funeral sermon being preached by Rev. D. F. Carter. A large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends were present to pay the last sad tribute to the deceased.

Mrs. Smith had many friends and relatives, and she was ever ready to aid and to give counsel and administer to the wants of the sick or needy or distressed. She has been called to her reward by our Saviour, who doeth all things well.

Mrs. A. R. Tabor, of Crider, Mo., had been troubled with sick headache for about five years, when she began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. She has taken two bottles of them and they have cured her. Sick headache is caused by a disordered stomach, for which these tablets are especially intended. Try them, get well and stay well. Sold by all dealers. adv.

C. E. O. MITCHELL IS NO MORE.

Passed Away Suddenly at His Home in Westminster Sunday.

(Tugaloo Tribune, 7th.)

A mantle of sorrow and grief was spread over Westminster Sunday when the announcement was made that C. E. O. Mitchell, one of our town's honored and most highly esteemed citizens, was dead. He became alarmingly ill about 6 o'clock and medical aid was summoned, messengers being sent in haste for Drs. Walker, Strickland and Mitchell, but before the doctors arrived Mr. Mitchell had passed away. Death was due to heart failure. Mr. Mitchell suffered the pain of two broken ribs on Christmas Eve, and as he had slept on his left side so long it is thought that his heart became affected from pressure. Mr. Mitchell accidentally fell on the morning of December 24 and suffered internal injuries. He was improving rapidly and sat up some for several days last week. On Sunday he received several callers and chatted pleasantly and told his friends he expected to be on the streets Monday. The announcement of his death, therefore, a few hours later was a great shock to everybody.

Funeral services were conducted at his late residence this afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. J. J. Paysour, the new pastor of the Baptist church, and Rev. L. D. Mitchell, pastor of Coneross church, in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends. At the conclusion of the services his body was taken to the cemetery of the First Baptist church for interment, the bodies of his parents and one child being buried there.

Mr. Mitchell was born in Abbeville county, but moved with his parents to Anderson when a boy. He moved from Anderson to Oconee 31 years ago and lived in and near Westminster, where he had been engaged in farming and merchandising. He was a man of industry and integrity and accumulated handsome property in Westminster and the county.

Being too young to enlist in the service of his country at the beginning of the Civil War, Mr. Mitchell experienced only about one year of the hardships of tented life in the sixties.

Mr. Mitchell was a member of the Baptist church for almost fifty years, having united with the Neal Creek church, near Anderson, under the pastorate of the late Robert King, a noted Baptist minister of that section, 50 years ago. He was one of the charter members of the New Westminster Baptist church, organized in the eighties. He was elected a member of the board of deacons of the organization of this church, and ever manifested a deep interest in church matters and spiritual affairs. For nearly twenty years he was the faithful and devoted superintendent of the Sunday school.

Mr. Mitchell was in his 65th year, having been born May 1, 1848. He was twice married. His first wife was Miss Fannie Goss of Anderson, and to this union one son, Eugene Mitchell, was born. His second wife was Miss Mary Halcomb, of Oconee, who, with five sons, Burt, L. W. W. Glenn, Bewley and C. T., and three daughters, Maggie, Effie and Mary Mitchell, survive. He leaves two brothers and two sisters, Dr. Burt Mitchell, Westminster; Jesse F. Mitchell, of Belton; Mrs. Lizzie Freeman, Westminster, and Mrs. C. E. Tribble, of Oakway.

The Mountain Rest Section.

Mountain Rest, Jan. 6.—Special: Sylvester Smith, who was severely burned three weeks ago, died on January 2d, and his remains were laid to rest in Long Creek cemetery. Mr. Smith leaves a wife, father and mother, brothers and sisters to mourn his death.

Dock Smith, son of Jacob Smith, of Long Creek, is seriously ill with typhoid fever. His friends hope for his speedy recovery.

Miss Della Phillips, who has charge of the school at Unity, has returned to her work after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Phillips, of Long Creek, and with friends.

The many friends of C. M. Moore will be pleased to know that he is improving, after being confined to his room for a few days with grip and threatened pneumonia.

Mrs. Lora Thrift, who had been suffering a complication of diseases, passed away on January 1. She leaves a husband and little son, father and mother and several brothers and sisters to mourn her death. We sympathize with them in their bereavement. The body was laid to rest the day following at Long Creek cemetery.

The Christmas tree given by Rev. and Mrs. M. J. Moore on Christmas day was a success in every respect. Rev. L. D. Chambers addressed the people, his text being Luke 2:10, and he preached a very interesting sermon, after which the presents were taken from the tree and distributed among the people, there being something over three hundred presents.

The Christmas tree was attended by a large crowd, perfect order prevailed and everybody seemed to enjoy the occasion to the fullest extent, returning to their homes rejoicing. Mr. Carter, photographer, was present and made a lot of pictures at the tree.

Miss Frances Moore has improved to such an extent that she can walk out of the house and into the yard, for which she is very thankful.

The many friends of Rev. M. J. Moore, who has been quite ill for a few days, will be glad to learn that he is improving, though still unable to be out of doors.

Marion Man Suicides.

Charleston, Jan. 5.—E. W. Gregg, of Marion, was found lying unconscious in a field just outside this city this afternoon with a pistol wound in his temple. His revolver was lying under his body. He died shortly after being taken to the city hospital. He was watchman for a local traction company and was about 35 years old. No motive for his suicide has been assigned. About two weeks ago he attempted to drown himself.

MEXICO STILL SUFFERS UNREST.

Interested in Movements of United States—Newspapers Grow Violent.

Mexico City, Jan. 5.—Anticipating early developments in the relations between the United States and Mexico, the keenest interest was shown by Mexicans in the return here to-day of the American ambassador, H. L. Kilson. The ambassador was besieged by reporters at Vera Cruz and on his arrival at the capital, but was uncommunicative.

Some of the more sensational newspapers printed strong criticisms of the administration, charging incompetency. One paper published an extra edition late last night with a big caption reading: "Only the resignation of the President can save us." The article set forth that this demand is contained in a note which Ambassador Wilson will soon deliver.

The administration continues to assert that the relations between the United States and Mexico are friendly. The Senate, however, has asked the sub-secretary of relations for a statement as to the American-Mexican status. The sub-secretary has asked for time to prepare the statement, for which, however, he says there is no reason.

A request of the Executive that the 40,000,000 peso bond issue recently authorized by Congress be increased to 100,000,000 pesos has not yet been granted.

Skirmishes between the Federals and rebels occur almost daily in several States. Villages are raided and towns sacked. Many rebels captured recently have been summarily executed.

Denial is made that Francisco Carbajal, President of the Supreme Court, has been appointed to succeed Manuel Calero as ambassador to the United States. It is generally believed, however, that he will be named.

HONOR ROLL

Fair Play High School.

(Third Month.)

The students whose names appear on this roll will have made an average of 90 or more on examination and have not fallen below 95 on department.

Ninth Grade—Davis Glenn, Gilman Thompson, Wallace Glymph, Pauline Maret.

Eighth Grade—Frank Maret, Florence Carnes, Katie Maret.

Seventh Grade—Dewitt Glenn, J. A. Johnson.

Sixth Grade—Wade Maret, Clayborn Davis, Gatha Davis, Carlisle Ramey.

Fifth Grade—Mildred Heller, Lucile King, Grace Isbell.

Fourth Grade—John W. Grubbs, Gary Watson, Wilton Davis, Marie Grubbs, Janie Rae Isbell, Julia Davis.

Third Grade—Roderick Heller, Paris Collins, Elma Erick, Iris Lovingsgood, Miriam Patrick.

Second Grade—Louis Maret, Prude Davis, Joe Davis, Gladys Lovingsgood, Lucie Collins.

First Grade—Ceel Isbell, Fred Isbell, Lush Patrick, Wyatt Grubbs, Mariner Thompson, J. C. Brock, Virgil Davis, J. B. Wiggins, Leola Wiggins, Hubert Davis, Bub King, Bufie Collins, Bessie Glenn, Lucile Calahan, Claire Heller.

We hope the patrons of the Fair Play school will carefully read the honor roll. See whether your child's name appears. If not, see what is wrong. Impress upon the minds of your children the importance of studying, regular attendance and good deportment.

We are beginning a new year, and let us begin it in the right way. May each patron feel a deep interest in the school and make special efforts to help their children in school every way, so that at the close of this term it will be numbered as the best session in the history of Fair Play school. Respectfully,

G. C. Ryder, Principal.

CITADEL MAY HAVE CAVALRY.

Bills to Be Introduced to Make Citadel Eligible for Cavalry.

(News and Courier.)

Cavalry and artillery training at the Citadel, as well as infantry training, which is now given at the institution, is a possibility if bills soon to be introduced into Congress become laws. The main purpose of these bills is to provide the government with a means of securing men who will be fit for the cavalry and field artillery of the army as well as the infantry service. The bill affects those military schools at which regular army officers are detailed as professors of military science and the students of which have exhibited such proficiency in military training as to have obtained the war department rating of "Class A distinguished."

This would render the Citadel, the Virginia Military Institute and perhaps half a dozen other schools in the country eligible.

The record of the Citadel renders it eligible, of course, and it is rated among the "Class A distinguished" institutions, but the introduction of cavalry and artillery instruction would necessitate, under the bill, the furnishing by the schools themselves of a part of the equipment. Col. Bond stated that the question whether or not the Citadel would undertake the innovation would have to be determined later.

Editor Johnson Succeeds Bailey.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 4.—The appointment of R. M. Johnson, president and editor-in-chief of the Houston Post, as successor to Joseph W. Bailey, in the United States Senate, for the term expiring March 4 next, was announced to-day by Governor Colquitt.

Col. Johnston has been a supporter of Senator Bailey throughout the bitter political fights in Texas, which for several years have centered about Senator Bailey. Col. Johnston was for twelve years Democratic National Committeeman for Texas, his service ending last summer, when the Texas primaries turned in a landslide vote for Woodrow Wilson.

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MISS FRANCES HARRIET EARLE.

Skilful Musician, Scientific Botanist. Woman of Intense Patriotism.

Died, on the 23d ultimo, at the home of her nephew, Elias Earle, in Oconee county, Miss Frances Harriet Earle.

She was laid to rest on Christmas Eve in the family burial ground at the old Beaverdam plantation, where sleep three generations of her ancestors.

The eldest of seven children, she survived them all and passed away in her 79th year.

Her father, the late Elias Earle, removed from his plantation to the then primitive town of Anderson when the deceased was but five years of age, and her long life was practically identified with that progressive city.

Called upon while yet in her teens to assume the head of her father's household, she filled the position with great dignity and stood for all that was highest and best in her State and community. She was carefully and brilliantly educated and was possessed of extraordinary talents, strength and intellect and force of character.

Her acquaintance with literature, powers of conversation and retentive memory were excelled only by a Macaulay, while her literary style was modeled upon the purity and simplicity of Addison.

She was a skilful musician and a scientific botanist. With the aid and under the supervision of the late Dr. Lewis R. Gibbs, of the College of Charleston, she made a collection of "The Flora of Upper Carolina." The flowers were exquisitely arranged in several volumes, which it was her intention to bequeath to Furman University, but, unfortunately, they, together with an invaluable scrap book, prepared during the war, were destroyed by fire. Such a loss is irreparable.

Miss Earle was intensely patriotic. Descended from pioneers who were conspicuous in shaping the history of the State, she felt a deep and personal interest in all that pertained to its welfare. Her efforts in behalf of the soldiers during the war were notable. It was largely through his daughter's influence that her father invested a hundred thousand dollars in Confederate bonds, greatly to the disgust of his financial advisers.

A blow from which she never recovered was the death of her brother, Wilton R. Earle. He was killed at 8 o'clock in the morning by the first shot fired from the famous "Long Tom" at First Manassas. A younger brother, Preston, entered the service at sixteen, was severely wounded, but fought to the end.

In early life Miss Earle connected herself with a Baptist church. As she never did anything by halves, she threw herself, with all the energy and enthusiasm of her nature, into everything that pertained to the advancement of this denomination. Her intellect, her wealth and social prestige made her a potential factor in the wonderful progress of this denomination in the up-country.

Of the divine admonition to consider the past, "she was ever mindful, and, among those who received her benefactions, there are many to rise up and call her blessed."

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NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS.

All persons indebted to the Estate of JOHN JOOST, deceased, are hereby notified to make payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against said estate will present the same duly attested within the time prescribed by law or be barred. MARY M. JOOST, Administratrix. Jan. 8, 1913. 2-5

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS.

All persons indebted to the Estate of Anson C. Merrick, deceased, are hereby notified to make payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against said estate will present the same duly attested within the time prescribed by law or be barred. B. F. SLOAN, Administrator. Jan. 8, 1913. 2-5

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND DISCHARGE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will make application to V. F. Martin, Judge of Probate for Oconee County, in the State of South Carolina, at his office at Walhalla Court House, on Saturday, the 8th day of February, 1913, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as said application can be heard, for leave to make final settlement of the estate of Anson C. Merrick, deceased, and obtain final discharge as Administrator of said estate. B. F. SLOAN, Administrator. Jan. 8, 1913. 2-5

Sale at Public Auction
HOUSEHOLD GOODS, FURNITURE, AND OTHER USEFUL ARTICLES.

I will sell, at public auction, at my residence, in Westminster, on SATURDAY, January 11, 1913, 1 o'clock p. m., all my household and kitchen furniture and other articles too numerous to enumerate. Terms of Sale: CASH. A. P. MARETT, WESTMINSTER, S. C. Jan. 8, 1912. 2*

Take Notice.

J. M. Barron, J. W. Byrd & J. G. Shanklin have organized THE BARRON-BYRD CO., as successors to Byrd & Cromer and J. M. Barron & Co. They will do a general merchandise and farm supply business in Seneca, S. C., at the Byrd & Cromer stand. We, the members of the new firm, thank all our friends for past favors and assure you that business given Barron-Byrd Co. will be duly appreciated by J. W. BYRD, J. M. BARRON, J. B. SHANKLIN.

Take Notice.

To Whom It May Concern: J. W. Byrd has this day bought J. J. Cromer's interest in the firm of Byrd & Cromer. All notes and accounts due Byrd & Cromer are payable to J. W. Byrd, and all obligations of Byrd & Cromer will be paid by J. W. Byrd. BYRD & CROMER, Jan. 1, 1913. SENECA, S. C.

MAKE YOUR TAX RETURNS.

The Auditor's office will be open to receive returns of personal property for taxation from the 1st day of January, 1913, to the 20th day of February following, inclusive. The Township Assessors are required by law to list for all those who fail to make their own returns within the time prescribed. Hence the difficulty of delinquents escaping the 50 per cent penalty, as well as the frequency of errors resulting from this practice. All able-bodied men, 21 to 60 years of age, are taxable polls. Please don't neglect returning your dogs. Note all transfers of real estate since making your last return; from whom acquired or to whom sold. Return your new buildings that were erected during the year 1912: For the convenience of tax-payers the Auditor or his deputies will receive returns at the following times and places: W. N. Woolbright's, Thursday, Jan. 9. Friendship, Friday, Jan. 10. Tokeena (Cross Roads), Saturday, Jan. 11. Westminster, Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 13 and 14. Adams' Crossing, Wednesday, Jan. 15, 8 to 9.30 a. m. Clemson College, Wednesday, Jan. 15, 10.30 to 12 m. Seneca, Thursday and Friday, Jan. 16 and 17. Richland, Monday, Jan. 20. Newry, Tuesday, Jan. 21. Clark's Store, Wednesday, Jan. 22. Salem, Thursday, Jan. 23. Little River, Friday, Jan. 24. Tamassee, Saturday, Jan. 25. Mt. Rest, Sunday, Jan. 27. Henry's Store, Tuesday, Jan. 28. Cannon's Store, Wednesday, Jan. 29. Tugaloo Academy, Thursday, Jan. 30. Madison, Friday, Jan. 31. Returns will be taken at all places from 10 o'clock in the morning until 3 o'clock in the afternoon; except the two places mentioned on the 15th of January. R. W. GRUBBS, Auditor Oconee County, S. C. December 23, 1912. 52-5