

PRESBYTERIANS TO DEFER UNIFICATION

Action Deferred on Proposed Unification of 5 Creeds of Presbyterian Churches.

St. Louis, May 19.—Action on the proposed unification of the five creeds of Presbyterian churches in the United States was deferred until next year by the sixty-first general assembly of the Southern Presbyterian church, which opened here today.

The Reverend A. V. Curry, of the Second Presbyterian church, of Memphis, Tenn., was elected moderator.

In delaying action on union, the assembly endorsed the recommendation of a committee appointed last year to formulate a constitution for the proposed amalgamation, which requested another year to consider the plan, explaining no loss of time would be entailed, as two of the synods have not yet met and final decision could not be reached this year. The committee suggested also that delay would give additional time for smoothing out differences of opinion between the churches.

The Reverend Thomas H. Law, of Spartanburg, S. C., was re-elected stated clerk and ex-officio treasurer for three years. The election was the first under the rule limiting the term.

The Reverend J. D. Leslie, of Cisco, Texas, was re-elected permanent clerk. Julius S. Sibbey, of Waycross, Ga., was appointed reading clerk and Reverend L. B. Lynn, Clinton, S. C., temporary clerk.

Minor officers of the assembly will be elected tomorrow when committees are appointed.

A gavel given the new moderator is made of wood from first Presbyterian church built here in 1853, and bears a silver plate made from the first communion cup of the church.

The new moderator lauded the work of his predecessor, Rev. Walter L. Lingle, of Richmond, Va.

The retiring moderator as well as his successor, emphasized the importance of developing foreign missions.

Stressing the importance of a comprehensive evangelistic program, Rev. B. P. Hill of Louisville, asserted workers should become intimately acquainted with the youth of the churches and the youthful viewpoint.

"If you don't know anything about 'Babe' Ruth, buy a newspaper and the sporting news," he said.

He condemned present tendencies in women's dress, charging there is "too much georgette and too little godliness."

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JONES NEWS

Jones, May 23.—On last Monday Lulu McIntosh, colored, living with Hon. T. J. Beacham, was thrown from her buggy in a runaway and fatally injured.

The contractors are pushing the work on the handsome company store at Ware Shoals.

We were in Greenwood last week and as usual, met with a most cordial greeting from our genial, warm-hearted friends.

The annual dinner was given the veterans of the Civil War on the 10th inst., by the U. D. C.'s of Ware Shoals. Prof. Dexter Ellidge presided; Rev. L. M. Smith of Ware Shoals, opened the meeting with prayer; Rev. J. M. Dallas of Donalds, extended a cordial welcome to the grand old veterans and Dr. E. J. Smith of Greenwood, was the orator of the occasion. The exercises were interspersed with appropriate music and songs and everyone enjoyed the delightful occasion and charming hospitality of the U. D. C.'s of Ware Shoals. We hope the grand old veterans may be spared to attend many of these delightful occasions.

Among the veterans who attended the old soldiers' dinner at Ware Shoals was our warm friend, Col. Robert Arnold, of Honca Path, but formerly of Princeton. He is 88 and is the only Confederate colonel in South Carolina. At 9 moths of age he began to walk and has walked every day since.

Mrs. Lawson Schumpert, of Ware Shoals, passed away on the 16th inst., and was laid to rest at Ware Shoals cemetery in the presence of a large assemblage of sorrowing relatives and friends. Her pastor, Rev. L. M. Smith, conducted the funeral service. Mrs. Schumpert was a most excellent woman and her bereaved family have the tenderest sympathy of all of her acquaintances.

Mr. Moore of Columbia, agent of the State, was at Ware Shoals on the 18th inst.

Mr. J. A. Hill recently visited relatives and friends in Abbeville and Greenwood.

Clarence Morrison, a pupil of Bailey Institute, Greenwood, spent the weekend with his grandparents, Hon. and Mrs. J. F. Morrison.

We have had an abundance of rain and we hope the farmers will soon have stands of cotton.

There was quarterly meeting at Kings Chapel on 14th inst., and Presiding Elder Holler preached a very strong educational sermon the follow-

ing day at Ware Shoals.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Jones attended the chautauqua at Greenwood. Drs. Neel and Scurry, of Greenwood, professionally visited Ware Shoals recently.

We recently met the following friends: John Rator Donald, Robert Arnold, Jr., and Willie Irvin, of Honca Path, Doctors Neel and Scurry and Messrs. Pratt and Taylor, of Greenwood, Frank Nash, of Princeton, and W. D. Sullivan of Gray Court.

Miss Laura Graham won a prize of \$5.00 in gold for the best essay on flies.

CROSS HILL NEWS

Cross Hill, May 23.—The Spring Grove school of this county closed its session on May 6th. On Monday evening following the pupils of the higher grades presented to a large audience of several hundred people, the play entitled, "The Fascinating Fanny Brown." The parts were played admirably well by the following: Misses Sarah Goggans, Leona Neel, Mary Neel, Elise Watkins, Carrie Loa Justi, Hattie Ruth Justi, Albert Brown, Harvey Brown and Grady Scurry.

The two very efficient teachers of the school, Misses Genie and Lula Aiken, have returned to their homes in Wainsboro and Columbia, respectively.

Mrs. S. H. Goggans and little daughter, Lacy, are visiting relatives in Greenwood, this week.

Prof. W. S. Hough, of Charlotte, N. C., has been on a recent visit to Cross Hill, where his many friends and acquaintances gave him a warm welcome.

Mrs. Joe Carter and Miss Pearl West were in Greenwood shopping last week.

Dr. R. C. Davenport, of Augusta, Ga., visited his mother, Mrs. N. C. Davenport, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller are spending several weeks in Arkansas.

Mrs. Claud Hipp is spending this week with her aunt, Mrs. Spratt, of Coronaca.

Miss Gabriel Scholburg, one of Cross Hill's very capable and attractive teachers, most graciously entertained her music pupils on last Wednesday afternoon. After pleasant greetings of teacher, pupils and parents, a delightful sweet course was served by the hostess.

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CHEMISTS OFFER PROHIBITION VIEW

Existing Volstead Law Should be Clarified. Denatured Article Should be Exempt from Legislation, Whittaker Says.

Washington, May 17.—Representatives of chemists who appeared before the house judiciary committee today to give their views concerning the bill to further strengthen the Volstead law, particularly as to the sale of medical beer, protested vigorously against legislation which they said tended to restrict the legitimate use of alcohol in industry.

Existing law, they contended, should be clarified to prevent unwarranted government interference, and new legislation, aimed at fighter enforcement of the prohibition amendment, should specifically exempt from legislation denatured alcohol, which, it was pointed out, cannot be used for beverage purposes.

M. C. Whittaker, New York, president of the United States Chemical company, declared there was a continued tendency on the part of the prohibition advocates to encroach on legitimate industry, and to stigmatize reputable chemical concerns by placing their products in a class with "booze."

Asserting that manufacturers of many chemical products had to employ high class specialists, Mr. Whittaker said it was impossible to hold them if they were "put in the same class with bootleggers."

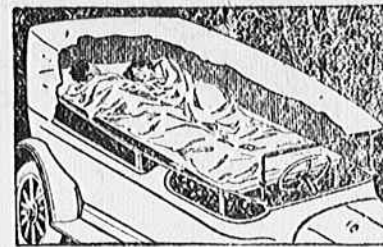
Charges of the witness that the prohibition law in some instances has been interpreted to the detriment of the chemical industry, caused Chairman Volstead to challenge his remarks. Mr. Volstead declared that if injustices were being inflicted, steps would be taken to remedy defects in the law. He asserted, however, that many of the complaints against the prohibition law were not justified.

Mr. Whittaker declared that there was a joker in the bill before the committee that would levy a tax on denatured alcohol, the manufacture of which, he said, should be encouraged as a national preparedness move.

Similar contentions were expressed by Charles L. Parsons, Washington secretary of the American Chemical society, and two other representatives of the organization, Martin Ittner, New York, and Frank R. Eldred, Indianapolis.

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