

OUR SICK FOLK:

We closed the year with the following on the sick list: ELA FARISS is doing fine in Mid-Tenn.T.B.Hosp.; ELIZABETH NEWBY is better today; AGNES, HOLLIE and PATSY WILCHER all been sick since Sunday, but better; EMMA TURNER much better; JOHN TURNER not so well; LAURA PORTER about the same; DRUCILLA HUSSEY was able to attend Sunday for which we are glad; CALVIN RAY about the same; A.R. GARRETT is doing well at home now; GENIRA BARRETT and LAURA ASKEW both better; BEVERLY YATES sick Sunday—no report since; LOUISE WOOD not well for several days; DORA WEST been sick again; WALTER WEST back Sunday after several weeks illness. We were glad to see him and hope he will be able to continue with us. OMER LAWS and BABY both sick Sunday; EDITH CANTRELL absent due to sickness, but now better. PHILIP CANTRELL had tonsillectomy Sunday but doing fine Monday.

WORD OF GREETING FROM FRED AND JEANETTE:

"Give all Bybee folk our love. I'd love to see those good simple people who can sit down to a plain meal with thanksgiving." Love Jeanette. The statement came following a telling of the irreligious attitude of most people they see in New York City.

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JANUARY 7, 1962

LOOKING TO THE FUTURE---THE FORWARD LOOK

Already we are in a new year. Regardless of how little we accomplished in 1961 or how much we cannot alter the record for the year just passed. Regardless of how much you desire to change that record, it is sealed and no man can change it. It is possible for us to change our lives now, and any needed changes should be brought about immediately, because our records might be closed forever by death. 1962 holds great possibilities for every man, woman and child, because it offers an opportunity to obey and serve God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Each person is the "Master of his fate" in that he can make the decisions which bring that "fate" to be. If you die and go to hell, if you burn forever it will be because you chose to do so, not because God desired it. God "would have all men to be saved, and come to the knowledge of the truth"(1Tim.2:4)."The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some count slackness; but is longsuffering to you-ward, not wishing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance"(2Pet.3:9). So if we are lost, we can't charge God with the cause of it--we must forever be in torment with the knowledge that "I could have had something wonderful, and chose this place of torment! If you believe the gospel--practice it! If you are a Christian--show your life to the world by letting your light shine for Christ! The time to start is now. Attend every service of the church in 1962. You will be happier, better and truly successful in life. 1961 was a good year for us. The interest the last day was fine--attendance for all services was good except the Bible school which was off a little and that can be accounted for at this time of year by sickness among old and young. Two were restored at the morning service. This gives us two more to help us in the work. Take courage, be men and women, fight for Christ and defeat the devil and all his efforts to destroy the human race. With Christ, as the Captain of our Salvation, leading the attack, we are sure to win if we keep following him, because Paul said, "Nay, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him that loved us"(Rom.8:37). Success is ours in 1962 if we follow Christ all the way.

BY BEE B R I E F S

CONGRATULATIONS:

Each month we list the names of the smaller children who have attended every Sunday in that month. In December we had the following: Pre-School with Lucille Newby and Earlene Ray as Teachers: Becky Brock, Teresa Cantrell, Regina Cantrell, Steve Wood, Jan Cox and Jeff Pugh. (I believe Juanita Ray has been helping with the class since Earlene has been out with Calvin). For the first grade, taught by Eula Baker and Mary Jane Green there were: Debbie Cantrell, Donna Kay Young, Elaine Foster, Rickey Jones, Terry Warren, Greg Brock. For the 3-4 grades, taught by Elsie Fisher and Beatrice Rigsby: Fred Cox, Gary Gribble, David Holmes, Kenneth Laws, Nora Louise Underwood, Angela Jones, Jane Green, Carol Glenn, Susan Cooper, Carol Newby, Jennie Riddle. The 5-6 grades taught by Ruth Newby and Mary Wilkinson had: Rita Laws, Shirley Yates, Steve Young, Susan Ford, Mary Gann, Lucille Cox, Douglas Newby. FOR EXTRA CONGRATULATIONS we have Mary Gann, Lucille Cox and Douglas Newby (from 5-6 Grades); Carol Newby (3-4 grades) Agnes Wilcher (7-8 grades) with perfect attendance for the whole year 1961. As a reward these five will receive award pins. We hope this will encourage many more to strive for perfect attendance in 1962.

WE REJOICE THAT TWO WERE RESTORED DEC. 31, 1961.

Sister Mildred Kirby of 210 Woodland Dr. and Sister Stella Choate of 102 Fisher St. came forward at the morning service and confessed their negligence and asked the prayers of the church. We were happy to see them return to the right way. May God help us all to be helpful to each other and may our labors together be happy and fruitful.

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY TO:

1. The family of Brother Will Taft who was killed in accident Wednesday night.
2. The family of Jeff Oliver, brother of Sister J.S. Porter, who died in California. May God comfort the hearts of all those who have lost loved ones.

ASK YOUR FRIENDS TO REGISTER:

When you have friends to visit the church services please ask them to register so we may contact them and show appreciation for their presence.

OUR SICK FOLK:

MRS. J.S. PORTER has improved some since Sunday; MRB. J.B. McAFEE is about as she has been for weeks; MRS. LAURA ASKEW is doing all right as of last report, and so is MRS. GENIRA BARRETT. CALVIN RAY has not been as well this week; no word from MRS. DORA WEST since Sunday; MRS. ELA FARISS doing fine in T.B. hospital. MRS. EMMA TURNER doing better; MR. JOHN TURNER not so well lately; LOUISE WOOD in Nashville for tests prior to operation; MRS. ELIZABETH NEWBY is in Medical Clinic for tests. BEVERLY YATES is better. JANE GREEN was better Monday. The James E. Watson Jr. family who worshipped with us Sunday are about all sick, including BETTY (The Mother), RONNIE, DENNIS AND JUDY. No late word from CAROL SUE TAYLOR NOR KATHY WARE and the HOBBS BOY AND BARNES BOY who were injured in the car wreck Friday night. OPAL WALLING been confined to her home for several days, but is better now.

THE BEST WAY TO BREAK A HABIT IS TO DROP IT! Selected A smile costs nothing, but makes richer, both its giver and receiver. It happens in a flash, but the memory sometimes lasts forever. Selected.

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JANUARY 14, 1962

REMEMBER THE LORD

As you begin to prepare your budget for 1962 make sure that you have the work of the church included. Do not be guilty of budgeting the Lord and the church completely out of your budget. Recently I read an article concerning the way we should budget our money and gave an example of an actual budget that was based on better than six-hundred(\$600) dollars per month. Of this better than six-hundred dollar per month budget only \$5.00 per month was given to the church, and the sad part was that an equal amount was spent each month for cigarettes! If this were an isolated case it would be shameful enough, but the fact that it depicts the majority of those who call themselves Christians is a sad commentary on our lack of love for Christ.

Fellow Christians, I wish that we could get the idea that is so firmly entrenched in our hearts and minds, that the church is not a part of our being, out and replaced by a closer tie to the Lord and to his church. Too many of us want to be **recognized** as members of the church and receive the blessings that come from this act, but do not want to pay the price in time or money. We invest time and money in business, clothes, fine homes and automobiles and these will wear out, grow old and crumble and we will have to die and leave them. We invest less of ourselves and our money in the living and lasting things and yet expect great dividends from the meager investment we make to good spiritual works. What business man would invest "pocket change" in a sure investment and expect to receive great dividends in return?

"Will a man rob God? Yet ye have robbed me. But ye say, wherein have we robbed thee? In tithes and offerings"(Mal.3:8). We read this passage and salve our lack of attention to giving by saying it applied to God's people of another dispensation. Even though it was written to people of another dispensation, and tithing is not commanded today, I wonder if we can justify our robbing God? We have so much more to be thankful for than those of the Jewish dispensation. We should be more ready and more liberal in our giving. The New Testament is not silent on giving, and we know we are to give as we have prospered. Let us fear lest we rob God. Billy Newby.

B Y B E E B R : I E F S

THE FOREGOING ARTICLE: The fine article from Brother Billy Newby had to be cut a little to make it fit into our space, but we tried to retain the thought. We hope you will read it with care and profit.

TEACHER TRAINING CLASS FRIDAY NIGHT JANUARY 12.

We got off to a fine start in 1962--lets keep it that way. The teachers in our Bible classes both on Sunday morning and Wednesday night need to show enough interest to attend every class meeting. The possibility of giving some thought which will help the other teachers is so important that you can't afford to rob them of that information and assistance. Parents also need to attend, to develop a greater understanding between parents and teachers so the greatest good can be accomplished with the child. We need you--come at 7:30 P.M. Friday.

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY to the family of Terry Tucker who departed this life the latter part of last week. He was a nephew of brother Ewing Underwood.

WATCH OUR BIBLE SCHOOL GRAPH.

We have erected a new Graph to show our progress or lack of progress--be sure to keep a close check on it and be present each week to assure us that the line will climb higher and higher.

BROTHER GUS NICHOLS MEETING:

We are less than three months from the beginning of the meeting with Brother Nichols. The meeting will be April 1-11 with Brother Nichols beginning his part April 2. We are very fortunate in securing the service of such an outstanding man--lets begin now to talk about the meeting and to prepare for the greatest meeting ever conducted in McMinnville.

REMIND THE VISITORS TO REGISTER:

We are making a special effort to get visitors to register so we can visit them and also write them and tell them how much we appreciated their visit. If each of us will remind them it will soon be a part of us and in this way we can make many contacts which may help us to convert people to Christ. A little service, but with a great reward. Do your part.

OUR SICK PEOPLE:-

CAROL SUE TAYLOR remains on the critical list, and so far has shown no marked improvement; KATHY WARE is doing well; HASKELL CUNNINGHAM is ill and I am sure would appreciate his old friends visiting him at his home on Garfield Street; MRS. J.S. PORTER was feeling some better yesterday; CALVIN RAY has not felt so well the past few days--has been bothered with eye infection; LOUISE WOOD is back home waiting for report on her recent tests in Nashville; MRS. J.B. McAFEE IS about as she has been for a long time; MRS. ELA FARISS is doing fine at Middle Tenn. T.B. Hospital; MRS. DORA WEST was feeling better yesterday; MRS. ELIZABETH NEWBY is back home now and improving; BARNES BAKER absent Sunday with sinus infection; MRS. LAURA ASKEW and GENIRA BARRETT both improved; It was good to see MRS. EMMA TURNER and the Watson FAMILY able to be present Sunday. TOMMIE GREEN was absent Sunday but feeling better at last report; JUDY MITCHELL was able to return to school Tuesday. Report any information concerning the sick to 2486 or to 7321.

Your presence will serve as an extended hand to help raise our attendance to a greater height. Be present to do your part to make our work grow and be successful.

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THE WORLD IN A TOWN

Dr. Henry Smith Leiper of the American Bible Society has attempted to illustrate the kind of world we live in by reducing proportionately all the people of the world into a theoretical town of 1,000 people. If such a town existed--with each nation, color and religion represented in the same proportion as it is in the world today--what kind of town would it be?

There would be 60 Americans. The other 940 persons would represent the rest of the world. But the 60 Americans would have half the income of the entire town.

About 330 people would be classified as "Christians" in the widest use of the term, and 230 of these would be Catholics. There would be at least 80 communists in our town, and 370 persons would be under the domination of these communists.

There would be 303 white people in our town, and 697 non-whites.

Half of the 1,000 people would never have heard of Jesus Christ or what he taught. But more than half would now be learning about Karl Marx, Lenin, and the philosophy of communism.

The 60 Americans would have an average life expectancy of 70 years. Each would own at least 15 times as many possessions as the other 940. The 940 would have a life expectancy of less than 40 years, and most of them would go to bed hungry many nights.

The American families would be spending an average of at least \$850 on military defense, but less than \$4 (per year) to share their religious faith with their neighbors in the community.

Would you like to live in such a town? You are-- for the world is just such a world! If such a world looks a little undesirable and foreboding, what can be done about it? Is the church powerless? Or can it be a leaven of righteousness--a pillar and ground of truth? Via Religious Reminder, Louisville and copied from Allen and Edgewood Bulletin, Jackson, Tennessee.

"You believe easily what you hope for earnestly"

Terence

"From the errors of others, a wise man corrects his own." Syrus

BYBEE BRIFFS

TRAINING CLASS FRIDAY NIGHT AT 7:30

Due to the road conditions last week we postponed the class meeting until Friday night of this week. We hope every teacher will be present for this class work. The success of our Bible Class program depends upon our working together and helping each other. Why do public school teachers have so many meetings on Saturdays? It is because they realize the need for a 100% cooperation on the part of the teachers. Parents are also needed--so come be with us Friday night at 7:30.

CLASS ROOM ARRANGEMENTS:

The College and young married people's Class will return to your regular place (in Room 6) Sunday morning. The fourth grade will have a room of your own which will be designated as room 11. The number may not be posted by then, but it will be the last room down the hall and on the left. This is a room being formed by a partition wall being erected in the large room used by Lucille Newby and Earlene Ray. We hope this new arrangement will be most satisfactory to all three classes involved. The pre-school is involved by their room being made smaller--the others by being permanently located--we hope.

AWARD PINS HAVE ARRIVED.

We hope the parents will have their children present Sunday for the receiving of the pins they worked for and have won. Other children should be encouraged to work for these pins also.

OUR SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED:

We offer our sincere sympathy to the loved ones of William Smartt whose funeral was conducted Tuesday. We have been told that his mother used to worship at Bybee Branch in years gone by.

Also to the family of Mrs. Lonnie (May) Mullican who passed away on Saturday night. She was a sister-in-law to Brother Shelie Mullican. Funeral services were conducted in Nashville on Monday.

OUR BIBLE SCHOOL NEEDS YOUR HELP. REMEMBER WE ARE REACHING UP FOR A GREATER ATTENDANCE.

OUR SICK FOLK:

We were glad to see HERSHEL WEST and DORA WEST present last Sunday; CALVIN RAY is about as he has been for some time; M.M. McCULLOUGH(Jewell Duggin's father) very ill in Prattville, Ala. hospital. Jewell was called home last week; CAROL SUE TAYLOR remains on the critical list; STELLA CHOATE back at work now; EDD GANN out sick Sunday; DIANA KIRBY is doing well following her tonsillectomy last week;; LOUISE WOOD back at work(we hear); KATHY WARE doing well now; ELIZABETH NEWBY much better now; no late word from LAURA ASKEW, GENIRA BARRETT, or MRS. J.B. McAFEE. HASKELL CUNNINGHAM was some better at last report; WAYNE RAY out last week with strep throat; LAURA PORTER was feeling slightly better Sunday; SHIRLEY YATES had flu Sunday. TOMMIE GREEN some better.

THE JUNIORS AND SENIORS in high school have an invitation to attend a banquet Feb. 5 at 7 P.M. If you want to attend notify Bro. Holt at least by Sunday Jan.28 so he can notify the college. This is an opportunity to learn something of the college which might help you to make a needed decision in the future. I suggest you get together in class Sunday and make your decision. If you want to go to Lipscomb let us know.

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IN MEMORIAM

Alice Edna(Woodlee) Moore, Born July 14, 1906 departed this life January 19, 1962, being 55 years and 6 months of age. She obeyed the gospel before she was married in 1926 to Ellis Moore. How she lived during the early years as a Christian I am not in a position to state, but during the last four years and few months I have had occasion to observe her life. Alice was the mother of four sons. No greater honor nor opportunity ever presented itself to woman; no greater glory ever came to woman than being a Christian and mother or as we usually say of being a Christian mother.

About two years ago Alice became ill--an illness that brought many days of suffering and uncertainty. On two occasions I accompanied her and Ellis when she went to Nashville for treatment. On these trips and during visits at the hospital and at home she did not do a lot of complaining although she did have much suffering. When she had finally improved enough to barely place one foot before the other she would come to the worship services on Sunday morning. She never did become well enough to attend the services with much regularity, but her desire to be there, caused her to be present when she looked like she could barely sit up.

I am sure her life was not spent in vain. No doubt she had a great influence on her husband in helping him to decide to obey the gospel. Two of her sons are members of the church. I commend her good traits to the family. May the family ever keep before them her loyalty to Christ and her determination to be at the place of worship. May these serve to lead the family to a closer walk with Christ and to a reunion in the "city which hath the foundations, whose builder and maker is God!" Buford C. Holt

"Some people treat God like an Elephant! They give Him peanuts, and then expect him to never forget." Selected

"Horse sense is just stable thinking." Selected.

WE NEED YOU AND YOUR HELPFUL HANDS. THEY CAN RAISE OUR ATTENDANCE TO A HIGHER NUMBER AND GREATER SERVICE!

B Y B E E B R I E F S

WE COMMEND OUR YOUNG PEOPLE:

Last Sunday award pins were given to the following children for six months perfect attendance in 1961: Greg Brock; Carol Glenn; Charlotte Cox; Donna Kay Young; Nora Louise Underwood; Susan Ford; and Jane Green. Then award pins were given to the following for being present every Sunday last year: Carl Douglas Newby; Carol Newby; Lucille Cox; Mary Evelyn Gann; and Agnes Wilcher. The faithfulness of these young people should encourage others to work harder this year so they may be able to receive pins this year. God expects us to do our best, and when we obey him he rewards us for it. Let us all seek for the heavenly reward for faithfulness in God's service.

OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO:

The family of William A. Severt who died in West Jefferson, North Carolina last Friday. Mr. Severt was the father-in-law of our Helen Severt.

Also to the family of Alice Moore who also passed away on Friday. Hardly a week passes but what we make some report concerning death--truly we should always be prepared for that call which will not pass us by forever.

CHURCH DIRECTORIES ABOUT READY:

The church directories have been completed except the trimming, which will have to be done by the Womack Printing Co. or Southern Standard Co. We hope to have this work done today if possible. There are some mistakes in the arrangement of names due to some being added after stencils had been cut. Corrections of this nature cannot be corrected without much work. So we have indicated the same by the * which you may look for and locate the name at another position in the directory. Since I did all the work on it, all the mistakes will be mine--unless it be that you failed to respond to our many pleas for correct information concerning addresses and phone numbers. Sallie Jo Cope's address should be 404 Park Ave., but I did not know until after the book had been completed. This directory has been prepared to help us do more for the cause of Christ. Read all the information in the book and follow the suggestions to make our work more successful. Now we can begin our zone work and assist each other more in the work.

the services of the church. Your presence is needed and will be helpful.

OUR SICK FOLK.

No word since Sunday from Carol Sue Taylor; KATHY WARE was doing fine at the time of our last report; MRS. J.S. PORTER was feeling some better Sunday; MR. McBRIDE (Marvin's father) is still in the Sparta hospital but doing all right Tuesday night; ESTELLE LAWS sick Sunday; The WALTER WEST family absent Sunday and most of them ill with flu; HERSHEL, DORA AND CLEMMIE WEST all absent due to illness also. MR. McCULLOUGH is back home now and so Jewell Duggin is back home also. NANCY GREEN missed all services Sunday due to illness. We rejoiced to see LOUISE WOOD present for services Sunday. MRS. W.C. REEDER (Bob Wilkinson's nephew's wife) is very ill at this time. H.L. SMITH was in a car accident last week--someone hit his car from the rear. We rejoice that he was not seriously injured.

CONGRATULATIONS TO Lafayette and Ruby Smith who have a new grand-daughter (Vickie Carline Smith). I do not know that the middle name is spelled correctly. We rejoice with them--our apologies for oversight in not mentioning it until now.

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FINANCIAL REPORT FOR DECEMBER, 1961 BY A.A. ALLISON

BALANCE ON HAND DEC. 1 167.72

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR DECEMBER

DEC. 3	251.27	
" 10	250.26	
" 17	260.05	
" 24	282.97	
" 31	276.42	
Mrs. Carl Newby	<u>3.75</u>	
(Pay for personal hectograph which had been purchased with church supplies)	1324.72	<u>1324.72</u>
TOTAL		<u>1492.44</u>

EXPENDITURES FOR DECEMBER:

Calvin Ray (Custodian)	50.00	
Douglas Wood (Custodian)	50.00	
Buford C. Holt (5 Weeks Salary)	486.80	
McMinnville Water and Sewer	3.76	
Middle Tenn. Gas Distributors	20.68	
Joe Rigsby (W. M. M. T. Radio)	35.00	
McMinnville Electric System	35.06	
Gospel Advocate Co. (Supplies)	57.25	
C. E. I. Store (Supplies)	3.49	
Wallace Beasley (Mission Work)	20.00	
William Miller (Mission Work)	10.00	
Taylor Impression (Supplies)	16.40	
Cash (Mailing Permit 1962)	20.00	
Cash (Stamps for bulletins)	16.88	
Hargrove Office Supply	3.95	
W. L. Cooper (Air Cond. Fund)	60.00	
Carson Upton (Bus Service)	<u>100.00</u>	
Total Expenditures	989.27	<u>989.27</u>
BALANCE ON HAND DECEMBER 31, 1961		<u>503.17</u>

We are grateful to Brother Allison for giving so much time and work to being treasurer. He has done a fine work ever since he was made treasurer for the church. Tell him you appreciate his efforts.

REMEMBER our meeting will begin April 1 with Brother Gus Nichols. He will be here on April 2 to begin his his part of preaching the gospel. Let's begin now to talk the meeting. Tell all you see to make plans to come hear this great preacher.

B Y B E E B R I E F S

DIRECTORY CHANGES: It is terrible to have to make some additions (due to oversight) and changes just as soon as the directory is distributed, but "T's" necessary. We offer our humble apologies to Brother and Sister Jim Witt for omitting their names. So please turn to page 23 and add Jim S. Witt and Dora Witt to the directory. their address is 110 Fair Street and their phone is 4120. Then on page 9 Barnes Baker's phone number should be 2918 instead of 9218. Other changes will be called to your attention as mistakes are brought to our attention. The Witts live in Zone 1.

YOUR COOPERATION APPRECIATED:

Due to the excessive rains last week we found our basement flooded Sunday to the extent that dampness might have caused illness. So we had to make many alterations in classes. Every teacher and pupil gave fine cooperation in trying to make the necessary adjustments. This is a fine attitude and we deeply appreciate it. We are hoping to take some necessary measures to prevent water coming through into the basement, so this will not happen again. Due to this above mentioned condition some of the teachers did not get their perfect attendance records to us for Jan. so we will wait until next week to run them.

NO TRIP TO LIPSCOMB MONDAY NIGHT.

Due to things of interest here at home, there were not enough interested in going to Lipscomb to the Junior, Senior dinner to merit our making the trip. So sorry--maybe next year will be different for you.

ZONE WORK:

Now that the directories are in the hands of the members, we hope to get our zone work program in operation in the near future. There is some more paper work to be done before we are ready, but we are hoping that all will cooperate and make it successful. There are so many things which need to be done--things which must be done by the church working together--that we encourage every member to assist us in every way to make this work successful.

SUNDAY NIGHT AND WEDNESDAY NIGHT we have some members who are shirking your duty--begin now to attend all

worth the time of all Christians: "Establish the things that remain". If any of you can attend you may go with Corrie and me.

OUR SICK FOLK: LOIS CAMPBELL entered St. Thomas Hospital yesterday. Surgery today. She is in room 484-B; RIGKEY JONES is better but still out of school; JUDY MILLER has returned to school; NORMAN WITT has returned to his home; JANET AND VERNON HOLMES out sick Sunday night; MR. McBRIDE still better; JOHN AND MARGARET MARTIN are some better; CALVIN RAY about as he has been for last week; SUSAN COOPER is back in school following flu; CAROL SUE TAYLOR may be improving slightly; KATHY WARE is improving nicely now; JOEL GREENE is able to be back in school; DORA WEST is able to be at home now, but quite weak; JEWEL DUGGIN is much better now; M.M. McCULLOUGH is improving also; LAURA PORTER is about as she has been for several days; MRS. W.A. ROGERS doing fine in Medical Clinic Sunday; BILLY GRAY BROCK not feeling as well today; BECKY BROCK also not feeling as well. GREG BROCK also sick. There is so much sickness now. You will be doing a service for all if you will report sickness to 2486 or 7321.

"Jealousy knows no loyalty." Spanish

"Delays have dangerous ends." Shakespeare

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THE TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR

The Typographical error is a slippery thing and sly,
You can hunt till you are dizzy, but somehow it will
get by.

Till the forms are off the presses, it is strange how
still it keeps;
It shrinks down in a corner, and it never stirs or peeps.
That typographical error, too small for human eyes,
Till the ink is on the paper, then it grows to mountain
size!

The preacher stares with horror, then he grabs his
hair and groans;

The secretary drops her head upon her hands and moans.
The remainder of the issue may be clean as clean can be,
But that typographical error is the only thing you see.
Selected.

The above statement regarding typographical errors
is timely because it expresses exactly what has happen-
ed regarding our church directory. We went over it for
alphabetical accuracy. We went over it for telephone
listing accuracy and we checked it for accuracy in
that we wanted all the names listed. Well where was
"Typographical error"---drawn up in a corner or under
something until the ink was on the paper! Then he ups
and lets himself be found. We had eliminated some names
and we had gotten some of them out of alphabetical
arrangement(a thing which cannot be changed with this
kind of product) and some telephone numbers had been
inverted. This week we thank Sister Ollie Woodlee for
calling our attention to the fact we left Juanita Ray
out of the listing. Please turn to page 18 and insert
her name just under Mrs. William Ray(Earlene). Then
a phone number should be changed(This one is changed
from the Telephone office).Judy Cook change from 5287
to 3462. We have checked the list again this week and
if "Typo" has done any more mischief he is hiding
again.Time will tell. If you see any more of his evil
work please report it, so we can grab for someone else's
hair--ours is all gone!_BCH.

TEACHER TRAINING CLASS FRIDAY NIGHT AT 7:30.

All teachers--all parents are encouraged to attend
the class for teachers. Our working together will be
a great step toward the goal we are striving to reach.
An hour together will mean much for the children.Come!

B Y B E E B R I E F S

MESSAGE OF APPRECIATION: "The family of Alice Moore
acknowledges with grateful appreciation your kind ex-
pression of sympathy."__From the Moore Family.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE REPORT FOR JANUARY:

The award pens which were given for perfect records
for six months and twelve months in 1961 have caused
several children to determine to receive one for them-
selves in 1962. For this we are glad and we are happy
to report the following with perfect records for Jan.
PRE-SCHOOL: Teresa Cantrell, Regina Cantrell, Dale Holmes,
Jeff Pugh, Jane Cox, Eddie Hice, John Cox, Denise
Cantrell, Diana Kirby, Carolyn Hice, Steve Wood, Becky
Brook. THIRD GRADE: Fred Cox, Mike Foster, David Holmes,
Kenneth Laws, Allen Kirby, Angelia Jones, Carol Newby,
Gen Riddle. FOURTH GRADE: Gary Gribble, Ronnie Hoover,
Carol Glenn, Susan Cooper, Nora Louise Underwood. For
the FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADES: Douglas Newby, Steve Young,
Mary Gann, Lucille Cox, Tamara Womack, Susan Ford, Rita
Laws, Paula Cantrell. SECOND GRADE: Judy Leatherwood,
Charlotte Cox. FIRST GRADE: Neal Turner, Greg Brock,
Terry Warren, Rickey Jones, Tessie Sharp, Debbie
Cantrell, Donna Kay Young, Elaine Foster. This is a
wonderful record. Forty three with perfect attendance
among our little folk. Congratulations to each of you.
OUR SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO:

1. Sister Dora Witt and family in the death of her
brother, Andrew Martin, on Sunday night. Funeral services
were conducted in Ala. Tuesday.
2. Sister Hallie Cantrell and Family. Her father, Mr.
William Henry Mitchell, died Tuesday and the funeral
will be conducted Thursday at 2 P.M. at New Union
Baptist church in Dekalb County.

OUR THANKS to Grace's Flower Shop for a lovely basket
of flowers for Sunday services.

OUR CONGRATULATIONS to Marion and Hilda Jones who have
a new great grand-daughter ,Daphne Diane Hallum, born
Sunday morning.

ALABAMA CHRISTIAN COLLEGE LECTURES MARCH 5-9, 1962.

Brother Holt has been asked to speak during the lec-
tures on the subject---"The Identification of the Old
Paths". The general theme for the lectures is one well

OUR SICK FOLK:-

RICKY JONES is better but still out of school; JACK McBRIDE is still improving; LUCILLE DUBOIS is in the Paulkner Springs Hospital having tests made; MORRIS & SCARLETT GRIFFITH are both better; JAMES THOMISON was ill Sunday night; CHARLES, BARBARA AND NELL TURNER are all better following round with strep throat; John Hobbs is some better; MILDRED LOWRY is on sick list today; SHARON AND SUSAN FORD both have throat trouble at this time; SAROL SUE TAYLOR may be slightly better at this time; CALVIN RAY was some better on Sunday. He had not been as well for about a week. BILLY GRAY AND BECKY BROCK are both better--Greg Brock is back in school; DANA JEAN SEVERT is some better today--she almost had pneumonia; DENNIS WATSON is back in school and BETTY WATSON is better; JUDY MITCHELL is back in school; TERRY WOMACK is still out of school; TAMERA is also on the sick list; LAURA PORTER is not so well today; We were glad to have WILDA MAE PORTER and EDITH CANTRELL back with us Sunday; JEWEL DUGGIN is able to be out again now; DORA WEST was some better Sunday; KATHY WARE is back home now and doing fine; ROBERT CANTRELL is better; PAULINE GREENE is suffering from back trouble; VEDA MAI HARDCASTLE is no better; LOIS CANTRELL is back home and doing fine. We hope this is all the sick.

JOHN WOOD'S AUNT, MRS. LILY WARREN has passed away. The funeral Thursday at 3 P.M.

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"THE NEGRO'S PRAYER"

"O Lord give thy servant the eye of de eagle, de wisdom ob de owl; connect his soul with de gospil telephone in de central skies; Luminare his brow with the sun of hebben; pizen his mind with a love of the people; turpentine his magination; grease his lips with possum grease; loosen his tongue wid de sledge-hammer ob dy power; lectrify his brain wid de lightin of dy word; put petual motion in his arms; fill him plum full ob de dinnamite of dy glory; noint him wid the coal oil ob dy salvation and then sot him of farr."

From Ripley, Miss. Bulletin

We have tried to copy the fore-going with the words spelled as we took them from the other bulletin. We believe the sentiment is good, and pass it along for your inspiration.

THINK ON THIS

A man once dreamed that he was in a fine large church building where many people had gathered. He saw people singing, but heard no sound. He saw the minister's lips moving, but heard no words. After a time, the congregation arose to pray. He heard only the voice of a child praying.

He was very puzzled and amazed. An angel came and stood beside him to explain. "You have heard today as God hears. The singers were thinking about other things as they sang, and were not actually praising God. The minister was watching his words that he might preach a sermon that sounded well. God did not hear him! Only the child had feelings of love and reverence in her heart for the Lord, and only her words of praise and prayer reached the Heavenly Father." Selected.

It is worth the time of every reader to stop and think about the thoughts presented in the above. So many of us let other things creep in and take our minds from the Lord during our wroship services. I have to constantly fight this tendency, and must confess that I am not always successful in preventing other things from creeping into my thinking while trying to worship God. I am thinking that you may have the same fight. Let us strive harder to have our praise so pure that God will accept it all the time.

B. Y. B. E. E. B. R. I. E. F. S.

THE BYBEE BANNER:-

The church spends several dollars each year to bring the Banner into your homes. The purpose of this is to keep each member informed of the work of the church and the welfare of other members. However we fear some of you are not using the bulletin to the greatest advantage, because we often ask members about something in the banner and find that the paper has not been read.

Another thing--we try to present facts which we believe will be of help to the whole church--these are presented without prejudice or without intent to in any way hurt any one involved. We may fail to put our point across, but we do not fail to have the welfare of the church at heart. Your cooperation is always needed to help keep the church informed. You can pass information along to us and it will be used as we think best. Thanks a lot for your help.

OUR SYMPATHY is extended to the family of William Clay Curtis, brother of Leila Phillips, whose funeral was conducted Sunday afternoon. Within a week we had sorrow to visit three families of the church. May God bless you every one.

SECOND SUNDAY BROADCAST OF 11 A.M. SERVICE:

Last May we started broadcasting the 11 A.M. service on the second Sunday. This was done by individuals to keep it separate from the regular broadcasts which are supported by cooperating churches of the county. Enough people promised to help us by giving \$ 1.00 each per month. Some gave the whole amount at one time, others have given faithfully each month. Some have stopped giving. We must decide whether we wish to continue this broadcast or let it drop at the end of a year's broadcasting. Let's hear from you by telling whether you want to support the work or let it drop.

BIBLE SCHOOL DOWN DUE TO MUCH ILLNESS:-

Last Sunday we had between 30-40 absent from the services due to illness. We are glad to note some of these are making improvement and we hope the ones we haven't been able to visit have improved also. You will be helping us if you will call and report any illness you know to be among us.

OUR SICK FOLK:

We still have a large number on the sick list. Some have recovered and other members of the family have become ill. Please call us when to learn of new cases of illness. OPAL WALLING is suffering from back , but is better; LUCILLE BROCK is at home with high blood pressure; BELLE MULLIGAN is better; CALVIN RAY is about the same; CAROL SUE TAYLOR may be a little better; RANDY GRIFFITH is better and JOYCE GRIFFITH is now ill; JOHN MARTIN is slightly better but is at Lively Heights Rest Home; VEDA MAI HARDCASTLE is some better now; LUCILLE DUBOIS is back home; LAURA PORTER is about as she has been for several days; DALTON HOOVER is better and able to return to work after a round with flu, but RONNIE HOOVER is out of school today. NOEL FOSTER is some better, but still confined to his home; DOUGLAD WOOD is absent from work today. LOIS CANTRELL is better; PEARL GAMBRELL is back at home (Tuesday report); CARL NEWBY has been able to return to work; PHYLLIS LAWS is in Medical Clinic but doing fine; KENNETH LAWS also on sick list Sunday. HOWARD ELROD is in 6010-B Mid-State Baptist Hospital in Nashville. Last report is he is some better--he suffered a stroke last week.

YOURS HELP IS NEEDED TO INCREASE OUR ATTENDANCE FOR ALL SERVICES! PLEASE HELP US HAVE SUCCESS!

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EDITORIAL ON COMMUNISM

Foy L. Smith, Minister
Walnut Hill Church of Christ, Dallas

Have you noticed recently in the papers where Castro is taking children three years of age from their parents, and putting them in state nurseries to be taught the doctrines of Communism and Socialism? These children are separated from their parents from now on unless someone overthrows Castro and reclaims them. If this is not done soon, they will not be worth reclaiming for the seeds of doubt and suspicion will be in their minds to stay.

Many parents in Cuba are flying their children out to keep Castro from getting them. Others are literally setting their children adrift in open boats, hoping that some ship on the way to the U.S. will pick them up and educate them in the ways of freedom. If the ships do not come, then a grave in the sea, they reason, will be better than living in Cuba under Communism.

This is how bad it really is just 90 miles from America! Last June, the bearded-nitwit sent seven or eight thousand boys, ages 11 through 16, to Red China and Russia to learn how to work on slave farms. Castro intends, with Russia's help, to Communize all of South America, and North America as well.

Yet, to say anything against an administration that is hastening the day of our demise is unpatriotic. To preach against the Red Menace from the pulpit--which happens to be its main target--is to preach politics! Weak brethren indeed, they may be, who will so argue.

These "weak-sisters" are the ones who will cry the loudest when they really wake up to the dangers of Communism. They will be first to shout, "Why didn't somebody do something? Why didn't the preachers warn us? Why didn't our leaders lead us right?"

Freedom-loving people must enter this fight for survival and fight anything that gives comfort to Communism. It is as serious as that. In everything else we may say that we must pray and work too, but in this fight against the unholy Kremlin of Russia, some say that all Christians can do is pray! Prayer is effective, but not without works! So, brother, gird up your loins and try to help people who really love this nation and are trying to save it."__Very timely article. ECHolt

BYBEE BRIEFS

OUR O IS MERELY A HOLE IN THE PAPER:-

When I moved to McMinville, I found the typewriter belonging to the church beyond use for church work. My own typewriter was rushed into the use and has been used for all the work since that time. Since the type has not been so good the old machine belonging to the church was taken down for some repairs. We got it back today and cut the stencil on page two. You see that it does not do the work and so this is back with my personal machine, with all its imperfections. So pardon our ink spots where we should have letters.

NOTES OF APPRECIATION:

The Family of Andrew Martin acknowledges with grateful appreciation your kind expression of Sympathy.

During a time like this we realize how much our friends really mean to us. Your expression of sympathy will always be remembered by the family of W.H. Mitchell.

The family of William Clay Curtis will always remember your kindness and sympathy.

OUR APOLOGY TO RAYMOND WOOD:

Last week due to lack of space we said "John Wood's aunt, Mrs. Lily Warren has passed away. The funeral Thursday at 3 P.M." Brother Raymond Wood's name was omitted and we offer our apology for this omission.

OUR MEETING FIVE WEEKS AWAY:

Our meeting with Brother Gus Nichols is only five weeks away. There is much to be done before that time. Each member is needed, to advertise the meeting to the fullest extent. We'll be calling on all of you.

THE MEAL SHEET:

As many members as can possibly do so should plan to have Brother Nichols in your home for a visit and a meal. He will enrich your lives and you will always be glad you had him there. Don't hesitate because you think he is a big preacher--he is, but he started as a farm boy and he knows and lives the humble life which all Christians should live. Don't rob yourself of this opportunity to have him in your home!

MARCH 4, 1962

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR JANUARY 1962 BY A.A. ALLISON, TREAS.

BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD JAN. 1, 1962	503.17
CONTRIBUTIONS FOR JANUARY	
JAN. 7	235.11
" 14	243.42
" 21	236.43
" 28	265.45
Total Contributions	<u>980.41</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT TO DEAL WITH IN JANUARY	<u>1483.58</u>

EXPENDITURES FOR JANUARY:

Middle Tenn. Gas. Dist.	34.51
McMinnville Flower Shop	7.50
McMinnville Water & Sewer	2.38
Grace's Flower Shop	7.50
Acme Schnol Supply Co.	11.24
H.G. Hill Co.(Benevolence)	2.10
Gospel Advocate Co.(Song Bks)	165.08
Buford C. Holt(Salary-4 Weeks)	382.40
Womack Wholesale Co.	37.85
Carl Wood(Custodian)	40.00
Calvin Ray (Custodian)	40.00
Louise Wood(Dr. & Hospital)	50.00
Joe Rigsby(WMMT Radio programs)	55.50
McMinnville Electric System	45.28
Carson Upton(Bus Service)	100.00
W.L. Cooper(Air Cond. Payment)	100.00
Wm. Miller (mission Work)	10.00
Wallace Beasley(Mission Work)	<u>20.00</u>
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>1111.34</u>
BALANCE ON HAND JANUARY 31, 1962	<u>372.24</u>

On behalf of the Elders and congregation, we thank Brother A.A. Allison for his fine work as treasurer of the congregation. He has given much time to this great responsibility. BCH.

W.J. LEMONS AT CENTERTOWN THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 6:30 P.M.

Brother Willie Lemons, recently made a trip to the Holy Land and made many pictures, I have been told. He is to show these pictures and tell of his trip this week at the Centertwon church building. That is tonight(Thursday March 1) at 6:30. You are invited to be there and hear and see this report of recent weeks.

BYBEE BRIEFS

EAST END MEETING MARCH 4-14

Brother James Watkins will be doing the preaching in the meeting at East End, beginning Sunday. You may hear Brother Watkins as follows:
Sunday Morning March 4 & 11 8 A.M. over WMMT.
Sunday services at church house 11 A.M. & 7:30 P.M.
Monday-Friday 8:45 A.M. W.B.M.C.
Monday-Friday 3:15 P.M.--church building.
All night services 7:30. Attend every service possible.

FRED MOSLEY HERE FRIDAY NIGHT AT 7:30.

Brother Fred Mosley will be here Friday night to demonstrate the use of slides and other visual aids in teaching. We urge teachers and all other interested persons to be present.

MESSAGE FROM JOE D. GRAY

A few days ago Brother Holt received the following message from Brother Gray, who is away in the interest of the Lord's work, for the Valdosta, Ga. church.
Dear Buford, "I am now landing in Palmerston North after having visited each congregation in New Zealand in the last month. I preached 20 times and have baptized one. I fly to Australia Saturday. Please give my regards to everyone at Bybee and I continue to rejoice in your good work." Love, Joe D. Gray.

ALABAMA CHRISTIAN COLLEGE LECTURES NEXT WEEK.

Brother Holt will be one of the speakers on the lectures at Alabama Christian College this year. His subject will be "The Identification of the Old Paths" This means that we will be gone during the week, but will be here for Sunday services. Corrie will have an opportunity to visit her parents while we are in Montgomery.

CONGRATULATIONS TO BOB AND MARY WILKINSON

We offer our heartiest congratulations to Brother and Sister Wilkinson, who have another grandson, who was born to Joe and Jane Saturday. He has been named Stephen Larry Wilkinson.

OUR BIBLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE:

For three weeks illness has kept our Bible School attendance down. Lets make a special effort to be

Lucille McBride teachers--Gary Gribble, Carol Glenn, Nora Louise Underwood. FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADES, Ruth Newby and Mary Wilkinson teachers--Douglas Newby, Steve Young, Mary Gann, Lucille Cox, Tamara Womack, Susan Ford. We regret that we do not have the names of those in the third grade, because they always have a fine record too. If they get to us when we can, we will include them later. We offer our congratulations to each of you, not only for being able to come, but for the interest you have shown in getting here. One young man insisted his parents bring him, even though he had been sick. That kind of loyalty will make a fine Christian when he grows up to the age to obey.

LOOK UP NOT DOWN--LOOK FORWARD NOT BACKWARD.

Paul tells us (Col. 1:18) that Christ is to have the Preeminence in all things. Preeminence is a two-fold word, meaning before and above. Christ is to be pre--before, and eminent--above all things. Since he is before us and above us, we can't look at him without looking up and ahead. The following little story is worth while; "One day a young man found five dollars on the street. From that time he never took his eyes off the ground as he walked. In 30 years he picked up 25,916 buttons, 62,172 pins, 7 pennies, a bent back, sour disposition, and a miserable outlook on life. He missed all the lovely things in life." Selected

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OUR GOSPEL MEETING IS AT HAND.

By the time you receive this bulletin the meeting with Brother Gus Nichols will be three and one half weeks away. There is so much for each of us to do if we are to be ready for this meeting. You have many friends who are not Christians--you should be so concerned about their souls! If you love them, write them a card or better a letter and invite them to attend the meeting. Make a list of them and their addresses and pass them along to us that we also may contact them. Don't ask us to visit your friends without doing so yourself. We will be asking you to help advertise the meeting in a more specific way as time draws closer. There will be advertising matter to distribute, and telephone calls to make and every member can do some of these things.

We will expect Brother Nichols to do his part in the meeting. If he should fail, every member would be on the elders with criticism. Well don't you think he will have just grounds on which to criticize us if we fail to do our part in preparing for the meeting? We took pains to secure a man to do the preaching who is able to present the truth with power and love. We know Brother Nichols will do his part well, if the Lord continues to bless him with health and mind, as he has in the past. If I were as confident that every member would contribute as much toward the meeting as Brother Nichols, I'd say we will have the greatest meeting ever conducted in Tennessee.

Every person you meet, you should say, we are to have a meeting April 1-10 or 11. We want you to come every night. The elders have invited one of the best preachers in the church today, and we want you to hear him. The weather is an old subject of conversation, but this meeting is new--give your friends a new line of talk, by talking about the meeting. We plan to have Brother Nichols on the air daily at 8:45 over WBMC and on Sunday over WMMT. You will be depriving your friends of some of earth's richest blessings if you fail to let them know of this great feast of spiritual things, with gospel singing by the whole congregation, and preaching by as great a preacher as lives today. Pray for the meeting daily, fervently, and back your prayers with diligent work. ___BCHolt.

B Y B E E B R I E F S

BROTHER HOLT ATTENDING ALABAMA CHRISTIAN LECTURES:

Due to the fact that Brother Holt is a speaker on the lecture series, he is away this week, and the bulletin was prepared in advance, so you would not miss the weekly visit of the Banner. This puts more work on the preacher, but provides you with the weekly church paper. This makes it necessary to omit the news of the sick for the week, but we will try to supply you with other useful information.

MEETING IN PROGRESS AT EAST END.

Have you taken advantage of the meeting now going on at East End with Brother James Watkins doing the preaching? You know there are several good things to come from your attending their meeting. One, you will be made stronger in the faith. Two, you will be helping a sister congregation to spread the gospel. Three, your going may encourage some sinner to obey the Truth. Fourth, The members at East End will be encouraged to do more. Fifth, you will be better prepared to work for our meeting. Sixth, the brethren at East End will naturally take more interest in our meeting. I regret that I will be missing much of the meeting, due to obligations which take me out of town, but I hope to attend when I return.

MT. VIEW MEETING BEGINS MARCH 18 WITH ERNEST LAWS.

This meeting is but a week away now and they will appreciate your cooperation in the work.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR FEBRUARY.

Other matters claimed our thoughts last week and we failed to include the record of those with perfect attendance, but we are glad to give them here. The many cases of flu have cut down on the number, but we are thankful for your record just the same. The names follow: PRE-SCHOOL, LUCILLE NEWBY AND JUANITA RAY teachers--Teresa Cantrell, Jane Cox, Eddie Hice, Karen Sharp, Regina Cantrell, John Cox, Carolyn Hice, Steve Wood, Jeff Pugh. FIRST GRADE, Mary Jane Green and Enla Baker teachers--Gregg Brock, Tessie Sharp, Donna Kay Young, Elaine Foster. SECOND GRADE, Ruth Foster and Nancy Green, teachers--Judy Leatherwood, Charlotte Cox, Eddie Kirby, Wayne Cox. NO THIRD GRADE REPORT RECEIVED. FOURTH GRADE, Corrie Holt and

OUR SICK FOLK:

Jennie Riddle, Stella Choate, Barnes Baker, Jerry Powell West, Ed Walter West, James West, Emma Turner, Nora Underwood, Bernice Warren were all absent Sunday due to illness, Possibly the flu. Some are better and some not yet able to be out. Others on the sick list, who have been sick longer or relatives of members were: CALVIN RAY, about the same; CAROL SUE TAYLOR, is about the same, but is now at Medical Clinic; JOHN MURPIN is better but still at Lively Heights Rest home; LOIS CANTRELL is doing all right; MRS. E.L. FISHER hasn't been well lately; JOHN TURNER has some trouble with an eye; AUSTIN HARRIS is back at home and doing fine now; ALL THE WATSON FAMILY out sick Sunday. LORENE BLANKENSHIP out due to illness.

ONE RESTORED SUNDAY: We rejoiced Sunday to see Brother Roy Clendenon come forward to be restored. Others should follow his example and make eternity sure, that is sure for the right place.

THANKS FOR THE FLOWERS:

The beautiful flowers Sunday were provided by Brother John Robert Porter and we appreciate them so very much.

WE NEED YOU IN BIBLE SCHOOL SUNDAY AT 10:00 A.M. WON'T YOU HELP US TO BUILD A GREATER CHURCH FOR CHRIST?

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IN MEMORIAM

On Tuesday morning March 6, 1962 Sister Laura Agnes Porter said good-bye to the world and all its connections. Although she did as the Psalmist said, "If I ascend up into heaven, thou art there: if I make my bed in hell (Sheol), behold, thou art there" (Psa. 139:8), she is not without God, because God fills the universe and we cannot hide from him nor escape his laws. We are so thankful that Sister Porter realized this "Truth some fifty two or three years ago and yielded herself unto "the Law of the Lord". A year or two before the church building was erected at Earleyville Sister Laura obeyed the gospel when a meeting was conducted under a "brush arbor". From that time until she left this tabernacle of clay she served the Lord. Many times she must have attended services when she would have felt better in the bed, but having a desire to please Christ and finding great pleasure in serving Him she cast aside personal comforts for that which was better. Even now she serves the Lord, but under different and better surroundings. To her children she waits for you to follow and hopes that you will take the upward way that leads to heaven above. She speaks to you, but by the example of obedience to God rather than word of mouth.

We pay honor to Laura Agnes (Oliver) Porter, born July 8, 1886 and departed this world March 6, 1962 having lived more than seventy five years here. She was a native of Warren County and on Sept. 4, 1912 she was married to John Sevier Porter. She leaves three sons: John Robert, James Oliver and Ira Allen. John Robert is one of our faithful members and one of our teachers on Wednesday night. Two brothers G.D. Oliver and J.W. Oliver. We extend to these loved ones our sincere sympathy and pray God's blessings to be with you in your hours of grief and days of adjustment. Your greatest comfort will come from setting your affection (mind) on things above where Christ is and where she has gone to meet him.

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY TO The family of Hilda Lola Pennington who passed away March 3. Her husband is a nephew of Emma Cantrell and Rowena Hedmon. Hilda was a member of the church at Earleyville.

B Y B E E B R I E F S

WE OFFER CONGRATULATIONS TO JOHN SANDERS SULLIVAN AND BEVERLY YATES SULLIVAN, who were united in marriage March 11 at 4 P.M. at the Bybee Branch Church building. Many friends of the couple gathered for the wedding and offered personal congratulations. We hope for them many years of happiness and usefulness in married life.

GOSPEL MEETINGS AND CHURCH ACTIVITY OTHERWISE:

1. The East End Church closes a very successful meeting tonight (March 14). Brother James Watkins has done some fine preaching and we hope you have been there to hear them.
2. Ernest Laws will be preaching in a meeting at Mt. View March 18-25 with services nightly at 7:30. We all know Brother Laws is a faithful preacher and lets back him in this meeting.
3. Fred Mosley will be with the West Sparta church March 19-23 in a teacher training program, and if you have the opportunity go attend this meeting. Classes begin at 7:00 P.M.
4. GUS NICHOLS, one of the greatest preachers of this age will be with us in a meeting April 1-10 and we want every person who can possibly get in the church building to hear him each night. This is an opportunity of a lifetime, so don't let it slip by and fail to attend. Questions which may be bothering you should be presented to him so you may get the greatest possible benefit from his meeting.

WORKING SATURDAY--IF THE WEATHER IS FAIR.

We have some work to be done about the building and we would like for you to come and bring what tools you have to use and help us get things ready for the meeting. Remember Saturday if the weather is fair.

JOE D. GRAY SAYS: "Please give everyone at Bybee my regards from Palestine. The land is very interesting. I look forward to seeing you soon."

MEAL SHEET FOR MEETING: A few more meal appointments for Brother Nichols are open. Sign for your time before the meeting and before they are all gone. You will deprive yourself of great blessings if you fail to have him in your home for a visit.

OUR SICK FOLK:

Carol Sue Taylor is about the same; Calvin Ray is also about as he has been for several weeks; Bernice Warren is still unable to return to work; John Martin is about the same; Lula Baker has been ill this week but was some better Tuesday evening; R.C. Fariss is showing marked improvement at Veteran's Hospital; Ela Fariss is still in Middle Tenn. T.B. Hospital but doing all right. Elaine Foster was able to return to school on Wednesday; Linnie Ruth Smith was absent Sunday due to illness, but is now better; Estelle Laws was ill Sunday; Jerry Powell West, Ed Walter West; James West and Delbert West were all absent due to illness. Mrs. Savage is quite ill at this time.

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY

to the family of Byron Warren, uncle of Buell, who was buried Sunday afternoon and also to the family of General Cantrell, husband of Sister Della Cantrell whose funeral was conducted Sunday afternoon.

GENTLEMEN DON'T FORGET WE NEED YOU FOR A WORKING ON SATURDAY IF THE WEATHER IS SUITABLE. We need to get the job as nearly completed as possible before the meeting begins.

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BYBEE BRIEFS

THE A B C'S OF A SUCCESSFUL GOSPEL MEETING. APR. 1-10

The gospel meeting is not an end within itself! It is a means to an end--the teaching of the gospel to the lost and the strengthening of those who are saved. Therefore, everyone should take part in our meeting April 1-10. Each of us can:

A

Advertise the gospel meeting
Always pray for its success
Abound in Enthusiasm
Absorb all the good lessons
Accept responsibility
Abandon all sin

B

Be present for every service
Bring every friend you can
Be on time for the song service
Bear your share of the drive
Be zealous in your efforts
Be helping us to reach success
Be thankful we have these blessings.

C

CALL and invite friends
Center your thoughts on God
Come expecting to be benefited
Cooperate with God and the elders
Cultivate a love for lost souls
Capitalize on your own influence
Carry your share of the load.

The above adapted from the West Sparta Bulletin.

Every member of this congregation, except those who are shut-ins, can do everything suggested in the above. God will not be pleased with less than our obedience to Him. Give of the best to your Master-- Give of the strength of your youth, middle age or old age, but give your best now and always.

CARD OF APPRECIATION:

"We shall always remember with deep gratitude your comforting expression of sympathy." The Family of Laura Agnes Porter

WE REJOICED:

Last Wednesday evening when Richard Rhea came home from T.P.I. for the holidays, he came to the home of Brother Holt and requested baptism. Brother and Sister Holt were happy to hear him confess his faith and to see him baptized into Christ. He hope for him many happy years of Christian service for Christ.

OUR CONGRATULATION TO PHYLLIS LAWS AND DON SMITH who were married March 10, 1962. We hope they will have many years of happiness together.

THE ANDERSONS LEAVE THIS TERRITORY:

On the 2nd or 3rd of April Brother and Sister Eddie Anderson will leave Morrison to begin work with the church at Grand Blanc (pronounced like Blank), Michigan. Eddie has done a fine work with the church at Morrison and we hate to see them leave us, but hope they will continue to have success in the Lord's work.

MT. VIEW MEETING IN PROGRESS;

Brother Ernest Laws is in a fine meeting with the church at Mt. View. On Tuesday we were glad to see nine from Bybee, although the weather was extremely bad. More may have been there, but we saw nine from Bybee.

OUR MEETING IS UPON US--UP WORK LIKE CHRISTIANS!

With little more than a week to work, we have much to do--posters to place down town--cards to write to friends--telephone calls to make and personal contacts to be made. Are you working for Christ? If not why not? Remember we start April 1. We need your help now and always. Be on hand Sunday for classes and for the worship service too--with your help and yours and yours we will be successful. This should be the greatest meeting this church has ever conducted. We have a great preacher, we have Christians to be edified and sinners to be saved and we have the TRUTH with which to save them--let's arise and work for Christ!

OUR SICK FOLK:

CAROL SUE TAYLOR may be showing a little improvement; CALVIN RAY is about as he has been for several days; DRUE VISA RAY has been quite ill for several days; JOHN MARTIN was able to attend services Sunday for which we were glad; BERNICE WARREN also there and we were so glad she was able to return; R.C. FARISS out of hospital and doing fine; ELA FARISS is doing well but still in Middle Tenn. T.B. Hospital; BRITANNE SAVAGE, Edd Gann's mother-in-law, is quite ill at this time; RICK HICE was sick Sunday; JOE WHITEAKER is much better today; JOHN WOOD is better today; JAMES WEST still ill; FRANK DARNELL had a heart attack on Saturday but was better on Monday.

ATTENTION ALL MEN: We still need to do some work on the church building and grounds and if Saturday is pretty, we will appreciate your helping to get everything ready for the meeting starting Sunday (April 1).

LET'S HAVE A RECORD ATTENDANCE FOR BIBLE SCHOOL AND WORSHIP SUNDAY MORNING AND EVENING. REMEMBER THE NIGHT SERVICE WILL BE AT 7:30 ALL THROUGH THE MEETING INCLUDING SUNDAY NIGHTS.

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APRIL 1, 1962

WHAT WE CAN DO FOR THE MEETING

1. The church has been charged with the responsibility of preaching the gospel, and teaching the people the great principles of Bible truth, and all of us make up the church (Eph. 3:9-11; 1 Tim. 3:15).
2. THE CHURCH IS TO ASSEMBLE DURING A GOSPEL MEETING, and we are the church. "They assembled themselves with the church and taught much people" (Acts 11:26). This means "The whole church. . . come together into one place" (1 Cor. 14:23). Those who obeyed the gospel on Pentecost "Continued steadfastly in the apostles' teaching. . . continuing daily with one accord in the temple", etc (Acts 2:38, 41, 46).
3. As members of the church we are forbidden to absent ourselves from the meetings of the church. (Heb. 10:25) All of us know here at Bybee Branch that a member of the church can sin by neglect of duty the same as by being immoral in conduct (Heb. 2:3; Jas. 4:17) God pronounced a curse upon his people when they failed to come and help Him in his work (Judges 5:23).
4. Christ loved the church and gave himself for it. (Eph. 5:25; Acts 20:28) Now the church must love him in return, or it does not have His Spirit, and is "None of His" (Rom. 8:9). Those who do not love Jesus will be cursed of God (1 Cor. 16:22). Those who do love the Lord will keep his commandments (Jno. 14:21). There is no such thing as loving the Lord while putting other things before the church or kingdom and its work (Mat. 6:33; Jno. 5:3, 4).
5. It is plainly sinful for the church members to lose their first love and become lukewarm in regard to the great work of the church, the "Pillar and ground of the truth" (Rev. 2:4, 5; Rev. 3:14-19; 1 Tim. 3:15). No one can follow Jesus and not be intensely interested in the salvation of the lost and the edification of the church (Lk. 19:10; Eph. 4:8, 11-16; Mat/16:24-26).
6. God will not hear the prayers of members of the church who neglect to worship Him and who fail to do his will (Jno. 4:23-24; 9:31; Prov. 28:9; 1 Pet. 3:12). All of us know that it is God's will for every member at Bybee Branch to be present at every service of our meeting, unless hindered by illness or some

other circumstance over which we have no control (Mat. 7:21; Lk. 6:46; 1 Jno. 2:15-17).

7. We can do as Cornelius did while waiting for the preacher, we can CALL TOGETHER OUR KINSMEN AND NEAR FRIENDS", and then say to the preacher when he arrives, "Now therefore we are all here present before God to hear all things that are commanded thee of God" (Acts 10:24-33). We can "Go and say Come ye" (Isa. 2:3). The church or "bride" is to say, "Come", and we are the church, or the "bride" (Rev. 22:17). We can invite by telephone."

Taken from the Jasper, Ala. Bulletin and the words Bybee Branch inserted for 6th Ave. Sorry space does not permit our giving the whole article.

We ask each member to call those people in the telephone book whose names begin with the same letter that your name begins with. Do your part for the meeting.

BYBEE BRIEFS

Brother J.E. SANDERS, 1999⁴⁵ Regent, Detroit 5, Mich. will be celebrating his 92 (I believe it is) birthday April 8. He would be glad to have a card shower from his friends in Warren County. Send him a card!

BIBLE SCHOOL PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR MARCH, 1962.

PRE-SCHOOL: Teresa Cantrell, Jane Cox, Eddie Hice, Regina Cantrell, John Cox, Denice Cantrell, Diane Kirby, Carolyn Hice, Steve Wood, Randy Griffith, Dale Holmes.

FIRST GRADE: Tessie Sharp, Debbie Cantrell, Greg Brock, Donna Young, Elaine Foster, Ricky Jones.

SECOND GRADE: Judy Leatherwood, Charlotte Cox, Eddie Kirby, Wayne Cox.

THIRD GRADE: Mike Foster, David Holmes, Allen Kirby, Angelia Jones, Jane Green, Carol Newby, Dickie Martin. In February this class failed to report, but they had Mike Foster, Dickie Martin, Allen Kirby, Angelia Jones, Jane Green, Carol Newby, Gen Riddle (Feb & March)

FOURTH GRADE: Susan Cooper, Carol Glenn, Gary Gribble, Bruce Griffith, Judy Mitchell, Nora Louise Underwood, Gail Cope.

FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADES:

Douglas Newby, Steve Young, Joel Greene, Mary Gann, Lucille Cox, Tamara Womack, Susan Ford, Shirley Yates. Congratulations to each and every one of you and to the teachers who have done so well teaching you.

appreciate your efforts and the Lord shall reward you for your labors.

ONE-RESTORED TUESDAY NIGHT:

We rejoiced when at the closed of the sermon on Tuesday night Bessie Holt, Route 4, came to be restored to her first love. There are several more who are in need of the same thing. There are many who need to be baptized.

HINDERING CAUSES:

There are members of the congregation who are not attending the meeting—people who are able to come, and who would come if you had the Lord and his work at heart. If you loved the lost souls as you should. Friends, you better wake up! Some may stand in judgment and condemn you with, "You never mentioned Him to me".

OUR SICK FOLK:

Last Sunday we had the following on the sick list: Carol Sue Taylor, Calvin Ray, Gary Gribble, Britanne Savage, Walter, Delcise, Jerry Powell, Ed Walter, and James West, Dora West, Drue Visa Ray. Jane Smith, Louise and Barton's daughter-in-law.

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APRIL 8, 1962

IN MEMORIAM

On the morning of March 29, 1962 Sister Mary Emma McAfee, better known as Mrs. J.B. McAfee, peacefully slipped away to meet her husband whom she had longed to join, and to be with her Father in heaven whom she had served sixty-one years. This is a wonderful record, and one for the children to try to equal or better. Although she was not able to attend church services after we moved to McMinnville she listened to all gospel preaching she could get over the radio programs. Sister McAfee suffered long, and was kind with it--a trait of a Christian in service to the Master. One of the children told us the night she died, as we watched life ebb away, that for years she had never been free from pain of her disease, but she did not always complain--she looked forward to being where pain is no more, and now that she has completed life here, we rejoice in the hope which she possessed for sixty-one years. The children "call her blessed" and we commend them to God and the word of his grace which is able to build them up and give them the inheritance among them that are sanctified in Christ(See Acts 20:32). Our sincere sympathy is extended to all the family.

A SUCCESSFUL GOSPEL MEETING.

We are off to a fine start in the meeting. For the first time in the history of the congregation we are having day services. We started with 70 on Monday, Tuesday we had 90 in attendance and Monday night the crowd was good, but we anticipate larger crowds and we think you will be missing much if you fail to attend the meeting every service.

For a meeting to be successful every member of the local congregation must feel the responsibility of attending the meeting regularly and making every effort possible to get friends to attend--friends who are not members of the church. If you get them to come we believe Brother Nichols will present the truth in a manner which will instruct and move them to obedience. Don't just ask them once, but many times if necessary, and bring them time and again so they will hear enough to know what they need to do

to obey God and have the forgiveness of sins. Seldom does one hear enough in one sermon to convince him that he is wrong and God must be obeyed. We become impatient before the preacher can present that much truth. So do your part to bring people to hear the truth and we will depend on Brother Nichols to do the rest--that's the teaching.

BYBEE BRIEFS

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY OF MRS. JOE BLANKENSHIP. Mrs. Blankenship was a sister-in-law of Sister Lorene Blankenship who worships at Bybee, and she was the wife of a cousin of Eunice Boren. Her funeral was conducted April 3.

400 FOR BIBLE SCHOOL SUNDAY.

Several times we have come close to 400 for the classes during gospel meetings, but always we have lacked a little working hard enough to reach the goal. We would like for you to make a special effort this Sunday(April 8) to reach that goal. There should be enough visitors who want to hear Brother Nichols to come at 10 A.M. and help us realize this number. So we are asking you to ask every person with whom you talk this week to come and help us.

FLOWERS APPRECIATED:

We are always grateful for flowers to grace the church building. Flowers were placed here by God and they, the birds, the beautiful are some of the extra things of life God wants us to enjoy--they are added proof of his love for his own and that he rules the world. The David Lee Store furnished those for last Sunday and Sister Mary Lou Williams has provided some since that time.

WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR YOUR HELP:

Those who are helping with the transportation for the afternoon services are doing a fine work. We are grateful for your assistance. You may never know how much good may come from your bringing some one to hear the truth--it may be the means of saving a soul from hell. So keep up the good work and let us enlarge our attendance each day. Some have loaned your car for use, others have been going to bring people to the service, both of which are useful. We

SICK REPORT:

DORA WEST not well last few days; JOHN PATTERSON is quite ill at this time and to be taken to the hospital today; CLYDE CANTRELL is recovering nicely following surgery Sunday; MRS. LOCEY ELROD is in the Clinic; CAROL SUE TAYLOR about the same; CALVIN RAY also about as he has been for some time; no late word from BRITANNE SAVAGE; DRUE VISA RAY was some better the last report.

CONGRATULATIONS TO

Homer and Sue Kirby whose son Homer Edward III was born April 5. He weighed 6 Lb. 12¹/₂ Oz. Homer Sr. and Nannie are really smiling these days too. Congratulations to all the family.

WE APPRECIATE THE FLOWERS FOR THE MEETING:

Our thanks to Dickey's Flowers; Grace's Flowers and McMinnville Flower Shop who sent flowers during the meeting. Also individuals gave flowers and for these we say thank you so very much.

IF WEATHER PERMITS LET'S HAVE A WORKING SATURDAY!

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY TO the family of Stella Green who was killed in a car wreck last week. She was a cousin of Brother Marler.



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APRIL 15, 1962

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR FEBRUARY 1962 BY A.A.ALLISON

BALANCE ON HAND FEBRUARY 1, 1962		372.24
CONTRIBUTION FEB. 4	248.29	
" 11	228.46	
" 18	225.80	
" 25	<u>219.92</u>	
Total Contributions	922.47	<u>922.47</u>
TOTAL TO ACCOUNT FOR IN FEBRUARY		1294.71

EXPENDITURES FOR FEBRUARY:

Womack Bros. Fruits-Benevolence)	37.55	
McMinnville Flower Shop	15.00	
Cash(Postage bulletins Jan.&Feb.	38.23	
Carl Wood(Custodian)	40.00	
Calvin Ray(Custodian)	40.00	
BuFord Holt(Salary)	380.88	
Middle-Tenn. Gas Dist.	63.58	
Acme School Supply Co.	11.92	
McMinnville Water &Sewer	2.44	
J.N. Foster(Labor and Materials)	27.05	
Gospel Advocate(Subscriptions and Materials)	44.45	
McMinnville Electric	63.18	
Joe Rigsby(Radio Programs)	35.00	
Womack Printing(Bulletin Material	95.85	
McMinnville Mfg. Co. (Materials)	23.48	
McMinnville Concrete Block "	1.75	
Pearsall Sign Service	18.00	
Hargrove Office Supply	2.25	
Griffith Warren Hdware	45.85	
Carson Upton(Bus Service)	100.00	
B.C. Morton(Wm. Miller Mission Wk)	10.00	
Wallace Beasley(Mission Wk.)	20.00	
W.L. Cooper(Air Cond. Fund)	<u>100.00</u>	
Total Expenditures for Feb.	1216.36	<u>1216.36</u>
BALANCE ON HAND FEBRUARY 28, 1962		78.35

We are grateful to Brother Allison for another month of tireless and painstaking work which was necessary to give us a fine report of the finances of the church. If every person did as much work for the cause of Christ as the treasurer does each month we would have much more accomplished and the results would show much greater also.

BYBEE BRIEFS

OUR GOSPEL MEETING NOW HISTORY:

The meeting closed last evening with a fine lesson on the Battle For the Minds of Men. The experimental day services proved to be very successful. We had a low of 59 and a high of 121 and a daily average of 83 which was very good in consideration of the working conditions among us. The preaching was true to the word of God. Brother Nichols did a splendid job all through the meeting. Two were restored and one was baptized. We have asked Brother Nichols to return at the earliest possible date after our 1964 meeting. We thank every person in the congregation and otherwise who helped the meeting by advertising and attending. We detected people from 45 congregations who attended the meeting. I am sure others came also and we did not know from what congregation they came. This fine cooperation is wonderful indeed. Now that the meeting is over, let us look forward to the VBS and other work before us.

WE REJOICED WHEN:

1. Bessie Holt Route 4 was restored(Reported last week in detail.
2. Grady Cantrell 807 N.Chancery St. Restored.
3. Patricia Walker Route 4 (Baptized)

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Billy and Evelyn Cantrell who have another fine baby girl---not named yet. She was born April 7 and weighed 8 pounds and 9 ounces. Mother and daughter doing well. Evelyn and baby in Faulkner Springs Hospital.

TRAINING FOR SERVICE PROGRAM AT PIKEVILLE APR. 17-20

The Pikeville church invites you to have a part with the churches of the Pikeville area in this program. Brother Holt is to have a part each night and he will appreciate your support also.

GOSPEL MEETINGS IN PROGRESS:

Esten Macon at Bethany with services at 10:30 A.M. and 7:30 P.M. Continue through April 18.

Albert Lemmons at Bonner with services 7:30 P.M. We encourage you to attend these meetings. I believe this meeting continues through April 18 also.

OUR SICK PEOPLE:

CLYDE CANTRELL is back at home and doing fine; DORA WEST is not doing so well at this time; JOHN GREENE is very ill at this time, having had two strokes on Saturday and Sunday; AGGIE BELL MILLER was able to be at services Sunday following an illness last week; WALTER WEST was ill Sunday; BRITANNE SAVAGE was slightly improved last Sunday; CAROL SUE TAYLOR and CALVIN RAY remain about as they have for weeks; STEVE WOOD was ill Sunday night but better now; NOEL FOSTER is better also; RUTH STUBBLEFIELD underwent surgery on Wednesday and is doing as well as to be expected at this time; ZADA BELL Sain is able to be out now;

DRUCILLA HUSSEY was able to be at services Wednesday night; MILDRED GLENN missed Sunday night service due to illness; EULA FOSTER is some better, but almost had pneumonia; JOHN ROBERT PORTER became ill during the class Sunday morning and missed the evening service.

OUR PROJECT AT THE CHURCH BUILDING IS NOT YET FINISHED. Come Saturday and help us complete this work. We need to repair the gutter work and the drainage system to keep the water out of the basement. With the help of several it would not take long to complete the job.

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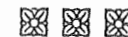
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APRIL 22, 1962

BYBEE BRIEFS

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR MARCH 1962 BY A.A. ALLISON

BALANCE ON HAND MARCH 1, 1962		78.35	
CONTRIBUTIONS FOR MARCH			
MARCH	4	270.00	
"	11	260.36	
"	18	265.65	
"	25	<u>267.75</u>	
Total Contributions		1063.76	<u>1063.76</u>
TOTAL TO ACCOUNT FOR IN MARCH			<u>1142.11</u>

EXPENDITURES FOR MARCH:

Calvin Ray (Custodian) *	50.00	
Carl Wood (Custodian) *	50.00	
Middle Tenn. Gas Dist.(Feb)	36.67	
Buford C.Holt(Salary) 5Wks*	482.80	
McMinnville Water & Sewer	2.44	
Dickey's Flowers	7.50	
Hargrove Office Supply	17.85	
(Typewriter Repair)		
McMinnville Flower Shop	7.50	
Joe Rigsby(WAKI Programs)	35.00	
Gospel Advocate(Subs.payment)	26.50	
Benevolence(Cash)	15.00	
McMinnville Electric	45.40	
Postage(Bulletins & Cards)	23.87	
Middle Ten.Gas Dist.(March)	34.69	
J.A. Dillon(Insurance)	24.27	
Harold Laws(Bldg. Materials)	41.68	
Carson Upton (Bus Service)	100.00	
W.L. Cooper(Air Cond Fund)	100.00	
Wm. Miller(Mission Work)	10.00	
Wallace Beasley(Mission Work)	20.00	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR MARCH	1131.17	<u>1131.17</u>
BALANCE ON HAND MARCH 31, 1962		10.94

*The Custodian payments and the minister's salary both show five weeks. This means that one payment is for April 1, which came on Sunday. They were written on Saturday night March 31 for next day, but show on March account. April which has five Sundays will show four payments.

We thank Brother Allison for the great amount of work he puts on the books each month.

A CORRECTION:

Several weeks ago an announcement was made publicly and through this bulletin that Don Smith and Phyllis Laws were married on March 10. We later learned that they were not married at that time, but they married later. We offer our apologies for this error on our part and assure you we want always to make accurate statements. The error was not actually on our part, but mis-information passed on to us.

CARD OF APPRECIATION

We gratefully acknowledge your kind expression of sympathy. The Family of Mrs. J.B. McAfee.

OUR SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED to the family of Mrs. Dawsie Walker, whose funeral was conducted on Wednesday. She was the mother of Sister Busey.

VBS TIME IS APPROACHING

City High school closes May 28. On that day the students report for their report cards. According to arrangements in previous years we have our VBS the week following. If the elders approve this arrangement again this year our VBS will be June 4-8. The elders have their meeting Sunday April 22 and we can make definite announcement after that time.

PIKEVILLE LECTURES:

The lecture series or training for service series is now in progress and we think it is doing much good. The crowds are in keeping with the surroundings of the territory and thus the spirit of cooperation is accomplishing good for the cause of Christ.

ACTIVITY FOR OUR YOUNG PEOPLE:

The elders in the last business meeting decided to ask different families to have the high school boys and girls in their homes for some wholesome activity. The older people can work with this too. We plan for some younger couples to plan the games etc. and the older ones to provide the homes and the refreshments. You may have grandchildren--they need your consideration, so we hope you will cooperate with us in this supervised activity for the young people.

work of this kind. The attendance was good and the fellowship among the churches of that area was very good. The brethren are planning for another series next year.

OUR SICK FOLK: CAROL SUE TAYLOR is about as she has been for several weeks; CALVIN RAY is about as he has been for several days also; DORA WEST is unable to sit up for any length of time; CLYDE CANTRELL is doing fine; EULA FOSTER is some better; BRITANNA SAVAGE is slightly better; RUTH STUBBLEFIELD is doing all right following surgery in Chattanooga; EMMA TURNER is slightly better, and JOHN TURNER is now sick but improved slightly; ALLIE NEWBY has shingles but doing very well; MATTIE WOMACK due to go to Vanderbilt for tests; MARY JO ELROD is some better. EDDITH FUSTON has had flu, but better now.

JOE D. GRAY AT WESTWOOD FOR MEETING APRIL 29-MAY 6. Remember you are needed at Bybee when we have our services, so plan to attend Westwood's meeting on other nights than when you are needed at home. Go and support Joe in this meeting. Services 7:30 each night. W.J. Lemons at Eureka in a meeting at the same time with services at 7:30 P.M. They will be glad to have you support their meeting also. The gospel is for all and all need to help spread it--so help all you can all the time.

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APRIL 29, 1962

IN MEMORIAM

Sunday evening April 22, 1962 Brother John B. Greene peacefully and silently "folded his tent" and slipped away. After more than sixty years on the battlefield for the Master he ended his warfare, having won his victory against the enemy of all mankind. What a wonderful thought! What a comforting thought! The children have no regrets at seeing him go, because they too have faith in the eternal happiness of one whose life was spent for Christ. They shall miss him as we have missed our departed loved ones, but they can rejoice, like all others who have lost them, knowing their lives were spent for the Lord.

Brother and Sister John B. Greene reared three sons and a daughter, who survive. All of these are members of the church. Peyton and Violet are faithful members at Bybee Branch. George is one of the elders at Oakland (if I'm not mistaken), and W.H. is a member in Chattanooga. These children remain as monuments to lives dedicated to Christ and to Christian principles. Eternity alone will reveal the extent of the good accomplished by these parents, the mother having departed long before I knew any of them. Brother John was unable to see for the past three or four years, but he did not complain. When we would visit him--usually when the children were away at work, we always found him peaceful and calm, without complaint and resigned to his lot in life. Like Paul he had "learned, in whatsoever state I am, therein to be content" (Phil. 4:11). Such lessons are of great value, although we often fail to see their value at the time we are learning the lesson. Life indeed is a school where God's children learn to obey, learn to live, and learn to love according to the Lord's standard.

To all the family, the members of the church at Bybee Branch extend our sincere sympathy and pray God's richest blessings to rest upon you in your days of adjustment to life without him. The God he served, the God you serve is able to make all things abound to your good and future happiness if you will but lean upon His everlasting arm and let Him guide you through the shadows which now surround you. The sunshine will soon be yours to enjoy. BCH.

BYBEE BRIEFS

CARD OF APPRECIATION: The family of Mrs. Dawsie Walker acknowledges with grateful appreciation your kind expression of sympathy.

YOUNG PEOPLE FELLOWSHIP MEETING:

The elders of the Bybee Branch church are planning for a day of fellowship and Christian worship for the young people of Warren County and surrounding counties for the 16th of June. We plan to invite the young people (high school and college age) to come and be with us on this given day. Different young men will be asked to make brief talks; singing will be enjoyed by all and then a picnic lunch or supper (details to be worked out later) will be spread on the grounds at the rear of the building. We hope the brethren at other places will help us to make this successful. We will notify the churches closer to the time.

BURNS, OREGON IN OUR MISSION PROGRAM.

In January and February of 1961 Brother Holt went to Burns, Oregon for a mission meeting. The church there is weak and they have asked us for help. We are planning to assist them beginning in July, the Lord willing. This will allow us time to eliminate some pressing obligations at home. Every Christian should rejoice to be able to help spread the gospel in the world.

MAY 5 IS HIGH SCHOOL DAY AT LIPSCOMB:

David Lipscomb college invites high school students (9, 10, 11 and 12 grades) to be their guests on May 5 for a wonderful day with young people of other towns and states. Those who desire to go see Brother Holt immediately so arrangements can be made. If enough want to go to secure a bus we can make the trip for \$1.00 per student. Leave the church grounds here at 7 A.M. and get back about 8-8:30 P.M.

OUR SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO the family of Otis Gribble whose funeral was conducted Sunday afternoon. He was a brother-in-law of Ellis Moore.

TRAINING FOR SERVICE AT PIKEVILLE SUCCESSFUL:

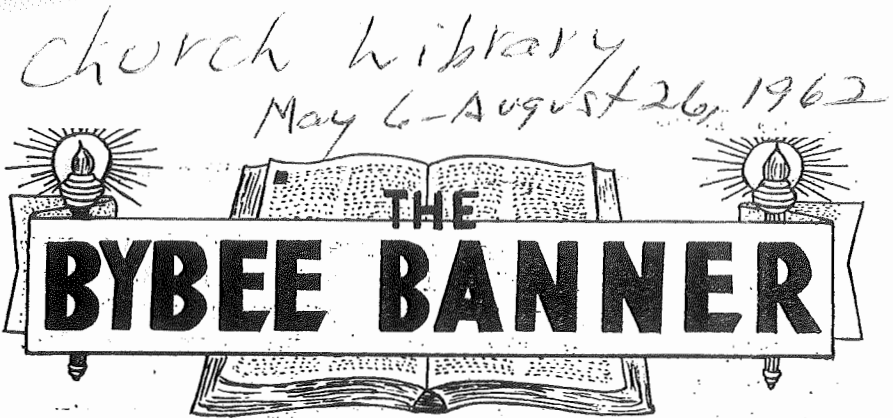
Brother Holt enjoyed the training series last week, and appreciates the invitation to have a part in the

OUR SICK PEOPLE:
 CLYDE CANTRELL able to attend services Sunday; CAROL SUE TAYLOR and CALVIN RAY about the same as they have been for weeks; JIMMY NEWBY back from hospital and doing fine; ALLIE NEWBY is not so well today; DORA WEST still unable to be up; JESSE ELROD had a heart attack Sunday night, but slightly improved last night; MARY JO ELROD is better; MATTIE WOMACK still undergoing tests; BRITANNIE SAVAGE not so well; RUTH STUBBLEFIELD came home Sunday morning; JOHN AND EMMA TURNER both better now.

SELF EXAMINATION:

Every member of the church needs to make a personal check on himself/herself to see if you are measuring up to God's standard of faithfulness. Are you attending the Bible school, the morning and evening worship and the Wednesday night services. Are you really giving to the Lord as you know you should. We have people who fail to attend services any time they choose. This shows unfaithfulness to Christ and a danger sign for your soul.

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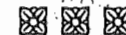


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MAY 6, 1962

TRENDS OF OUR TIME--DANGEROUS TRENDS FOR ALL

We are living during times which have very dangerous trends. Within the last month from two sources I have learned of pressure by the PTA to force the schools to have the Jr. Sr. Proms, when actually the students do not care for them. It seems parents are determined to make dancers of their children.

Another recent happening is the action by members of the church, who serve as members of the law enforcing body, to give a beer license. If five members of the legal body had voted against the license (according to a newspaper reporter), the application would have been defeated. But a former court had granted another man a beer license! We might as well say a former group robbed us of precious possessions--therefore we should allow the next robbers the same rights. We could not enforce laws because some former officer failed to do so. It is strange to note that members of the church will bring reproach upon Christ by bringing moresin into the world for him to remove. "Shall we continue in sin, that grace may abound? God forbid." (Rom. 6:1,2). Oh for men of courage and character to fill the places of leadership in our community!

Another trend is the forbidding, in some states, of Bible reading in the schools, while we allow the text books to be written by atheists. "Quo Vadis" (whither goest thou) America? The fountain does not rise higher than its beginning--the country does not rise above its leadership--the church does not rise higher than its leadership either. It is time Christians should awake and do all they possibly can to correct the errors of the past, rather than take the lead in making more and greater errors. "Awake, thou that sleepest, and arise from the dead, and Christ shall shine upon thee." (Eph. 5:14). BCH.

B Y B E E B R I E F S

YOUNG PEOPLE INVITED TO DINNER FRIDAY 6 P.M.
The parents who want to provide some wholesome entertainment for their children, rather than allow them to go to the school dance, are asked to provide them with the money for a meal at Hillcrest Restaurant. Following the meal they are invited to attend the meeting at Westwood. Following the preaching there will be some activity for the group.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR APRIL:

PRE-SCHOOL: Teresa Cantrell, Jane Cox, Kenny Russell, Eddie Hice, Regina Cantrell, John Cox, Diane Kirby, Carolyn Hice, Becky Brock, Randy Griffith.

THIRD GRADE: Mike Foster, David Holmes, Allen Kirby, Angelia Jones, Jane Green, Carol Newby, Gen Riddle, Jimmie Shields.

FIRST AND SECOND no report yet.

FOURTH GRADE: Carol Glenn, Gary Gribble, Bruce Griffith, Susan Cooper, Judy Mitchell, Gail Cope, Nora Louise Underwood. Don Herron and Phyllis Henderson became new students during the month.

FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADES: Douglas Newby, Steve Young, Joel Green, Mary Gann, Lucille Cox, Tamara Womack, Susan Ford, Shirley Yates, Sandra Davis. Congratulations to each and every one.

RAY MELTON BAPTIZED: Ray Melton was baptized at Westwood Tuesday night. We offer our most hearty congratulations to him in this great step in life.

VBS DATE RESET. MAY 28-JUNE 1 THE TIME.

Due to the plans of the teachers we have changed the date from June 4-8 to May 28-June 1. That means the time is close at hand and we need the assistance of all in this work. We will publish the list of teachers later. Help us to have all the boys and girls present for the school. This is a great week in their lives, so help us to make it one filled with rich spiritual blessings.

SUNDAY NIGHT SERVICE AT 6:00 P.M.

In order for those who want to hear Brother Willard Collins, to be able to attend the services Sunday night we are having services at 6 P.M. rather than at 6:30. If this proves to be a more desirable time then we may change the time permanently. Don't forget that Sunday night we will meet at 6 P.M.

OUR SICK FOLK:

DEBRA CANTRELL is due to have surgery in Washington the latter part of the week; LOFTON SMARTT went home Sunday; JUDY MITCHELL out sick Sunday; L.E. SPAIN had surgery in Nashville last week; Angelia Jones is better and we hope back in school; EMMA TURNER was able to be in attendance Sunday; ALLIE NEWBY also back (WE were glad to see them both); DORA WEST about the same; MATTIE WOMACK back home and doing better; JESSE ELROD is doing much better, but still in hospital; EARLENE RAY has had back trouble but able to return to work; CALVIN RAY is about the same; CAROL SUE TAYLOR not as well over week end, but showing some signs of throwing off the virus.

YOUNG PEOPLE (HIGH SCHOOL AGE) invited to a get-together Thursday at the grounds at rear of church building. Time: 5-7:15 P.M.

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V.B.S. MAY 28--JUNE 1--TIME FOR ALL TO GET BUSY!!!

The annual VBS at Bybee Branch has always produced problems, at least since I have been connected with the church. First, we have never had enough space to allow us to advertise for children in the way we would like, for we want them to come and study with us. The basement space is usually filled to the capacity in all rooms. We have had ample room in the auditorium for more, but our problem has been that many of the adults have to work. The auditorium class has always been a good one, but where our means for doing is the largest, the class does not occupy all our space, although we have had more in the adult class than any class in school. Another problem we have faced each year, is the proper staffing of the classed, due to job requirements in certain key positions of our VBS. This year we have no exception, because we still have the uncertainties although for the time we have teachers selected, but some are subject to call at a moments notice--we hope we will be able to complete our school before any teachers are called out of town. Another problem we annually meet is the selection of a time that will be to the best interest of every teacher. Each year we have had wonderful VBS by all working together even though there have been problems. We expect another fine school this year also, because we are expecting the same fine cooperation from teachers and pupils we have enjoyed in former years. Problems are good for us in that it makes us work to overcome them, and we can overcome all our problems, except the space for children--and in time we hope that will be overcome too. Boys and girls, we want you to tell your friends about our VBS and bring children until we will have to have classes under the trees. Tell your class mates--tell your parents to come and let's make this the greatest school we have ever had in spite of the fact that we need more class rooms. This can show us how much we can do with little. We know our teachers will do their best to make the class work interesting and helpful. We will be calling upon some of the adults, who do not teach, to assist us in other ways than teaching. All adults are encouraged to attend and help in every way possible. We'll see you in VBS.

BYBEE BRIEFS

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR SENIORS:

Graduating from Central High is Wanda Whiteaker (I'm sorry I omitted her name Sunday, but did not know until later that Wanda is a senior) and Nancy Green. From City High we have Ronnie Cantrell, Gary Cooper, Don Griffith and Jimmie Griffith. If there are any others among us who are seniors please tell me so I may list them also. Congratulations all!

MORE PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR APRIL:

The First Grade: Greg Brock, Terry Warren, Ricky Jones, Tessie Sharp, Donna Young, Elaine Foster and Debbie Cantrell. Second Grade: Judy Leatherwood, Charlotte Cox, Eddie Kirby, Wayne Cox. Congratulation to you for a fine record.

LETTER OF APPRECIATION FROM TENNESSEE ORPHAN HOME:

Several days ago we received a letter of appreciation from Brother Richer, thanking us for the clothing for Dean Morgan. This assures us that the clothing was received. We are glad to have a part in caring for this child.

CARDS OF APPRECIATION RECEIVED:

1. The family of John B. Greene acknowledges with deep appreciation your kind expression of sympathy.
2. Thanks so very much for your gift. You will never know how much your gift was appreciated. We would like to thank you from the bottom of our hearts for making it possible to take Carol Sue home. May God bless, you. Family of Carol Sue Taylor.

Bybee Branch contributed \$135 or more to this fund before the PTSA etc. started asking for funds. We appreciate the assistance from every person who gave to help Carol Sue. BCH.

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY to the family of Guy Dickerson, Harriet Gray's father, whose funeral was conducted Monday afternoon.

JOE D. GRAY HERE THURSDAY NIGHT:

Brother Gray will show pictures of his trip to the far east concerning mission work Thursday night at 7:30 at the Bybee Branch church building. Come all!

start. We have always had a fine school because the teachers did their part well, and the children all cooperated and that is sure to make a successful VBS. Next week we will have schedules inserted in the bulletin. This week there is an AD which will help the children to become interested. These inserts will appear only in the local bulletins--those which are mailed in McMinnville and the county.

OUR SICK FOLK:

PHYLLIS HENDERSON had to miss services Sunday; DORA WEST is still in Medical Clinic, but may get to return home Wednesday; CALVIN RAY is about as he has been for some time; RICKY JONES had measles last Sunday and had to miss class; CAROL SUE TAYLOR was taken home Saturday and had a good night. Those who attend her seem to think she is improving some; LILIAN CAMPRELL had minor surgery last week. She is visiting with her daughter in Nashville. JESSE ELROD is to go home this week from Mid-State Baptist Hospital; DONNA KAY CAMPRELL has been quite sick but is better.

CONGRATULATIONS ARE DUE:

Ralph and Joyce Griffith have a fine new son, born Monday. They have named him Brent Eugene. He entered the world with a weight of 8 pounds and 3 ounces.

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NEW LINE OF THOUGHT FOR EVENINGS

For several weeks we have followed a general line of thought on the life of Christ. This has been a much needed series and not yet completed, but we believe a new line of thinking for a few weeks will be a profitable change. So beginning Sunday evening May 20 at 6 P.M. we hope to have the first of several chart sermons. We have not used the charts or chalk board for some time now and we need to renew this method of teaching. We hope every member will make an effort to be present for these chart lessons. They will not be on the same subject, but various subjects taught by the assistance of the eyes with the ears.

The meeting at West Riverside church will be in progress, but we are having services at 6 P.M. to enable you to attend at home and at West Riverside also. You owe the home congregation your loyal support and those who do not feel this obligation, fail to appreciate the work the local congregation is doing. If every member showed as little loyalty and as little love for the work at home we could close the doors, sell the property and no one would ever be any less happy they they now are. It is to be regretted that we have members who have so little care for the work the church is striving to accomplish.

Others find it easy to attend early services so they can take off to parts unknown for the day, and leave the home congregation "holding the bag" so to speak financially, because you did not care whether the financial obligations were met or not. It is time for us to awaken to the realities of life--to face our responsibilities like men and women of real worth--Christian men and women who care more for the success of the "home church" than you do of making everything convenient for you. Just suppose you treat the light, water and gas companies like you treat the local work and see how long you receive the services of the Light, water and Gas companies. Brethren, until we resolve to meet our obligations face to face and place "FIRST THINGS FIRST"--be at your places every service-- we will have an attendance problem and a financial problem which has no right to exist and which could be corrected with some loyalty on the part of the members of the local congregation.

BYBEE BRIEFS

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY TO:

1. The family of Roy A. Vanhooser, brother of Sister Roy Hardcastle who passed to his reward from his home in Ada, Oklahoma, last Saturday May 12, 1962. Sis. Hardcastle went to be with the family for the funeral.
2. To the family of Mrs. Vallie High, mother of Bro. John High, who had comforted so many people in the time of their distress. Grief knows no bounds, but can be controlled and overcome by the faithful children of God. May God bless the members of these families who remain to grieve.
3. Brother Holt received a call Sunday that a close friend of their in Nashville had been called home. We extend sympathy to the loved ones of Norene Carey whose funeral was conducted Tuesday.

A LESSON FORGOTTEN

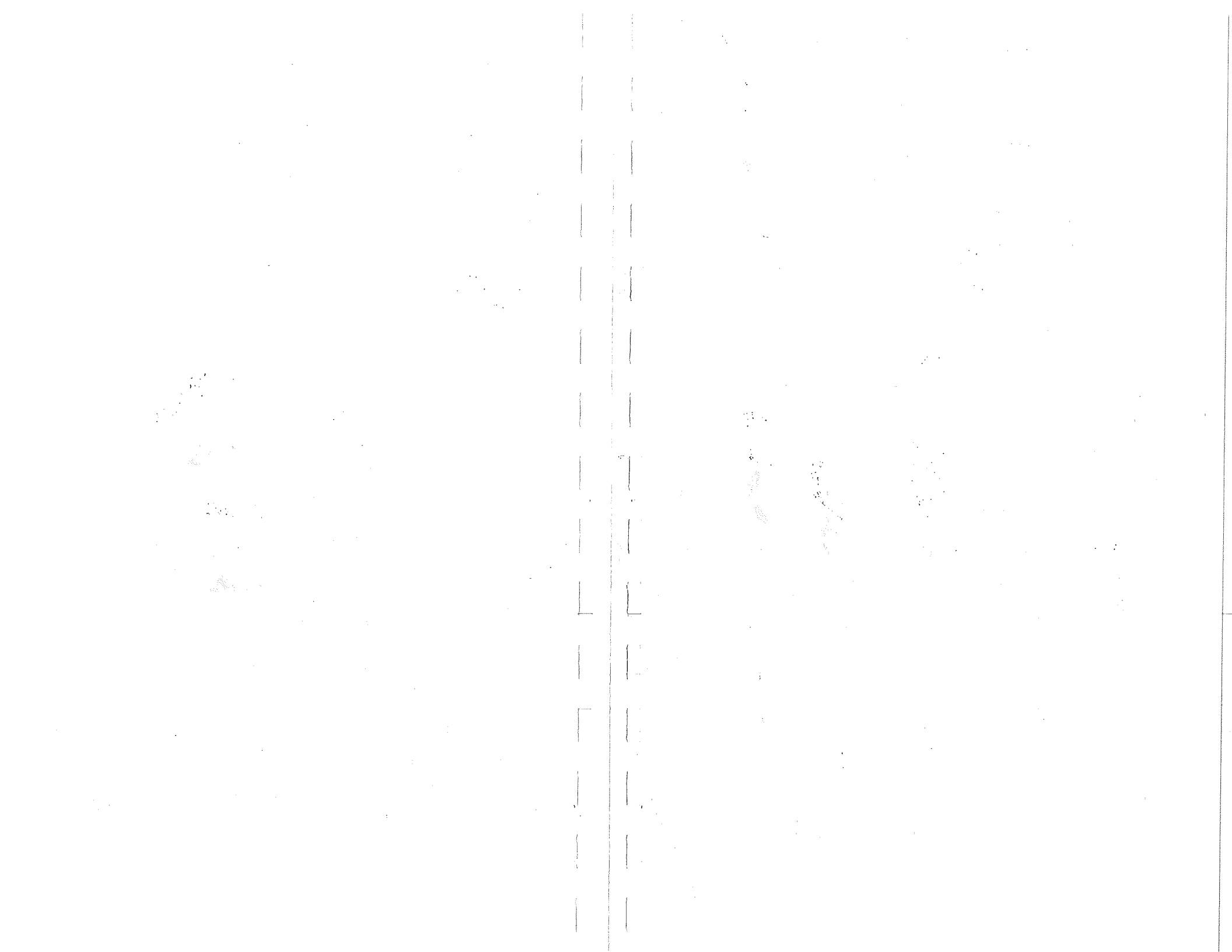
Sunday May 6, I played you a brief account of your loud talking, just before the worship services started. That lesson was forgotten within the week, for last Sunday we were so noisy. Part of it went over the radio station, you thought no one would ever be any wiser--a sad mistake, because some heard and were disappointed. This reminds me of God's command to keep the Sabbath in the Old Testament times. They violated the rule within the week it was given. Both the picking up of sticks and the gathering of too much manna resulted in turning people from God. So let's remember next Sunday and remain quiet before the service begins.

YOUNG PEOPLE GATHERING:

Remember that on June 16 we plan to HOST a gathering of the young people of this area. There will be singing and talks made, all by young men who are preparing themselves for leadership in the church. After the services there will be a season of fellowship on the grounds to the rear of the church building. Let's begin to talk this now and have everything in readiness for that time.

V.B.S. IS CLOSE AT HAND--MAY 28--JUNE 1.

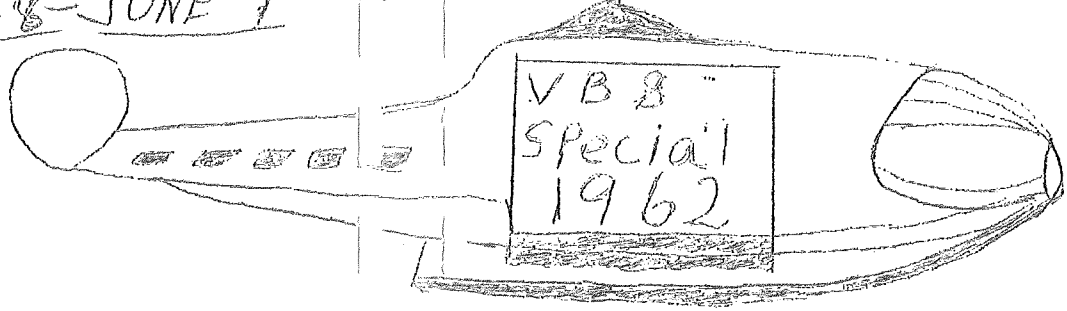
Those of you who are still in school, remember to get your report cards early and come directly to the VBS from the schools so we can get off to a good



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WITH US MAY 28 - JUNE 1

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The Bybee Branch Church
of Christ

OUR SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO:

1. The family of Mrs. Elmer Poss Jr. who was killed in a car wreck last week.
2. The family of Will Oliver whose funeral is to be conducted in Chattanooga this afternoon. He is an uncle of John Robert Porter.

WE REJOICED to see Terry Womack come forward to obey the gospel Sunday morning. Terry is already a fine song leader and will be able to do much good in the church.

OUR SICK FOLK:

CALVIN RAY about the same; so is CAROL SUE TAYLOR; JIM CANTRELL is doing very well following his accident on Saturday; LILLIAN CANTRELL is doing well; LUCILLE NEWBY is better; DORA WEST still unable to sit up; LOUISE WOOD been ordered to take rest; ADA TRAMMEL ill at this time; TOM HIGGINS in Medical Clinic; LAURA ASKEW able to be with us Sunday; WALLACE AND BETTY BEASLEY'S CHILDREN both ill Sunday; MIKE FOSTER has had scarlatina but all right now. HEAR JOE SANDERS FRIDAY MAY 25 when he delivers the commencement address at City High School. 7:30 P.M.

IF YOU CAN HELP WITH THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S FELLOWSHIP MEETING SEE DORA WILCHER.

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MAY 27, 1962

WHAT DO YOU THINK IS BEST?

Several weeks ago one of the ladies approached me about changing the time of our Sunday evening services to an earlier hour. After thinking of her suggestion I approached the other elders and made known her request. They were willing to give it a try, so During the West Riverside meeting and the school closing we had the services at 6 P.M. So many attended these services that we could not determine whether this would be a better time than the usual hour or not, so on Sunday night the announcement was made that unless we heard expressions from the members desiring to keep the earlier hour we would have services May 27 at the accustomed time of 6:30 P.M. After services several left word with Sister Thomas Green that they prefer the 6P.M. time. Others have likewise expressed themselves to me. **BE IT KNOWN THAT THE ELDERS WANT TO ACCOMODATE THE CHURCH** and have the services at the most convenient time for them to attend. Will you then express yourselves to the elders as to which time will be most convenient for you. The elders will attend whichever time the church prefers. We hope whichever time is most acceptable to the most people will find you, even if a little inconvenienced, cooperating with the whole group to make the work go forward as in the past. In the past we have often had evening services at an earlier time to permit me to preach at home and in a meeting the same night. This spirit of cooperation has been appreciated and is still appreciated, because it has enabled me to enlarge my work of preaching the gospel. If you like the 6 P.M. services I will still be able to preach at two places on Sunday evenings, but either way your presence at the Sunday evening services is needed and appreciated. Please express yourselves to the elders for the sake of doing the **MOST** good for the **MOST** people at the **MOST CONVENIENT** time. BCH.

Shepherd Hotel on the Banks of Nile River near where Moses was drawn out of the water, and I have seen old city of Pharaoh where Moses was brought up in king's palace--Heb.11:24;Acts 7).Been in land of Goshen--still here! Not a doubt about it, the statues and

ruins confirm the Bible account in Ex.1-14.Signed Gus Nichols and Mrs. Nichols. The foregoing was taken from a post card and since you do not have the picture it may sound a little unusual in its beginning, but we knew you would be happy to hear from them on their trip.

B Y B E E B R I E F S

CARD OF APPRECIATION:

Your comforting expression of sympathy will always be remembered with deep gratitude. The family of Roy A. Vanhooser.

V.B.S. BEGINS MONDAY:

Our first day of VBS will be Monday morning. Due to city schools closing we will have our first day's work begin at 9 A.M. Other days will be 8:30-10:30 A.M. Those with cars available please go to City Grammar and Wm. Biles schools and bring the children to the VBS just as soon as they are dismissed at school. The Bus will run as usual and follow the regular route in the city and make a run to Arlington church building each day to pick up those who desire to be with us in VBS.

CONGRATULATIONS TO BILL AND BETTY MULLICAN:

Vergie Margaret Mullican came to live with Bill & Betty on May 17. Mother and baby doing well at last report. We offer congratulations on receiving a fine daughter.

OUR APPRECIATION EXPRESSED:

Brother Floyd Harris repaired some of the chairs used in the nursery classes(Pre-School) and helped make a new table for them to use in class work. **Several brethren helped with the building of the entrance over the basement steps and the changing of electrical wiring.** Our thanks to each and every one who assisted.

FELLOWSHIP MEETING THURSDAY NIGHT MAY 24.

Don't forget the fellowship supper for Thursday night--the first we have had this spring. We will meet at the rear of the church building around 6-6:30 to be ready to eat at the proper time. Make plans to attend this meeting. The fellowship of Christians is very elevating and should be practiced more than it usually is. Let's make this a big success!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL DAILY SCHEDULE

8:30- 8:45 ASSEMBLE FOR DEVOTIONAL PERIOD OF SONGS, BIBLE READING AND PRAYER AND NEEDED ANNOUNCEMENTS

8:45-9:25 ALL CLASSES MEET IN THE ANNOUNCED CLASSROOMS FOR PERIOD OF INSTRUCTION BY TEACHERS

9:25-9:40 RECESS FOR ALL CLASSES

9:40-10:20 CLASSES CONDUCTED IN SAME ROOM WHERE YOU MET BEFORE RECESS PERIOD

10:20-10:30 ASSEMBLE IN AUDITORIUM FOR FINAL ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE DAY

BUS ROUTE FOR V.B.S. The bus will enter the city on the Sparta Highway, come down the By-Pass to Red Road; Turn left on Red Road and proceed to Havron, turn right on Havron, to Childress. Turn left on Childress and go to Fair Street. Turn left on Fair and return to Red Road. Turn right on Red Road and continue to West Sparta Street, turn right on West Sparta and continue to Villa Place. Turn right on Villa St. and proceed to North Spring St., turn right on Spring and go to Rebel Hill. Turn off North Spring to Rebel Hill and proceed to East Bonner. Turn left on East Bonner and continue to Caldwell to North Chancery. Turn off N. Chancery onto Sietz and go to West End. Turn Right on West End and go one block. Turn right on Street by Moss Chapel Methodist church to Peers. Turn left on Peers and proceed to Clark Blvd. Right on Clark to N. Chancery. Left on Chancery to Anderson. Turn left and follow Anderson to Sunset Drive. Turn right on Sunset Drive and go to Park Ave. Turn right onto Park and follow it back to N. Chancery. Turn right on N. Chancery and go to Needmore Road. Turn left onto Needmore Road and go to Smithville Highway. Follow Smithville Highway to Pike Hill Road. Turn left on Pike Hill Road and go to Yager Road. Left on Yager Road to Fairgrounds road. Follow fairgrounds road to Bratten Street and then follow Bratten Street to church building. In previous years the bus has made a trip to Arlington church building to pick up children and/ or adults there who want to attend our BS. I suppose there will be no change in this bus schedule for this year, but that it will make the trip there as in previous years.

REMEMBER THE TIME MAY 28-- JUNE 1, 1951. 8:30 A.M.--10:30 A.M. AT THE BYBEE BRANCH CHURCH OF

CHRIST MEETING HOUSE TELL ALL THE BOYS AND GIRLS TO COME! TELL ALL THE MEN AND WOMEN TO COME! IN FACT

TELL EVERY PERSON YOU SEE THAT WE WANT THEM IN OUR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL. A GOOD TIME WILL BE HAD BY ALL IN THE STUDY OF THE BIBLE. THEN ON FRIDAY WE WILL HAVE OUR ANNUAL PICNIC WITH GOOD THINGS TO EAT AND THE BEST PART OF ALL WILL BE THE HAPPINESS WE GET FROM STUDYING GOD'S WORD AND DOING HIS WILL. YES SIR! WE ARE GOING TO HAVE A WONDERFUL TIME IN VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL THIS YEAR. MAY 28--JUNE 1 AT BYBEE BRANCH CHURCH OF CHRIST. SO DON'T MISS IT!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL MAY 28-JUNE 1, 1962

MY BIBLE AND I (PRE-SCHOOL --AGES 2-3)	DOROTHY FORTER AND NANCY GREEN TEACHERS	ROOM 9
MY BIBLE AND I (PRE-SCHOOL*--AGES 4-5)	SCARLET GRIFFITH AND JUDY WOOD	ROOM 8
THE LIFE OF CHRIST (GRADE 1)	MARY JANE GREEN AND PAULINE GREENE	ROOM 4
THE LIFE OF CHRIST (GRADE 2)	LUCILLE NEWBY AND DORA WILCHER	ROOM 10
SPREAD OF CHRISTIANITY (GRADE 3)	ELSIE FISHER AND MILDRED GLENN	ROOM 2
SPREAD OF CHRISTIANITY (GRADE 4)	LOUISE SMITH AND HELEN SEVERT	ROOM 11
LESSONS IN THE CHRISTIAN LIFE (GRADES 5-6)	LUCILLE BLACK AND MARY WILKINSON	ROOM 3
THE CHURCH(GRADES 7-8)	LEONARD CANTRELL	ROOM 7
THE HOME (GRADES 9-12)	A.A.A ALLISON	ROOM 6
WOMEN IN GOD'S SERVICE (ADULTS)	BUFORD C. HOLT	AUDITORIUM
TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE:	NAN CANTRELL; MILDRED GLENN, JACKIE CANTRELL, JANE FORD, LEOMA HOOVER, HELEN SEVERT JO PEDIGO	
PICNIC COMMITTEE:	LADIES OF THE AUDITORIUM CLASS	
STAND-BY TEACHERS:	JANE FORD, LEOMA HOOVER, CORRIE HOLT, DORA WITT,	
RECORDS OF VBS:	NORA LEE GRIFFITH AND CORRIE HOLT	

OUR SICK FOLK:

Due to the VBS and the holiday on Wednesday we are working on the bulletin early and thus the report on the sick will not be the latest information concerning the sick--it is up to date as to the time of cutting the stencil. DORA WEST shows no improvement; JIM CANTRELL is doing fine, but still in the hospital; ADA TRAMMEL is better; NOEL FOSTER is some better, but still unable to be about his work; LILLIAN CANTRELL doing all right; TOM HIGGINS is up now; CAROL SUE TAYLOR about as she has been for some time; CALVIN RAY also about as he has been for weeks; EDWARD BLANKENSHIP suffered a broken leg Sunday in a fall at Webb Cemetery.

OUR SYMPATHY FOR THE FAMILY OF Edward James Austin, whose funeral was conducted on Tuesday. In our list page three we omitted his name.

HEART'S EASE--"Every house where love abides and friendship is a guest, is surely home, and home, sweet home, for there the heart can rest." Henry Van Dyke.

IMMEDIACY--"He who helps a child helps humanity with an immediateness which no other help given to human creature in any other stage of human life can possibly give again." Phillips Brooks

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BRINGING THEM UP TO THE . MARK__ LONDON MAIL

The following quaint notice was posted recently on a church door in Whitechurch:

MISSING:

Last Sunday, some families from church.

STOLEN:

Several hours from the Lord's day, by a number of people of different ages dressed in their Sunday clothes.

STRAYED:

Half a score of lambs, believed to have gone in the direction of "No Sunday School".

MISLAID:

A quantity of silver and copper coins on the counter of a public house, the owner being in a state of great excitement.

WANTED:

Several young people--when last seen were walking in pairs up Sabbath Breaker's Lane, which leads to the city of no Good.

LOST:

A lad, carefully reared, not long from home, and for a time promising. Supposed to have gone with one or two older companions to Prodigal Town, Husk Lane.

Any person assisting in the recovery of the above shall in no wise lose his reward.

The timely thoughts were given to me some time ago by Sister Helen Severt. The things contained in the message could apply to any of us on a given day. Our young people are being lost to the world when they go to state schools and are taught the false doctrine of the infidels in the class rooms. It is easy to neglect the work and steal some hours from the Lord and never be aware of the theft even after we have made it. Our thanks to Sister Severt for the material. If you have something which will be helpful to all we will be glad to include it when space will allow. Don't give up-- we will get to it if we live long enough. __BCH.

B Y B E E B R I E E F S

CONGRATULATIONS TO JIMMY NEWBY AND NANCY POTTER who were united in marriage on Saturday May 19. Sorry we did not have the space last week. We hope for them much happiness in life.

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY TO:

1. The family of Cleveland Womack who died suddenly Wednesday of last week. He was Fuston Womack's uncle.
2. The family of Forest Cantrell who also died the same day and suddenly.
3. The family of Silas Stanley, 87, whose funeral was conducted Monday. He was grand father of Carol Martin and uncle of Bernice Fults and Bernice Warren.
4. The family of Henry Cantrell who was buried last week in Alabama. He was uncle of Claude Jones and Joe Rigsby.

WE WERE MADE HAPPY WHEN THOMAS E. GREEN JR. was baptized Sunday morning at the close of the sermon. He will make a fine contribution to the work at Bybee.

FLOWERS FOR THE LIVING:

The singing for both services Sunday very good and with life--keep it up.

Thanks to those who cut the felt for the song book racks and to those who helped with the placing of the felt in the racks.

TO OUR HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE AGE PEOPLE:

Make your plans to be present for the fellowship meeting June 16. Remember we will be the hosts and we want every visitor to feel at home. Make yourselves known and entertain the visitors. We will assemble at 4:00 P.M. for the service and have the picnic following and then the recreational activity following the picnic. We hope many will come to be with us for the meeting.

REMEMBER THE VBS PICNIC FRIDAY AT FAIRGROUNDS PARK.

Following the last class of the VBS we will go to the fairgrounds for the picnic. Be present. The VBS got off to a good start with 167 present in spite of the confusion regarding report cards at school and coming to the church building. Thanks to all.

OUR SICK FOLK:

MRS. BELLE BOULDIN in Vanderbilt Hospital; ROY NEWBY is due to get home today; M.M. McCULLOUGH was to be brought to Murfreesboro, but no news of him this week; DORA WEST continues to show no improvement; CAROL SUE TAYLOR AND CALVIN RAY remain about as they have for weeks; ADA TRAMMEL is improving; NOEL FOSTER and JIM CAMPRELL both able to be with us Sunday for services; EMMIE JEAN HICE in hospital in Mobile, Ala. where she went to specialist. No word since Sunday.

JOE GRAY TO SHOW HIS PICTURES AND REPORT ON MISSION TRIP JULY 1 AT BYBEE BRANCH.

When Brother Gray was called home, due to a death and had to call off his appointment to show us the pictures of his trip to investigate the work in New Zealand, he stated he wanted to return to McMinnville to show the pictures and to tell of his finding in this mission field. Plans have been made for him to be here Sunday night July 1 to show us what he found and to tell us of the possibilities for the future. We hope many of his friends in neighboring churches will be able to hear him also. A letter today confirmed the date suggested by the elders.

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B Y B E E B R I E F S

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR APRIL 1962 BY A.A. ALLISON, TREAS

BALANCE ON HAND APRIL 1, 1962		10.94
CONTRIBUTIONS FOR APRIL		
APRIL 1	292.19	
" 8	317.00	
" 15	277.35	
" 22	313.43	
" 29	276.12	
Total Contributions	1476.09	<u>1476.09</u>
TOTAL TO ACCOUNT FOR		<u>1487.03</u>

EXPENDITURES FOR APRIL:-

McMinnville Block Co,	86.76	
Cash(Baptismal Robes)	9.67	
McMinnville Electric Co.	48.50	
Gus Nichols Meeting	300.00	
Buford C. Holt Salary	381.60	
Calvin Ray(Custodian)	40.00	
Douglas Wood(Custodian)	40.00	
Bea's Shop(Dean Morgan)	23.54	
Womack Bros. Wholesale Co.	8.80	
Joe Rigsby(For WAKI Radio)	35.00	
Taylor Impression(Materials)	9.40	
Gospel Advocate(Subs & Mates)	78.00	
Cash(Postage for bulletins)	17.44	
W.L. Cooper(Air Cond.)	100.00	
William Miller(Missions)	10.00	
Wallace Beasley(Missions)	20.00	
Carson Upton(Bus regular and gospel meeting)	160.00	
Water and Sewer	2.44	
Total Expenditures	1371.15	<u>1371.15</u>
BALANCE ON HAND APRIL 30, 1962		<u>115.88</u>

Thanks to brother Allison for his continued work of keeping a fine record for the church. BCH

WORTHY OF PRAISE:-

We believe the congregation has made marked improvement in its quietness just before services. For this we are thankful and offer our congratulations because we can begin our services with a better spirit and our singing is better also. Thanks for your cooperation and attitude for improving the worship.

TAMARA WOMACK BAPTIZED SUNDAY NIGHT:-

We were made to rejoice Sunday night when Tamara Womack came to obey the gospel. We hope she and the others who have recently been baptized will make useful members of the Lord's church. Others should obey as the ones recently have done.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR MAY CLASSES:-

1 St. Grade: Greg Brock, Terry Warren, Donna Young, Debby Cantrell, Tessie Sharp.

2nd Grade: Judy Leatherwood, Charlotte Cox, Wayne Cox.

3 rd Grade: David Holmes, Jane Green, Carol Newby, Gennie Riddle, Barbara Humphrey.

4th Grade: Carol Glenn, Gary Gribble, Bruce Griffith, Nora Louise Underwood.

We offer our congratulations to all these boys and girls for such faithful attendance.

VBS SUCCESSFUL:

We closed another successful Vacation Bible School last Friday June 1. The teachers and those who helped them made it so. The children were faithful to attend and that made the record show good. Thanks to those who came, to the teachers, the helpers and to all the adults who helped with the picnic and other things to make the school such a fine one. Thanks to those who kept the records for us throughout the school. Along with all the others we thank those who offered cars and went for and took children home daily. It is through the combined efforts that we make any undertaking successful. Such is characteristic of the members here. We are grateful to those of other churches who came and helped us with attendance.

CONGRATULATIONS TO CURTIS AND PEGGY(GLENN) RABY:

The Rabys have a new daughter and we offer our most hearty congratulations to them on her safe arrival on May 29. Congratulations to Great Grandma Adcock.

OUR SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY OF MRS. HANNAH MORRISON
Whose funeral was conducted the first of the week.

THE YOUNG PEOPLE FELLOWSHIP SET FOR JUNE 16 at 4 P.M.
Make your plans to be here to greet the visitors.

OUR SICK FOLK:

MRS. BILLY BOULDIN was some better at last report; MRS. JOHN PRATER has had a stroke, but doing very well; CALVIN RAY is about the same; CAROL SUE TAYLOR has shown some signs of improvement; DEBBY CANTRELL is back home from hospital; EMMA JEAN HICE underwent surgery in Mobile and came through all right according to report this morning; FIRM WURNER doing fine; RALPH GRIFFITH in Medical Clinic with infected knee; CORRIE HOLT still confined to bed with Cellulitis or erysipelas; ALLIE NEWBY not so well today; HASSIE GREER not so well lately; ELIZABETH(LIZZY) CANTRELL in Falukner Hospital with stroke; RUTH FOSTER missed Sunday due to illness; NEWT McKNIGHT very ill at this time; MARIE COPE not so well at this time; ROY NEWBY still improving; DORA WEST may be a little better; M.M. McCULLOUGH still very ill; EDWARD BLANKENSHIP is much better according to a report this morning; JOHN MOORE has Rheumatic Fever but is doing well today; LOUISE WOOD is still taking her rest and going to the doctor. He says she is losing weight too fast--so the search goes on. She'd be glad to hear from you--write her at 610 Hamilton Ave., Nashville 4, Tenn.

CARD OF APPRECIATION: "We deeply appreciate your thoughtful expression of sympathy which has been of the greatest comfort to us in our sorrow. W.G. Dickerson family.

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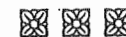
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BORN TO SERVE

"Verily, verily, I say unto thee, except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God. . . Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God" (John 3:3-5). When one is born of water and the Spirit he is a follower of Christ, the head of the church or king in the kingdom. To be followers of Christ we must follow his manner of life and his methods of doing things. Jesus said, "Not so shall it be among you: but whosoever would become great among you shall be your minister; and whosoever would be first among you shall be your servant: even as the Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his life a ransom for many" (Matt. 20: 26-28). Since we are born again to become like Christ and since he came to minister and to serve and to give his life for a ransom, we are born to serve, to minister and to give. We cannot give our lives as a ransom, because the ransom has already been paid, and if it had not we could not anyway, but we can give something to the cause of Christ and the betterment of humanity. But we were born to serve.

1. We were born to serve Christ. "Know ye not, that to whom ye present yourselves as servants unto obedience, his servants ye are whom ye obey; whether of sin unto death, or obedience unto righteousness?" (Rom. 6:16). We presented ourselves unto Christ to be his servants. If we sit around and wait to be served all the time, we fail to live up to that for which we presented ourselves unto Christ.

2. We were born to serve humanity. Christ came to minister to the needs of the world--to serve the world and to die for their sins. Since we follow him--he set us an example that we should follow his steps (1 Peter 2:21), and he came to serve the human race, we too must serve the human race by following the example he set for us. Too many members of the church expect to be served all the time. If they attend services they expect everyone to come to them and speak, but they are to go to no one. They expect to be assisted, but assist no one. I believe the members at Bybee Branch are different in this respect. They are willing to help others in sickness, and in

distress. You are willing to help the young people in development of leadership and Christian service. Sister Dora Wilcher, who was appointed to attend the affairs of food for the Youth Fellowship meeting, reports that she has had wonderful cooperation from all. This is as it should be and we deeply appreciate the Christian attitude. We are inviting young people here to meet with our young people--to help them conduct religious services and they are our guests. It is right to entertain them while they are here. We expected you to respond and would have been disappointed if you had refused. Now that you have shown your true colors we want to be the first to congratulate you on this fine Christian spirit. God bless you all. BCH.

BYBEE BRIEFS

PRE-SCHOOL OMITTED LAST WEEK.

One report for perfect attendance was not turned in in time to get in last week. We are happy to place it in this week and offer our congratulations to all who were here every Sunday. They were: Teresa Cantrell, Dale Holmes, Jeff Pugh, Jane Cox, Kenneth Russell, Eddie Hice, Regina Cantrell, John Cox, Carolyn Hice, Steve Wood, Randy Griffith, Lynn Mullican, Buddy Reed,

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MEETING SATURDAY:

This writer believes we need to train young people to be leaders in the church. The program Saturday is an effort to do this type of work. Young men will be making speeches and leading the singing and the prayers. Older people will join in the congregational singing just as we do on Sunday. This is as we might do in a training class, with the subjects on a given theme. Since young people have so much trouble on the thought of "What can we do?" we have suggested the theme of recreation. --What is Recreation? Too much Recreation. Sign Posts to safe Recreation etc. We live in a complex world--a world where we need to be able to work together, so we have invited others to come and work with our young people. While they are here we expect to feed them AFTER the program is over with something like we have had for many years--a dinner on the ground so to speak or a picnic if you like. While they are together we expect them to become acquainted with each other and to enjoy the fellowship of Christians.

plans to be present and hear Brother Gray. You may have friends who wish to hear him and to see the pictures he made in the holy land.

OUR SICK FOLK: RALPH GRIFFITH is better and out of the Clinic; ROY NEWBY is still improving; ALLIE NEWBY was better last report; DAVID GRIFFITH (Brother in law of Hazel Griffith) is better but remains in Vanderbilt Hospital; M.M. McCULLOUGH is not improving; MIKE STEPHENS (Joyce Griffith Nephew) in Vanderbilt for spinal corrections; WILLIAM ROWLAND (related to Violet and Peyton Greene) has been released from the hospital, but must go for Cobalt treatments; EDWARD BLANKENSHIP better at last report; MARIE COPE back home now; CAROL SUE TAYLOR about the same; CALVIN RAY also about the same; MRS. JOHN PRATER some better; DEBBY CANTRELL is better following eye operation; EMMA JEAN HICE doing well after surgery on kidney; DORA WEST improving at last report; JUDY MITCHELL doing fine yesterday; Billy and Mike (?) DODD are doing all right following tonsillectomy Monday; so is WANDA PRIEST; JOHN MOORE doing well; EVELYN PARSELY doing well at last report.

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY to the families of Newt McKnight who was buried this week and to LIZZY CANTRELL who passed away last night. Arrangements incomplete now.

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LOSING CONFIDENCE IN THE TRUTH

The Russian Cosmonaut, Gherman Titov, bragged in Seattle that he saw "neither God nor angels" on his flight around the world. That is not surprising. Titov didn't know how to look for God. He hadn't been taught.

Another thing to consider is that he was riding backward, and God is always ahead of man. Or, consider that Titov probably thinks he has conquered all the universe when he has in reality never been 200 short miles off the ground. He will see God some day--at the end of another flight!

Titov did see something up there that he didn't understand. We wouldn't, of course, suggest that it was God, but it just might be that the Russian would not know God if he saw him. We are convinced that what Titov saw, and didn't know what was, God knows all about.

The lack of visible evidence of the existence of God does not rule him out; how do we know that Titov has a mind? God is just as visible as a man's mind, and evidence that he is is more abundant than the evidence that man has a mind.

What Titov said isn't remarkable. It is, however, an indication of how swiftly ideology of the world can change. It was less than 100 years ago that the seeds of religious doubt were sown in Russia. Now the tares have completely choked the wheat!

It Could happen here. There has been as much atheism and infidelity taught in the United States in the past 100 years as in Russia. The chief reason why Christianity still persists in this land is that those who were our rulers did not hold a piece of lead pipe in their hands. As yet we are free moral agents.

Titov did not find God because he was looking for him in the wrong place. You don't find God in outer space--you find him in human hearts. That's where he dwells. In America when men cast God out of their hearts they may search the universe in vain for him. They will not find him.

When men will not retain God in their knowledge he gives them over to reprobate minds. When a nation's women parade themselves in shameless immodesty the moral decay of that nation stinks to high heaven.

It may not be many more years before Titov could look for God in America and not find him.

So many are losing confidence in the Truth of God's Almighty Word, and are imposing modernistic and materialistic concepts of what is right and what is wrong, we are already in danger. Many have about given in to the idea that God and the Bible are about to be overthrown and are ready to throw the inspiration of the Scriptures and the God of the Scriptures overboard. We need to turn again to the grand old texts of the Bible; quit preaching this half-modernistic-half-existential stuff and go back to hammering the old fundamental facts and principles of the gospel of Christ." Part of editorial from Firm Foundation of June 5, 1962.

BYBEE BRIEFS

SUCCESSFUL MEETING:

The meeting of young people last week was a wonderful success. Young Christian men were allowed to lead songs, prayers and preach sermons. There wasn't a poor speech nor song nor prayer in the whole program. Ten young men spoke with zeal, and earnestness, four led songs and we had an opening and closing prayer. If brethren will continue to train these young men they will soon be seasoned in the work and the next generation will find able and faithful men to take the lead in the church. We appreciate the efforts of each who took a part in this work and all who attended and encouraged them--both home folk and visitors. Many thanks to the parents and friends who contributed to the refreshments following the service.

WORD OF APPRECIATION:

1. To Thomas Green Jr. and Delbert West for the work on the grounds to the rear of the building.
2. To Thomas Green Sr. and John Wood who did the preaching and to Barnes Baker who taught the class Sunday and Sunday night. The Altamont meeting is still in progress with fine attention and we are hoping for additions.

JOE D. GRAY HERE JULY 1 AT 6:30 P.M.

July 1 for the evening service we will have Brother Gray with us to explain his findings in the far East and what the prospects are for success there. Make

Womack, Susan Ford, Sandra Davis, Lucille Cox, Steve Young.

FIRST GRADE: Greg Brock, Terry Warren, Ricky Jones, Edd Walter West, Tessie Sharp, Donna Kay Young, and Elaine Foster. Elaine had perfect attendance last month, but through failure some place it didn't get in the bulletin I am told. There is no report from the second grade or third grade today--we hope to have it next week.

OUR THANKS TO YOU:

Corrie and I take this opportunity to thank every one who helped during her illness. So many came and helped with house work, personal attention and with food. You were wonderful and thanks so much. BCH.

OUR SICK FOLK:

EMMA JEAN HICE is doing fine as of this morning; DORA WEST has improved slightly ; ROY NEWBY is better; LUCILLE DUBOIS in Medical Clinic; ELA FARISS is doing well and we hope will be coming home soon; CAROL SUE TAYLOR about the same; CALVIN RAY also about as he has been for weeks; JOHN MOORE at home now; MARIE COPE doing fine at last report. Due to the Altamont meeting we may have lost count of some who are ill--we will appreciate your informing us if you know of any illness among the members or their relatives.

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BYBEE BRIEFS

SATAN'S DEVICES.

Satan has more schemes and Devices than any other being on earth. Webster defines device as "an under-handed scheme; trick." In the early church he used threat to stop the spread of Christianity. Second he used persecution of Christians and even to the death, but neither of the foregoing proved successful--the church continued to grow and prosper. Then he used compromise---this has been one of his most successful weapons against the truth. It is not the only one he uses today, however, for he employs many more. One of the means he uses today is to work through the members of the church. He gets them to spend their time in "back-biting"; "smear campaigns"; "gossip" etc. For instance he works on people who claim to be members, but who never visit the sick, but always want to be visited when they feel badly. Those who never have anything to give to the support of the work, but are constantly criticising the church for the way the money is used that others have contributed. They are always talking about how the crowds drop off, when they are working all the time to make them drop. The devil has few workers who are working harder to destroy the church in a community than those who are always, kicking, biting and grumbling about what is not being done while doing everything they can to prevent its being done.

Jesus talked about preaching the gospel to those who will "turn and rend you"(Matt. 7:6). Often those the church has helped the most are the first to work against the congregation. Individuals are often the subject of attack by those who have been shown the most kindness. So Satan's Devices continue to be used and by members of the Lord's church.

Jesus wants people who will defend the cause; help to advance the cause of Christ; cooperate with the rest of the congregation in accomplishing the work in the community. He says that a house divided cannot stand(Mark.3:25). Further he says, "He that is not with me is against me; and he that gathereth not with me scattereth "(Matt.12:30; Luke 11:23). We are very grateful to be working with a church where most of of the members work together and try to make the work successful. Only a few pull back and hinder the truth by constant criticism of the work of the church. BCH.

ALTAMONT MEETING SUCCESSFUL:

The meeting at Altamont closed Tuesday night with three people having been baptized into Christ. The crowds were not as large as we have here, but the congregation there is small. Brother Flavil Nichols was in a meeting at Collins--three miles from Gruetli and that claimed their support so we had to draw from other sources. We have never had better attention that at Altamont. We deeply appreciate the support from Bybee Branch. The young people came up several times and then adults also hepled us.

ARMSTRONG MEETING JUNE 29-JULY 7.

I will begin a meeting Friday night at Armstrong and will appreciate your support there. Brother Donald Jones will preach for them Sunday morning and I will preach Sunday afternoon instead of Sunday night. This way I will be here for both services on Sunday. The gospel needs the support of every faithful Christian. So attend as often as possible when we are not having services at Bybee.

JOE GRAY HERE SUNDAY NIGHT:

Don't forget that Brother Gray will be with us for the evening service Sunday. He will tell of his work in New Zealand and show us some pictures of what he found there. Let's give him a large audience Sunday night at 6:30. Be a booster of the work of the Lord.

SYMPATHY EXTENDED TO :

1. The family of M.M. McCullough(Jewel Duggin's father) whose funeral was conducted in Alabama on Sunday.
2. The family of Edward Blankenship(Brother of Olivia Cantrell) whose funeral was conducted on Monday of this week.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR JUNE:

1. PRE-SCHOOL: Teresa Cantrell, Jane Cox, Eddie Hice, Regina Cantrell, John Cox, Diane Kirby, Carolyn Hice, Becky Brock.
2. FOURTH GRADE: Carol Glenn, Nora Louise Underwood, Gail Cope, Susan Cooper, Gary Gribble.
3. FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADES: Douglas Newby, Tamara

all and help us push the "summer slump" right out of the way and move on to greater achievements than we have ever made. With your help we can defeat any and all the "Gloomy Gus" crowd and do the Lord's work in a commendable way. We'll be seeing YOU in classes Sunday morning!

OUR SICK FOLK:

ROY NEWBY is back in Medical Clinic, but has improved some since Sunday; SISTER HESTER YOUNG (Flossie Warren's mother) is in hospital in Woodbury; MRS. JAMES SIMPSON (Nan's sister) was to enter hospital Sunday or Monday for tests; EMMA JEAN HICE has left the hospital and will be returning to McMinnville in about a week; MRS. JOHN PRATER is some improved; MRS. HERMAN CANTRELL (sister of Haskell Jones) is very ill at this time; CAROL SUE TAYLOR was not so well Tuesday; CALVIN RAY is about as he has been; DORA WEST is some better; WILDA MAE PORTER is some better; HERSHAL WEST not so well on week end. JUDY LEATHERWOOD has had measles but doing fine now; GINA AND PAM Cantrell both been sick; THE NESTOR STEWART CHILDREN have had measles also.

"Wherefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labor is not vain in the Lord." 1 Cor. 15:58).

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JULY 8, 1962

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR MAY 1962 BY A.A. ALLISON, TREAS.

BALANCE ON HAND MAY 1, 1962		115.88
CONTRIBUTIONS FOR MAY:		
May 6	254.49	
" 13	267.11	
" 20	246.63	
" 27	<u>264.94</u>	
Total Contributions	1033.17	<u>1033.17</u>
TOTAL TO ACCOUNT FOR IN MAY		<u>1149.05</u>

EXPENDITURES FOR MAY:

Middle Tenn. Gas Dist.	29.56	
Galvin Ray(Custodian)	40.00	
Douglas Wood(Custodian)	40.00	
Buford C.Holt(Salary-4 weeks)	381.16	
McMinnville Water and Sewer	4.00	
McMinnville Electric System	38.66	
McMinnville Flower Shop	22.50	
Griffith-Warren Hd'ware (Materials)	41.40	
Joe Rigsby(WAKL fund)	35.00	
John Robert Porter(Supplies)	1.55	
Womack Printing Co.	3.50	
Taylor Impression Products (Bulletin Supplies)	9.40	
Gospel Advocate Co.(Materials)	26.50	
Acme School Supply Co. "	17.26	
Southern Standard(Meeting ADS)	32.35	
WBMG(Spot ADS for meeting)	9.00	
Womack Bro. Inc.(grape Juice)	4.90	
Imperial Co.(Air Cond. Service)	51.50	
Carson Upton(Bus Service)	100.00	
Cash(Bulletin Postage)	23.46	
Harold Laws (Materials)	1.28	
W.L. Cooper(Air Cond. Fund)	100.00	
Total Expenditures for May	<u>1012.98</u>	<u>1012.98</u>
BALANCE ON HAND MAY 31, 1962		<u>136.07</u>

Our profound thanks to Brother Allison for his hard work in keeping a good record.

The item to Imperial Co. is for replacing the gas in the air conditioning unit. A loose connection caused a leak. There will be another item on this later too.

BYBEE BRIEFS

A NEW SECURITY LIGHT TO BE INSTALLED:

The following people have contributed to erect a light at the rear of the church building to enable the young people to play volley ball at night when we are not having services. This will keep them well occupied. There will be no expense to the church for this light. If others care to provide for your children you may also contribute to this. Those who have contributed or promised to contribute are: Jim Cantrell, Marion Jones, Morris Griffith, Don Griffith, Marvin McBride, A.A. Allison, Buford C. Holt, John Wood, Thomas Green, Walter West, Joe Rigsby. Each of these has paid or promised \$3.00 for the year.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR 2 nd. GRADE FOR JUNE:

Judy Leatherwood, Charlotte Cox, Wayne Cox, Eddie Kirby. Congratulations to each of you. No report yet from Third Grade.

FINE ATTENDANCE FOR JOE GRAY'S REPORT ON NEW ZEALAND.

A large attendance for the report by Brother Gray showed the interest people have in mission work. As all know the service was concluded before he made his report. Any who wanted to contribute to the work gave and a total of \$90.00 was given for the New Zealand program. It was good to have The Gray family with us again.

ARMSTRONG MEETING is still in progress. The attendance has been good and thus far one restoration has been the results. The meeting continues through Saturday night. We will appreciate your coming to help us. Several have attended already. I will be at home for all Sunday services Sunday July 8.

MEETINGS NEXT WEEK:

Salem--Services nightly 7:45--David Reeves preacher. Elkins--Services 10:30 & 7:30-Rufe Higgins Preaching.

OUR SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO the family of Lucille Dubois whose funeral was conducted Sunday afternoon.

BIBLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE UP SUNDAY:

It was good to be welcomed home with a large attendance for classes and both services. Let's do it again Sunday. We can if we'll try hard. Come one and

than \$ 9.00 per family to send some person with the group to give the gospel to people who know it not. There is not a family among us who would fail to raise \$9.00 if we needed a doctor and medicine. The people of New Zealand and other countries are sick unto death with sin and the only remedy is the TRUTH which we have. Lets select some person who is willing to go and send him/ her to help spread the gospel. With a little extra fire on our tongues(zeal for the Lord) we could send two workers. Will you say, "Here am I; send me?" In the day of judgment you may wish you had!

OUR SICK FOLK:

EMMA JEAN HICE is back home and doing fine for which we are thankful; CAROL SUE TAYLOR seems to be better of the virus which has bothered her for the past several days; LUCILLE BROCK is better; ROY NEWBY is back home again and improving; OLLIE WOODLEE has not been well for past few days, but continued to go; CALVIN RAY is about as usual; ELA FARISS did not get to return home but doing all right; ELAINE FOSTER has had measles but doing all right; DORA WEST has shown some improvement of late; MRS. JOHN PRATER is slowly improving; BOBBY PRATER may be slightly better; MRS. HESTER YOUNG was able to leave hospital last week. Please report the sick to 2486 or 7321.

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DID YOU DO THIS?

I HELPED KILL THE CHURCH! I stayed away. Had I stayed away from my home, I had killed it; had I neglected by business, I had no business. My lack of interest in the church made other people uninterested, they stayed away because I stayed away. I helped kill the church; I did not attend.

I HELPED KILL THE CHURCH! I starved it. I was a poor provider. Time was when I contributed a little to it and helped its program along; but when I quit attending I quit giving. I helped kill the church; I starved it.

I HELPED KILL THE CHURCH! I quit praying for it. At some time or another I quit praying, and quit praying for the church. By slow degrees something was dying within me. I could have added something to the life of the church if I had prayed for it, but I helped kill the church. I quit praying for it.

OR DID YOU DO THIS?

I HELPED THE CHURCH TO LIVE! I was there! My presence helped. I was one more. When I was added to the church, I promised to be there. I did not become a member to stay away from it. I was there!

I HELPED THE CHURCH! I paid my way. I did not let others pay my way more than I permit them to buy my hat, feed my children, or pay my taxes. An ample, competent sum must be my investment in the church. I paid my way.

I HELPED THE CHURCH! I prayed for the church! I prayed for the elders, the deacons, the song leader, the preacher. I prayed for all the members. I want every blessing and grace and health and power for the church. "For her my prayers ascend." I pray for her as naturally as I do for my other dearest ones. I helped the church, for I prayed for it. Selected from the Hialeah, Fla. Spiritual Highlights.

It is such an easy thing for members to lose sight of the Lord's work; his church and place all their thoughts on themselves! Everything should be done for the profit of all the members and to the glory of Christ, the head of the church and the saviour of us all. If we give him the preeminence (Col. 1:18) in all things, everything will be for the profit of all.

B Y B E E B R I E F S

CARDS OF APPRECIATION:

Dear Brothers and Sister in Christ:

We wish there was a way to thank you and we hope you know the sincere appreciation this brings. Please accept our grateful thanks--the flowers were beautiful. Signed: The children of M.M. McCullough by L.M.C.

We shall always remember with deep gratitude your comforting expression of sympathy. The family of Edward Blankenship.

MEETING SCHEDULE:

Salem--July 8-15	David Reeves preaching nightly	7:45.
West Sparta July 8-15	Paul "atthews "	" 7:30
Keltenburg July 8-15	Titus Ward "	" 7:30
Oak Grove July 8-15	W.W. Tynes "	" 7:30
Elkins--July 8-18	Rufe Higgins " 10:30 A.M. "	7:30
Shady Grove July 15-24	Thos. Wagner 2:30 & 7:30 P.M.	
Grange Hall July 15-24	Alex. Campbell	7:30 P.M.
Ivy Bluff July 15-24	Billy Newby	7:30 P.M.
Trousdale July 15-24	Leo Patton	7:30 P.M.
Gassaway July 15-22	Buford C. Holt 10:30 A.M.	7:30 P.M.

ARMSTRONG MEETING SUCCESSFUL:

Although we had thundershowers almost every night about time for the people to assemble we had a fine meeting. Two were restored during the meeting and we closed with the largest attendance of the meeting on Saturday night. It was a pleasure to work with the church and especially Brother and Sister Donald Jones, the preacher and his wife.

"HERE AM I SEND ME "

"And I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, Whom shall I send, and who will go for us? Then I said, Here am I; send me. And he said, Go, & tell this people, Hear ye indeed, . . . perceive not" (Isa. 6:8,9). There are over 2 billion people who never heard of Christ or the gospel. There is such a need for Christians to say--"Here am I; send me". Churches can answer that call by giving support to preachers who are willing to go. One of the elders here figured the cost per family in Bybee Branch church to send a man for the New Zealand work next year. Yes it is less

OUR SICK FOLK:

Being away in a meeting makes it difficult to have up to the minute information concerning the sick folk, but we will pass along the latest we do have. MRS. ARNOLD (GERTRUDE) BROWN is to enter St. Thomas Hospital Thursday for surgery Friday; MRS. H.B. RAMSEY is in Vanderbilt Hospital having had surgery. They found malignancy. She is sister of Ruth Newby and Maymie Webb; MRS. JOHN PRATER is slowly improving; CAROL SUE TAYLOR AND CALVIN RAY remain about as they have for a long time. EMMA JEAN HICE doing well; LUCILLE BROCK back with us Wednesday after missing all Sunday services; DORA WEST about the same; ROY NEWY is improving nicely now; no late word from BOBBY PRATER OR MRS. HESTER YOUNG.

THE STATE OF TENNESSEE has issued a license to Tenn. Orphan Home allowing them to place children in permanent adoptive homes and in temporary foster boarding homes. If you would like to apply for a child under either arrangement send to Tennessee Orphan Home, Spring Hill, Tennessee and ask for application forms and fill them out at once. This may afford you many hours of happiness and an opportunity to help a helpless child to have a home and Christian teaching.

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"NATIONAL WEEKEND NEUROSIS"

Dr. Irving Sands, Columbia University Neurologist, referred to our national use of weekends as "National weekend neurosis." A recent article, challenging the average use of weekends, asks, "Are they a pleasure or a plague?" With many, I must agree with the article, it is a plague. The Monday morning paper and a casual observance of the physical fitness of those who appear on the job are clear testimonies of a plague-ridden weekend. Monday morning news records tragic and violent deaths. Two of every five traffic fatalities happen on the weekend. "Sunday drivers" among with other drivers who are irritated and tension ridden or stupified by alcoholic consumption have produced this statistic.

Weekends seem to say to Americans, "GO!"--to the lake, the seashore, the mountains, the resort area-- just so long as we are pursuing pell-mell an activity of pleasure. They are far from pleasurable, however, for even those so absorbed in the wild chase for it are frequently unhappy because pleasure has degraded from personal enjoyment to "keeping up with the Jones'". The strain is telling. Our weekends are periods of conflict, emotional strain, automobile wrecks, and physical and mental upsets. Consumption of alcohol and sexual promiscuity reach their peaks on weekends. No wonder, then, Dr. Sands made his reference and the article asks its question.

Christians cannot afford to be swept by such a tidal wave of weekend madness. Recreation must be "Recreation" of body and mind for more important activities. "Bodily exercise" is of some value but we must never lose sight of the more important-- "Godliness is of value in every way." (1 Tim. 4:8 RSV).

By the way, what about your weekends?

The above timely article from L. Arnold Watson in the Highland Street Bulletin of Memphis is very needful. Many people have become pleasure mad. The Lord's day is used for the plasure emphasis and the Lord is forgotten or trampled under foot. I suppose Bybee Branch congregation is as free of this as any church we know, but even here the article is timely and should serve to halt those who mis-use the Lord's day and warn others against starting the practice. BCH

BYBEE BRIEFS

HELEN YATES HILLIS BAPTIZED:

We were made to rejoice on Thursday afternoon when Helen Yates Hillis came to our home and after a conversation she was baptized. We have been interested in her obeying the gospel for a long time and we know you rejoice with her in her newly found salvation. She and Don reside on Bratten Street--Route 4.

WELCOME TO BROTHER AND SISTER LYNWOOD MATHIS:

Lynwood began preaching for the church in Morrison the first of July. Wewelcome them into a closer work with us. He has been giving part time to preaching but now is full time preacher.

WE OFFER OUR SYMPATHY to the family of William Rowland whose funeral was conducted last week.

Also to the family of Mrs. John Pennington, whose funeral was conducted on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Pennington was a sister-in-law to Sister Redmon and Sister Emma Cantrell.

CAROL NEWBY had perfect attendance for June, but her name was turned in late and therefore failed to be listed with the other children. We offer her our heartiest congratulations for a fine record.

WE NEED YOUR HELP:

The meeting at Gassaway is in progress and the congregation is small, therefore we need your help in taking the gospel to those of that community. It is rather far away for some of you, but why not get several together and attend and encourage the work?

YOUNG PEOPLE ENJOYED A WONDERFUL EVENING OF FELLOWSHIP LAST WEEK.

With the modern set-up of activities it becomes more needful that we spend some time with our young people. The high school and college age group met last week and had a wonderful evening together. Why don't others of you plan an evening with your class and ask some of the parents to plan the program for the children? We have a wonderful place for them to spend an evening together--let's help them to spend their time in a proper manner. You will enjoy the time as well as the boys and girls. Try it!

OUR SICK FOLK:

SUE SHIELDS is in Manchester Hospital, having had emergency Appendectomy; GLYDE CAMTRELL underwent surgery at Mid-State Baptist Hospital Tuesday and was doing fine in the afternoon; CALVIN RAY was about the same last report; CAROL SUE TAYLOR about the same also; ROY NEWBY is doing fine at this time; DORA WEST is about as has been lately; MRS. H.B. RAMSEY is now at home and doing better; MRS. ARNOLD(GERTRUDE) BROWN is back home and doing fine.

GORDON GAYNON TO SHOW SLIDES OF NEWPORT, VERMONT:

On Friday night, August 3, Gordon Gaynon will be at Bybee Branch church building to show slides of the prospects in Newport. You are invited to attend and hear this report.

LIPSCOMB LECTURES AUG. 5-9. "THE CHRISTIAN FAMILY" is the theme. Free lodging will be provided, linens must be provided. Thursday Aug. 9 teachers are invited to be guests of the college for dinner.

MEETINGS IN PROGRESS OR BEGINNING SOON.

Arlington 10:30 & 7:45 in progress til July 31.
Pleasant View 7:30 in progress through July 29
Stewart Chapel 11:00 and 7:30 July 28.
Smartts Sta. Begins July 29 through Aug.5 7:30.
Pleasant Knoll July 29-Aug.7 7:30.
Unity Through July 31 7:30.

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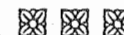
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JULY 29, 1962

I AM GRATEFUL TO A WONDERFUL CHURCH FOR YOUR SUPPORT

Even before the church started on Pentecost, the Lord gave instructions--commandment unto the apostles to go preach. He knew and they knew that inconveniences would be involved in the execution of that commission. They were willing to GO and TEACH ALL NATIONS(EVERY CREATURE). The command is upon us too. So many congregations want to hold their preacher at home all the time and enjoy the gospel themselves without the inconvenience of having to supply another speaker or do it themselves. It is wonderful to work with a church which has men qualified to take the lead in teaching or preaching as the occasion arises. Bybee Branch has done this time after time while I go to small congregations to hold meetings. I would preach to more people here, but to people who have had and can have the gospel while I am gone. Others not always that fortunate need the truth too. It is wonderful of you to make it possible for me to go and do the best I can to help them by preaching the gospel. You have always supported me with your presence also when within reach of Bybee Branch. This is always a great encouragement to your preacher. The church in Oak Ridge where brother Garland Elkins is preacher makes it possible for him to go too, and they are doing a great work.

The Gassaway meeting closed Sunday night with the best of attention having prevailed throughout. Four were baptized during the meeting. These precious souls have a bright future as a result of your wonderful attitude. Thank you so much from the bottom of my heart for carrying on the work as you have. Our special thanks to Brothers Thomas E. Green and John Wood for their fine work.

It is wonderful to be able to be at home for a few days and to be with you, whom we love and appreciate for your works sake. We hope to see each of you Sunday. Let's have an overflow crowd and worship and thank God for the harvest he has brought about through us. We can be much greater and more abundantly blessed if we will allow God to use us as He wills to do. Thanks to a wonderful church for your help in preaching the gospel to the lost. May God continue to bless you in His work and may His countenance shine upon you.

BYBEE BRIEFS

THINKING OUT LOUD:-

Brother Joe Gray talked to us about the proposed work in New Zealand in January. The elders believe we can send a person to that work if we love the lost enough to do it. I believe you love them that much. We would like to know if you would like to go and do this work(and work it will be). If so, turn your name in to the elders and we will be happy to discuss the possibilities with you. If you do not want to go yourself, but would like for another to go, please turn in the name of that person to the elders and we will discuss it with him or her. We say her, because the work we have in mind is personal work which a woman is also able to do and commanded to do. I personally make a suggestion we send Thomas E. Green, one of the elders. We can send him and support him while he is off the job(at home) for about \$12.00 a family. I am giving the figures off hand, but close to that I believe. Let's send him!

OUR SYMPATHY is extended to the family of Mrs. John Prater who passed away last week after we had printed the bulletin, but before it reached you. She was the mother of Christine Cooper and sister of Ruth Newby and Maymie Webb.

NOTE OF APPRECIATION:

During a time like this we realize how much our friends really mean to us. Your expression of sympathy will always be remembered by the family of John Prater

TWO NEW HEAD SETS TO BE INSTALLED:

Those who have difficulty hearing what is said in the auditorium will have two more head phones to allow more to hear. This will make it possible for 6 persons to use these instead of the four previously. These are a gift to the church by interested parties. We hope to have them installed before many days. The four sets which were installed in 1958(I believe it was, have been used every service the speaker system has been in operation. It is wonderful to make it possible for these people to enjoy the services with the same joy and ease with which others hear. The rearranging of the speakers last year made it possible for all to hear better, now this will improve even more.

OUR SICK FOLK:

CLYDE CANTRELL. came home Tuesday and had a fine night Tuesday night; SUE SHIELDS came home Sunday and is doing fine also--we are glad both of these are out of the hospital; ROY NEWBY is progressing nicely, but not able to be up yet; MRS. H.B. RAMSEY is improving nicely at this time; BOBBY PRATER is slowly improving according to last report; DORA WEST not as well Sunday; HERSHEL WEST sick Sunday; B.C. HALL out of hospital; CAROL SUE TAYLOR may be making slight improvement; CALVIN RAY has had trouble retaining his food for several days; WOODROW GRIFFITH had tonsillectomy Monday and is doing fine. YOUR COOPERATION IN KEEPING US INFORMED OF ANY WHO ARE ILL IS APPRECIATED VERY MUCH. CALL 2486 or 7321.

"WHO IS SITTING IN YOUR SEAT?"

A preacher met one of the lukewarm members on the street Monday morning. The man knew he was in for it, for the preacher had often spoken to him before about failing to attend services. He thought he would beat the preacher to the punch and take the sting out of the rebuke by making a frank confession. "Well, my seat was empty again yesterday," said the member. "Oh, no," replied the preacher, "It was not empty at all." "What?, who was there?" Satan was there in your seat, leering up at me and saying, 'I got him again, preacher!'" What about you. Copied

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A BETTER WORLD BEGINS WITH ME.

James D. Willeford

Sometime ago I read the sage counsel of a wise person who said, "A better world begins with me." I have thought of this truth many times, and it has been a tonic for my soul. It jolted me, and helped me realize that I could not twiddle my thumbs and expect the world, I must make it better myself.

But what could I do, I asked, and the answer startled me. It was obvious that I had overlooked it. "Take heed unto thyself and serve others," was the reply. Yes, making the world better, begins with me and I must begin with myself.

To improve myself I must begin with my heart, for "out of it are the issues of life." Before I can make the world better, I must remove all the malice, hypocrisy, hatred, and envy from my heart, and fill it with love. I cannot heave rocks at my neighbors, poke fun at my associates, believe the worst about others, and make the world better. I must believe in others, trust others, and find qualities to praise in others (Phil 4:8)--if a better world is to begin with me.

But self-improvement is not enough. I must help others to improve themselves. Young people need a hand with their recreation, and a multitude of other problems that face them in school and home. They need confidence and a chance to develop their abilities. They need encouragement and an opportunity to serve.

The elderly may be lonely and what a comfort to one in the shadow of life's fading day, for someone to call and say, "I'm thinking about you."

Take the home next. Make life sweeter for the ones you live with every day. Husbands, wives, children crave the love and devotion of other members of the family.

Make a business of BETTER WORLDING, and a better world it will be, but remember that "A better world begins with me." (Condensed and taken from the Pasadena, Texas Bulletin as it appeared therein).

Brother Willeford has been a personal friend of mine since the days he lived in the Boles Orphan Home. He has been the speaker many times on the Herald of Truth Radio Program, BCH.

BYBEE BRIEFS

CONGRATULATIONS to those who had perfect attendance for Bible School in July. Their names appear as follows: Pre-School(2-3 Years Old)Denese Cantrell, Lynn Mullican--Dorothy Foster Teacher.

Pre-School(4-5 Year Olds)Jane Cox, Eddie Hice, John Cox, Carolyn Hice, Becky Brock .Lucille Newby and Juanita Ray teachers.

2nd Grade: Greg Brock, Debbie Cantrell, Rickey Jones, Terry Warren, Edd: Walter West, Nonna Kay Young. Ruth Allison and Nancy Green teachers.

3rd Grade: Charlotte Cox, Fred Cox, Debbie Shields Elsie Fisher and Beatrice Rigsby teachers.

4th Grade: David Holmes, Jerry Powell West, Gon Riddle, Angela Jones, Martha Jane Green, Carol Newby. Corrie Holt and Lucille McBride teachers.

5-6th Grades: Gary Gribble, Nora Louise Underwood, Carol Glenn, Lucille Cox, Tamara Womack, Paula Cantrell, Mary Gann(attended one Sunday in Murfreesboro) and Susan Cooper(one Sunday in Chattanooga--missed class but went to worship). *

Any corrections for this listing should be made with the child's teacher. I copy them as the teachers pass them along to me.

* Ruth Newby and Mary Wilkinson teacher 5-6 Grades.

GORDON GAYNON TO BE HERE FRIDAY NIGHT AT 7:30.

Brother Gaynon will present facts concerning the work in Newport, Vt. This is a great mission field and you are encouraged to be present for this lecture regarding the needs and opportunities for the great north eastern part of our nation. Slides are to be shown illustrating the work there.

OUR SYMPATHY is extended to the family of Will Christian whose funeral was conducted Sunday afternoon.

SUNDAY WAS A FINE DAY AT BYBEE BRANCH.

It was wonderful to be at home and to be greeted by fine attendance for Bible Classes, preaching and the singing was fine also. We can do "all things through Christ who strengtheneth us". Lets have even more next Sunday. Christ misses you when you fail to be present and we miss you. We need you and you need Christ. We hope to see you in Bible Classes Sunday morning and for worship at 11 and 6:30.

OUR SICK FOLK:

JAMES HENDERSON is some better; Those closest to CAROL SUE TAYLOR think she may be improving some; ROY NEWBY is still doing better, but not able to sit up yet; CALVIN RAY is about the same; MRS. H.B. RAMSEY is doing as well as can be expected; DORA WEST is not showing any improvement; WALTER WEST has been off from work due to high blood pressure; CLYDE CANTRELL is doing well; SUE SHIELDS is also doing well following her operation; WOODROW GRIFFITH has recovered rapidly following his tonsillectomy; MRS. SMITH STROUD is feeling some better; DRUE VISA RAY isn't doing too well and hasn't been for some time.

OUR SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED to the family of Cora Bell Hoover who passed away last night. She was an aunt of brethren Lavern Cooper and Dalton Hoover who both worship with us at Bybee. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at this time.

HAVE YOU EVER sung with 10,000 people? You can have that opportunity if you will attend the Nashville gospel meeting to be held in the city auditorium on Oct. 7-14. Make your plans now to attend on Thursday night Oct. 11. We should get at least 100 from the Bybee Branch congregation for that night.

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FINANCIAL REPORT FOR JUNE 1962 BY A.A. ALLISON, TREAS.

BALANCE ON HAND JUNE 1, 1962	136.07	
CONTRIBUTIONS IN JUNE:		
JUNE 3	243.30	
" 10	256.96	
" 17	232.36	
" 24	217.70	
" 6(J.A. Dillon Ins. donation)	25.00	
	<u>975.32</u>	<u>975.32</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT TO DEAL WITH IN JUNE		1,111.39

EXPENDITURES FOR JUNE:

Middle Tenn. Gas Dist.	11.01	
J.A. Dillon Insurancechurch Bldg.	150.84	
Bea's Nylon Shop(Dean Morgan)	7.18	
Calvin Ray(Custodian 5 weeks)	50.00	
Carl Wood(Custodian 2 weeks)	20.00	
Buford C.Holt(Salary 4 weeks)	395.14	
McMinnville Water and Sewer	2.44	
Gospel Advocate Supplies	55.30	
Rigsby Sheet Metal(Guttering)	66.40	
Joe Rigsby(WAKI radio Programs)	35.00	
Carson Upton(VBS Bus Service)	50.00	
B.C. Morton(Wm Miller Mission for two months)	20.00	
Dickey's Flowers	9.04	
W.L. Cooper(Air Cond. Fund)	100.00	
Carson Upton (Bus service)	100.00	
McMinnville Electric	<u>37.78</u>	
Total Expenditures in June	1110.13	<u>1,110.13</u>
BALANCE ON HAND JUNE 30, 1962		1.26

We are grateful to brother Allison for keeping us well informed concerning the finances. A careful look at this report will show three items for June that were rather expensive but necessary. The \$ 150.84 for insurance; the \$ 66.40 for guttering and the \$ 50.00 for bus service for VBS. The insurance and VBS expenses are annual ones, but we hope the guttering is over for some time. With these behind us we can look ahead to things of the future. The cooperation of the congregation in all our work is deeply appreciated by the elders and preacher as well as the treasurer.

BYBEE BRIEFS

MISSION FIELD REPORTS:-

Last Friday night Brother Gordon Gaynon reported concerning the possibilities in Newport, Vt. A small crowd was present to hear him give this report. Some headway has been gained in the few months the Gaynons have been in Newport. For this and the possibilities for the future we are thankful.

Thursday night (tomorrow night-- this is being composed on Wednesday) Brother Chester Hunnicut will be here to discuss the work among the Cherokee Indians of N. Carolina. He will show pictures to bring the condition of the Indians to us in a more impressive manner. Every member should be interested in the work in other places. Through this means you can compare our own blessings with those of other places. During the years that I have been associated with Bybee Branch you have shown interest in mission work. This is an opportunity to learn some more about this work. The time is 7:30 P.M.

CONGRATULATIONS to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Higgins who have a new son, Thomas Gerald Higgins who was born Aug. 1. Thomas Gerald is a grandson of our Bessie Holt. He weighted 9 lb. and 13 ounces at birth.

THE MEETING REGISTER FOR THE NEXT FEW DAYS:-

IN PROGRESS:

Highland--E.D. Martin preaching 7:30 P.M. Aug. 5-12
White's Chapel-Houston Stiles " 7:30 P.M. " 5-12
Smyrna-John B. Hardeman 2:30 P.M. & 7:30 " " 5-12
Wood's Chapel-Jesse Melton 10:30 A.M. & 7:30 " 5-15
Ragsdale-Rufe Higgins 7:30 Aug. 2-11

BEGINNING

Central--Joe Sanders 3:15 P.M. & 7:30 P.M. Aug. 12-19.
Hebron(White County) B.C.Holt 7:30 P.M. Aug. 12-19
Bro. Holt be here Sunday morning for services.
Earleyville-Morris Womack 7:30 P.M. Aug. 19-29.

SUNDAY WAS A FINE DAY WITH MANY VISITORS:

We had a fine day at Bybee last Sunday. The attendance was good for all services, but we'd like to improve it even more. Bring your whole family and come in time for the classes at 10 A.M., 11 A.M. & 6:30 too.

OUR SICK FOLK:

Word this morning (Wednesday August 15) concerning ERRIC HOLT is that he is growing weaker and his color is not too good, but he still does not suffer much; HOMER KIRBY is better but not gone back to work; ROY NEWBY is allowed to sit up a little now; no late news from MRS. H.B. RAMSEY; DORA WEST not as well today as yesterday; CAROL SUE TAYLOR about the same; CALVIN RAY was taken back for check up this week. His condition is generally about the same I think; it was good to have CLYDE CANTRELL present Sunday; HOYT HARRIS JR doing well; BOBBY PRATER may have improved slightly; no word this week from James HENDERSON. We encourage you to keep us informed regarding the sick.

A GOSPEL PREACHER IS DEAD:

Some of you may have known Brother Charlie King, who has been working in the mission fields for years. Brother King has died of lung cancer according to a call that was completed at the home of the preacher this week. Corrie's sister, who worships in Athens, Ga. where brother King preached was visiting us and received the call. We regret to lose a fellow-worker in the kingdom, but we are confident the future for him is very far better than the things he experienced while here. We too, will soon be going the way he has gone and we too must stand before God in Judgment.

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AUGUST 19, 1962

YOU BE THE JUDGE

We are willing to let you be the judge. We believe you will be fair and impartial with yourself.

In the event that you were absent from Bible school last Sunday, give yourself this test. Check the one that is true in your case:

1. I'm not interested in studying the Word of God on Sunday morning. ___yes ___no.
2. I was more interested in sleeping late than in going to Bible class. ___Yes ___No.
3. The weather kept me from attending. ___Yes ___No.
4. I just didn't want to attend Bible Study. ___Yes ___No.
5. Company came, and I visited with them. ___Yes ___No.
6. I put my business or my pleasure before the Lord and the study of the Bible. ___Yes ___No.
7. I thought I was sick, but I got up and went fishing in the afternoon. ___Yes ___No.
8. I was sick. ___Yes ___No.

VERDICT RENDERED: After careful consideration, I feel sure the Lord was pleased with my absence from Bible Study last Sunday morning. ___Yes ___No.

YES, I ALMOST FORGOT---ARE YOU GOING TO PUT FORTH A GREATER EFFORT TO COME TO EVERY SERVICE? ___Yes ___No.

___Selected.

We had a fine attendance for Bible School last Sunday, but some came in after the Bible School was over. We missed you and hope you will decide to come to class also. The attendance was good for all the services Sunday, and I DO APPRECIATE YOUR COOPERATION IN COMING TO THE 6:00 P.M. service so I could be here and go to Hebron also. That spirit will help us to make a success of the work here. Thanks with all my heart.

BYBEE BRIEFS

A CORRECTION:

Last week on Wednesday night and Then on Sunday I announced that Brother Joe E. Sanders of Jackson Park would do the preaching at Central. I had been informed by some person that he is no longer connected with Lipscomb, and announced that in connection with the other. I had been misinformed regarding his connection with Lipscomb and am glad to make that connection known. I appreciate his sister, Sister Pauline Greene, calling me and correcting me on the announcement. BROTHER SANDERS IS STILL HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AT LIPSCOMB, and I am glad, because he has done an outstanding work there and will continue to do a fine work. Joe is doing a fine work at the great Jackson Park church. He is doing a wonderful job in the Central meeting and I hope you will attend all you possibly can. The meeting will close Sunday night. Sunday night service will be at 7:00 P.M. Let's meet at 6:00 P.M. again and you can attend his meeting while I go to Hebron for the meeting there. I offer my apology to all for the mistake in the announcement.

OUR SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO:

1. Last week we omitted the announcement of the death of Claude Malone, because we did not know he was related to members here. He was a nephew of the Floyd Childress family and the Brack Malone family. We are sorry we did not know this connection until after the bulletin was printed. We offer our sincere sympathy to all.
2. We extend sympathy this week to the family of brother Henry Davis and to the family of Brother Jesse Lance, both of whom passed away this week.

THE MEETINGS:

Central--Joe Sanders preaching--3:15 P.M. & 7:30 P.M.
Hebron--Buford Holt " 7:30 P.M.

(Both meeting scheduled to close Sunday night.)
Earleyville--Morris Womack preaching 7:30 P.M.

Aug. 19-29

MT. Leo--Colman Allmond Preaching 7:30 P.M. 19-28
McMahan--Billy Newby Preaching meeting in progress
but we do not know any details.
Iconium--Gary Colley preaching 7:30 P.M. 19-28.

nity, but they hope to be with us on Lord's Days. They have moved to Smithville, where John is football coach at the high school. They live on Dearman Street.

OUR SICK FOLK:

CAROL SUE TAYLOR has shown marked improvement within the last few days; CALVIN RAY about the same; DORA WEST is about the same; WALTER WEST on the sick list; ERRIC HOLT may be a little improved with four blood transfusions; JESSE HOLMES is a little better and out of the hospital--I regret that I did not know of his illness at the time; RUTH FOSTER ill Sunday night; ROBERT CANTRELL is better now, but unable to attend last Sunday; ROY NEWBY still improving; MRS. H.B. RAMSEY showing improvement; no word from BOBBY PRATER within last few days.

TRAINING FOR SERVICE OCT. 1-5, 1962

All the teachers who attended the training for service last year know what a great help it was. The second annual training for service series is scheduled for Oct. 1-5. That time will soon be here. We need to begin to make our plans to attend every service of that series. Every teacher and all others of the congregation should make every effort to be present each night. Select the field where you teach and go and learn all you possibly can to make you a better teacher. Remember the dates Oct. 1-5, 1962.

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AUGUST 26, 1962

WHAT ABOUT PUBLIC CONFESSION?

A member of the church who has done a wrong so public in nature that others know about, is never humble enough to be forgiven until he is humble enough to publicly take away the reproach he has publicly brought upon the church. When such men and women are ashamed to go before the whole church and make their confession by their own mouth, or through someone else when they are present to give their personal sanction to it, their repentance is not sincere enough to merit their forgiveness.

Some have the false pride of thinking it is degrading to go before a congregation and publicly acknowledge a public sin. The sin is already public. The whole church knows about it. The stain of it is felt by all, and all are entitled to hear the confession of the wrong and enjoy the benefits resulting from such confession. Such confession is calculated to have a good effect upon all parties concerned. It shows the humility of the sinner. It asks the forgiveness of offended brethren, and together offended and offender may pray and petition our heavenly Father to forgive.

One is only adding hypocrisy and falsehood to the public sin committed when he attempts to act as if no sin has been committed. **THERE IS NO SIN MORE PUBLIC THAN THAT SIN OF FAILURE TO WORSHIP GOD.** There is no sin that wrongs more people (brethren) than a failure to attend public worship services and so avow disassociation with the brethren. One who has dropped out of the church a long time cannot slip back as if nothing happened.

Christians are commanded to confess their faults that they may be healed (James 5:16, 1 John 1:9,10), and they should honestly, truthfully and faithfully do so.

Be it understood that sins of a private nature are an entirely different matter, but the sin of being absent from any worship of the church cannot, under any circumstances, be classed as a private matter."

Reuel Lemmons

Brother Lemmons is not classing illness here--he said the sin of missing--that means when we let our personal interests prevent our attending worship. The sin of carelessness and indifference is great and

should be corrected. A failure to do so will send one to hell. We can't go fishing, picnicing etc., when the church is meeting for worship, and remain guiltless before God. God must come first (Matt. 6:33).

B Y B E E B R I E F S

OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO:-

1. The family of Sarah Sparkman (Aunt of Eddith Fuston) whose funeral was conducted last week.
2. George Lee Hildreth (Uncle of Robert Mullican) whose funeral was conducted Sunday.
3. Barbara Ann Pindergraph who was buried last Sunday also.
4. The family of Claude Lewis (an elder of the church in Spencer) who died Monday night.
5. Mrs. Nettie Campbell who died last evening. To all of these families we extend our sincere sympathy.

WE CONGRATULATE Kenneth and Barbara Woods on the safe arrival of Kenneth Dwayne on Sunday August 12. He weighed 7 pounds at birth.

SERVICE AND PROFIT COMBINED:

A few days ago we read a letter from Brother Tom Walker regarding bonds which the church has for sale at 6% interest. I have been away in a meeting and have not had any comment from any of you. If you have money to invest here is an opportunity to be of service to the church in Phoenix and at the same time to make an honest investment which will bring profit. If you are interested, please contact Buford C. Holt to receive the information Brother Walker sent and to get his address. We need to notify him at once about this matter, because the building program is under way.

HEBRON MEETING resulted in one baptism and the very best attention for all services. We believe others were almost persuaded to become Christians and we will continue to pray for their obedience.

RESTORED ON AUGUST 15:

We rejoice to know Homer Kirby was restored last Wednesday night at the mid-week service. Let's all encourage him in every way.

WE LOSE Billie Gray Brock and family from the commu-

FELLOWSHIP MEETING THURSDAY NIGHT:

Remember the monthly meeting to enjoy fellowship is conducted on the evening of the last Thursday in each month. Make your plans to attend. 6:30 P.M. is the time. All will be benefited by attending.

OUR SICK FOLK: Eunice Christian's sister WAVIE HOOVER is in Nashville hospital and due for surgery today(I believe it is); STEVE WILCHER was real sick Sunday evening, but better; CALVIN RAY about as usual; CAROL SUE TAYLOR is improving. Friday is her birthday, send her a card; good to see ROBERT CANTRELL back with us; ERIC HOLT is better following transfusions; ROY NEWBY is better; DORA WEST about the same; WALTER WEST is undergoing tests to discover his illness; CHRISTINE GRIBBLE ill Sunday, but better now; MRS. H.B. RAMSEY is doing very well; BOBBY PRATER may be some better; JESSE HOLMES is improving some; BOB WILKINSON is doing fine following surgery Monday in Manchester; Mary Warren's mother MRS. C.G. LYON is ill--possibly has cancer. Mary is in Texas with her; NORA LEE GRIFFITH unable to attend Sunday; STELLA GHORTE also ill, but better; FLOSSIE WARREN cut her finger last week but no complications as of Sunday. EULA FOSTER not well. IN SPITE OF THE LONG LIST OF SICK FOLK we had good attendance for all services Sunday. Come to class Sunday morning at 10 A.M. and all other services of the congregation.

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FINANCIAL REPORT FOR JULY 1962 BY A.A. ALLISON, TREAS.

BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD JULY 1 1.26

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR JULY:

JULY 1	264.55	
" 8	269.57	
" 15	246.18	
" 22	222.68	
" 29	252.46	
Total Contributions	<u>1246.44</u>	1246.44
TOTAL TO ACCOUNT FOR IN JULY		<u>1247.70</u>

EXPENDITURES FOR JULY:-

Postage for Bulletins(June)	17.01	
Middle Tenn. Gas Dist.	6.63	
Calvin Ray(Custodian)	40.00	
Buford C.Holt(5 Weeks Salary)	495.34	
McMinnville Block Co.	8.45	
Coca Cola Co.(VBS Picnic drinks)	20.58	
McMinnville Electric System	43.80	
McMinnville Flower Shop	16.38	
McMinnville Water System	2.56	
Womack Printing(VBS Certificates)	2.60	
Harold Laws(Materials)	12.45	
Joe Rigsby(Radio Programs)	35.00	
Gospel Advocate(Subscriptions)	26.50	
Gospel Advocate(Materials)	34.94	
Imperial Co.(Additional work on Air Conditioner)	30.25	
Middle Tenn. Gas(For Aug.)	6.13	
McMinnville Water Co.(for Aug.)	2.20	
Postage for Bulletins(July)	17.08	
William Miller(Mission Work)	10.00	
W.L. Cooper(Air Cond. fund)	100.00	
Taylor Impression Co.(Supplies)	10.35	
Carson Upton(Bus Service)	<u>100.00</u>	
Total Expenses for July	1038.25	1038.25
BALANCE ON HAND JULY 31, 1962		209.45

WORD OF APPRECIATION:

Considering the number of hours work that go into the keeping of records, the trips to pay bills and the responsibility always involved we all owe a great debt of gratitude to our treasurer. Thanks from all.

BYBEE BRIEFS

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR JULY:

- 2-3 Year Old children:Denese Cantrell, Steve Wood, Lisa Cooper, Dorothy Foster and Christine Cooper teachers.
- 4-5 year old children:Kathy Davis, Jane Cox,John Cox, Karen Sharp, Becky Brock, Anne Brooks, Regina Cantrell. Lucille Newby,Juanite Ray Teachers.
- 1st Grade: Teresa Cantrell, Dale Holmes, Jeff Pugh Eula Baker and Mary Jane Green Teachers
- 2nd Grade: Greg Brock, Debby Cantrell, Elaine Foster, Rickey Jones, Dessie Sharp, Donna Kay Young. Ruth Allison and Nancy Green teachers
- 3rd Grade: Charlotte Cox, Fred Cox, Judy Leatherwood. Elsie Fisher and Beatrice Rigsby teachers.
- 4th grade no report.
- 5-6th grades: Gary Gribble, Carol Glenn, Nora Louise Underwood, Judy Mitchell, Mary Gann, Lucille Cox, Tamara Womack, Susan Cooper. Ruth Newby and Mary Wilkinson teachers.

Congratulations to each of you for a fine work in the Bible school. Remember several of you are in line for perfect attendance pins if you will keep up the good work.

MEETINGS CURRENTLY BEFORE US.

- The Woodbury Meeting Aug. 26-Sept. 2 with Bro. Earl West doing the preaching at 10:30 A.M. and 7:30 P.M. daily.
- Smithville meeting Sept. 2-9 or longer.Elbert Young doing the preaching nightly at 7:30.

WEDDING OF RECENT DATE:

On the afternoon of August 16 Brother Holt read the ceremony for Henry Luther Smith and Vesta Ann Adeock which united them in marriage. They now live at 110 Lively Circle.

OUR SYMPATHY is extended to the family of Mrs.Betty Ann Griffin, grandmother of Joyce Griffith and Charles Turner, whose funeral was conducted Sunday afternoon.

CONGRATULATIONS are in order for Paul Cantrell who has completed his school work and graduated last Sunday in Knoxville. Paul will soon go to Houston, Texas to begin work with one of the oil companies.

OUR SICK FOLK:

HALLIE FREEMAN is slightly better; MORRIS GRIFFITH on sick list Tuesday; CAROL SUE TAYLOR still showing improvement; CALVIN RAY about the same; ROY NEWBY is still improving; WALTER WEST AND DELCIE WEST both are better now; DORA WEST is about the same; WAVIE HOOVER is doing fine and should come home this week; JESSE HOLMES is slowly improving; BOB WILKINSON is at home and doing well; MRS. C.G. LYON--no late report on her condition; MRS. H.B. RAMSEY is doing well as far as we can detect; NORA UNDERWOOD not well on Sunday--throat trouble; JIM WITT is better and so is JUDY MILLER who was ill while visiting the Witts..

TRAINING FOR SERVICE PROGRAM OCT. 1-5.

The second annual Training for Service Program will be conducted Monday-Friday on Oct. 1-5 with classes meeting at 7:30 each night and at 8:15 we will assemble in the auditorium to hear the featured speaker of the evening. This is an opportunity for the teachers to gain valuable information from those who have been successful in similar work at other places. We hope that more members will make plans to attend this year than last year. On Friday night of that week Lipscomb Friends and alumni will meet at Hillcrest Restaurant at 5:30 P.M. We hope you will secure a ticket and attend that too.

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SUPPOSE

Men down through the ages have been making excuses when they fail to obey the Lord fully. Adam made his in the garden of Eden: Saul, king of Israel, made his when he failed to destroy the Amalekites; and the one talent man made his when he failed to use his talent.

I have heard many excuses through the years, excuses made by both aliens and Christians. I have wondered at times just how long we would be able to live, if the excuses we offer were really true. Let's just do some supposing and then see if we are always sincere and honest in our excuses.

JUST SUPPOSE we are really as poor as we say we are when it comes to our giving. Would we be able to live if we were that poor? Suppose the Lord would actually make us as poor as we say we are, what then?

JUST SUPPOSE the Lord would make us as sick as we say we are every time we miss a service? (We know that there are times when everyone is too ill to attend). But we also know that there are times when some say they are too ill to attend, but are able to do other things. What if the Lord would just take us up on our excuses and make us really as sick as we claim to be, what then?

JUST SUPPOSE the Lord would take that child away from us that we are always using as an excuse for staying away from worship, what then?

JUST SUPPOSE the weather was as bad on Monday, and the other days of the week as we say it is on the Lord's day--would we be able to work and make a living?

JUST SUPPOSE the Lord would actually make us as busy all the time as we say we are, when we use that for an excuse for not attending worship services--we would not even have time to sleep.

Let's quit looking for excuses, and look for opportunities for worshipping and serving God.

___Floyd J. Spivy

JUST SUPPOSE the Lord made a practice of taking the lives of all liars as he did Ananias and Sapphira would some of the things which are told for the truth be told at all? Would some of those who tell them for the truth be around to tell these things? BCH.

BYBEE BRIEFS

WE EXTEND SINCERE SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILIES OF

1. Sidney Cromwell Hoover (uncle of Lela Smith and great uncle of W.L. Cooper and Dalton Hoover) whose funeral was conducted Tuesday.

2. Clarence Melton, uncle of Ray Melton, whose funeral is to be conducted Wednesday.

3. Clarence Tatum whose funeral is to be Wednesday.

4. Delia Etta Cantrell, whose funeral was conducted Monday afternoon.

To all the relatives we offer our sincere and Christian sympathy.

SEVEN COUPLES HAVE VOLUNTEERED:

Sunday we made an appeal for fourteen couples to volunteer to go once a week to the home of Carol Sue Taylor and give her exercises to help her regain the use of her body. Seven couples have offered to help and others indicated, before we made the announcement, that they would too. We appreciate this willingness and we will have a meeting soon to work out the best time for each to go.

LAST SUNDAY WAS A GOOD ONE FOR ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING

at Bybee Branch. The Bible school was off slightly from the previous Sunday, but the attendance for both morning and evening worship services were well attended and the contribution the largest we have had for some time. Let every member take note and see what can be done when we are all in place doing our very best for the Lord.

MEETINGS IN PROGRESS:

Smithville with Elbert Young doing the preaching each night at 7:30 through Sunday night.

Hebron with Garland Elkins doing the preaching daily at 10:30 and 7:30 P.M. through Sunday night.

Viola with John Allen Chalk doing the preaching at 10 A.M. and 7:30 P.M. through Sunday night.

White Hill with Vernon Joines doing the preaching at 7:30 each night through Tuesday night.

IF

The elders left it up to you would we have a Sunday morning Bible class for different ages? Would we have worship or go visiting and fishing? Would we have any Sunday evening worship service or Wednesday night?

encouragement to the brethren and especially to him. Every preacher needs the encouragement and support of the church for which he preaches as well as all other Christians. We remember when Aaron and Hur stayed up Moese hands(Ex.17:8-16 and especially versel2).A preacher needs his hands upheld also and I will be very grateful for your continued support in this meeting at Centertown. Services will be at 7:30 P.M.

OUR SICK FOLK:

CAROL SUE TAYLOR shows improvement; CALVIN RAY is about the same; DORA WEST is about holding her own; WALTER AND DELCIE WEST were both back with us Sunday for which we are thankful;BOB WILKINGSON also able to be back Sunday and we rejoice that he has recovered so rapidly; ROY NEWBY is continuing on the mend;NORA UNDERWOOD has had throat trouble for several days; WAVIE HOOVER is back home now; HALLIE FREEMAN is improving, but still in the Clinic; ERRIC HOLT had to return for more transfusions last week--no late word from him; J.M. BROWN(Sis. Hardcastle's brother in law) has been in hospital, but now confined to the home according to bulletin from his home town;SIS.H. B. RAMSEY is improving. Be sure to report any information regarding the sick to the study by calling 2486 or to Sis. Nora Lee Griffith by calling 7321.

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SEPTEMBER 16, 1962

WORKING FOR THE LORD

Evidently many members of the church think the work of the church of the Lord is confined to the worship services, and that, on Sunday morning. Everything we do as Christians should be the work of the Lord. The worship services do constitute a part of the Lord's work, but the visiting of the sick, the caring for the needy, the strengthening of the weak and the exhorting of the faint hearted and the admonishing of the disorderly all make up the work of the Lord. Perhaps this misunderstanding is one reason so very few in the church take part in the visiting, the administering to the sick and other things which are a part of the Lord's work. Every time you invite a person to attend the services you are working for Christ, and every time you administer to the needy you work for Christ.

There are so many things that every person in the church can do for Christ--even the young girls who have obeyed the gospel can help people in distress and thereby encourage them to faithfulness. If you know of some aged person whose eyes are bad and who cannot read, you could make it a regular custom to go by and read for him/ her. The young people could take afternoon about and give some cheer to every sick member in the church and yet you would spend but one afternoon each during the week. We now have couples who are going and administering exercises for Carol Sue Taylor to help her gain the use of her body-- why not check with her mother and see if it would be all right for you high school girls to drop in in the afternoons and read to her. She is capable of understanding now and no doubt would enjoy knowing some of the things happening at school as well as about the Bible. Sister Drue Visa Ray would likely like to have some of you read for her, since she used to be a school teacher. There are so many things you can do, if you will do it.

I recall an account I heard a preacher relate many years ago. A young man wanted to "Quit the church" and told the preacher so. He said, "If you are determined to quit, I'd like for you to do something for me before you do." The young man gladly accepted. He was assigned a duty to help a needy person. After he had learned the joys of serving he

no longer wanted to give up his religion. So many in the Lord's church have been fed the rich word of God without exercise until they have "spiritual indigestion". They need exercise in service to make a complete cure for this attitude. BCH

BYBEE BRIEFS

CONGRATULATIONS; Jimmy Blankenship and Louise Bennett who were united in marriage on Saturday Sept. 8. We hope for them a long and useful, as well as happy, married life.

OUR THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING FOR THEIR ASSISTANCE TO CAROL SUE TAYLOR: Already assigned a time:

Sunday--Lester and Flossie Smartt
Monday--Marion and Hilda Jones
Tuesday--John Robert and Wilda Mae Porter
Wednesday--Christine Cooper and Elsie Fisher--After-

noon
Wednesday--Morris and Scarlet Griffith
Thursday --Joe and Beatrice Rigsby
Friday--Jay and Evelyn Young
Saturday--Thomas and Mary Jane Green.

Time to be assigned:

Buford and Corrie Holt--at a time when others cannot go. So far Buford Holt has accompanied the others for their first visit.

Louise Smith--was not present Sunday evening and so has not received her assigned time.

Floyd and Otie Harris--some day through the week, but not specified.

We believe these exercises will help her to gain her health and be able to walk again. It will be a long hard work, but if we can help her to recover our services will have been well spent. We thank each of you for your cooperation and work. Any others who desire to help may do so, because the more exercises she receives the more good results we'll get.

CENTERTOWN MEETING:

Brother Holt will be engaged, next week, in his last meeting for the year. He will be here for the Sunday evening services at 6:30 and will appreciate your cooperation with whoever preaches Sunday morning. He hopes many will attend his meeting and lend

OUR SICK FOLK:

DORA WEST was about the same last report; CAROL SUE TAYLOR is showing improvement; CALVIN RAY is little changed; RICHARD GARRETT (nephew of the Holts) sustained a broken leg last week in a bicycle wreck; ROY NEWBY is able to be up and about the house some now; MIZEL LOCKE was ill Sunday, with high blood pressure, but is feeling better now; HALLIE FREEMAN is better and may be reached with cards or mail at Box 129, Route 5 McMinnville, Tennessee (I believe this is her Sister's home—she was to go there until she is able to do her own work. ERRIC HOLT was feeling better, following more transfusions a few days ago, according to a letter received this week; MRS. H.B. RAMSEY is doing nicely at this time.

SEWING FOR DEAN MORGAN IS SCHEDULED FOR THE WOMEN.

Announcement is to be made Wednesday night regarding the sewing for Dean Morgan. All ladies who are in a position to sew please take note as to the time and place for the sewing. This is a worthy work and one you will find pleasure in doing. Orphan children need the help and Christian love and attention that we are able to give--LET'S GIVE IT. "Pure religion and undefiled before our God and Father is this, to visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep oneself unspotted from the world." James 1:27).

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THE IMPORTANCE OF "ONE"

Think of the importance of ONE. ONE false alarm can cause a panic. ONE mischievous boy can break up a school. ONE wayward child can break a mother's heart. ONE false step can ruin a life. ONE lie can destroy a person's character. ONE backslider can grieve the Holy Spirit.

And ONE visitor brought to every service by every member would double our attendance for every service. ONE additional dollar contributed by each member would increase our missionary and benevolent programs. ONE person converted by every Christian each year would mean the world for Christ before long.

ONE prayer and ONE scripture reading every day would make for greater spiritual growth among the Lord's people.

Each member of the church needs to realize that he/she counts for ONE. Remember that you can count ONE, and it is by your presence, your prayers, and your contribution that this congregation will be able to make progress. YOU count for ONE! Selected.

" A CHRISTIAN MUST GET ON HIS KNEES BEFORE HE CAN GET ON HIS FEET "

"WE NEED MORE GRANDPAS!"

Junior bit the meter man

Junior hit the cook

Junior's anti-social now

(According to the book);

Junior smashed the clock and lamp;

Junior hacked a tree;

(Destructive trends are treated in chapter 2& 3.

Junior threw his milk at Mom,

Junior screamed for more;

(Notes of self-assertiveness are found in chapter 4).

Junior tossed his shoes and socks

Out into the rain;

(Negation, that is normal--disregard the stain).

Junior set Dad's shirt on fire,

Whittled Grandpa's pine;

(That's to gain attention, see page 89).

Grandpa seized a slipper, and yanked Junior 'cross his knee; (He read nothing but the Bible since 1893).
Selected.

B Y B E E B R I E F S

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY to Brother Wallace Beasley, whose grandmother accidentally burned to death last week. Evidently she caught fire when cooking her breakfast because they found the burned toast. She was 83 and lived alone. Wallace and Betty came for the funeral.

BROTHER FRED G. TAYLOR, JR. will preach for us Sunday morning at 11:00 A.M. Brother Holt will be here for the evening service at 6:30. . The Meeting at Centertown is off to a good start with one baptism thus far and with increased attendance on Tuesday night. The meeting closes Sunday night.

TRAINING FOR SERVICE OCTOBER 1-5 AT 7:30 P.M.

Make your plans now to attend our Training for service program October 1-5 at City High School. The registration cards are at the church building and we will appreciate your filling them out ahead of time to save time and confusion on the first night of the program. Just select the class you wish to attend and mark it. If you wish to attend a different class each night you may show that too, but we think you will gain more by attending one class all the way through the week. We hope to have the cards in the different classes Sunday morning for you to sign and fill out.

FELLOWSHIP MEETING NEXT WEEK SEPTEMBER 27.

The weather is getting cool and this will possibly be the last out door gathering we can have this fall so let every one take advantage of this opportunity and come together for a period of Christian fellowship. The hurried life of today prevents the closeness that once prevailed when people remained at the church building for long periods following each service. We can help to remedy this by our monthly gatherings for a friendly visit with each other.

OUR SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO THE FAMILY OF BOBBY ROWLAND.

After we printed the bulletin last week we learned of the death (in a plane wreck) of Bobby. He is a nephew of Brother Thomas E. Green. Bobby was in the armed services and at the time Brother Green was telling me, he had not learned any details. We extend to him and the family our sincere sympathy in this tragedy.

OUR SICK FOLK:

VERNICE DOTSON is in Medical Clinic for tests and we hope will soon be out; DORA WEST is about as she has been for several days; ANTHONY COPE suffered a broken leg Saturday afternoon or night. He is doing well at home; MRS. BRYAN CANTRELL (sister in law of Drucilla Hussey, Lilian Cantrell and Connie Phillips) is seriously ill according to a message received on Tuesday; CALVIN RAY is about the same; CAROL SUE TAYLOR is showing some improvement; ANGELA JONES had to miss services Sunday due to illness but was able to return to school Wednesday; NONNIE JONES missed work most of last week due to illness, but was able to return this week. ALLIE NEWBY has been confined to her home with Asthma but is better today. OUR THANKS TO FRED G. TAYLOR JR for the fine lesson he delivered last Sunday morning. We have heard good reports of his sermon.

THE CENTERTOWN MEETING A GREAT SUCCESS:

Five people were baptized during the meeting at Centertown. Sunday morning we broke the previous high for the attendance. Sunday night we had the largest attendance ever to assemble in their building, according to announcements made there. The other churches of the county supported the meeting well and we appreciate the help from Bybee Branch. This meeting was the last scheduled for this year.

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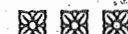
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WHAT ABOUT THOSE "MISSING LINKS ? "

In November, 1953, the "Piltdown man," which for forty years has been described as one of the "missing links" between man and his simian ancestors, was exposed by three British Scientists as a DELIBERATE FRAUD—a HOAX PERPETRATED ON THE PUBLIC by some unknown prankster more than four decades ago.

The "Piltdown man", which was composed of a portion of a jawbone, several important parts of the skull, and three teeth, was subjected to chemical tests by Dr. K.P.Oakley of the British Museum, and Oxford University professors J.E. Weiner and W.E.Le Gros Clark. These tests "prove beyond doubt that the vital jawbone of Charles Dawson's Discovery(in 1911) was a deliberate plant faked up" from the jawbone of a modern ten-year-old ape, said the Associated Press dispatch of November 21, 1953.

This is by no means the first case of fraudulent missing links being foisted on an unsuspecting public. Many "Dawn Men" of earlier finds have, after further investigation, turned out to be spurious. The "Heidelberg man" is neither a man nor a skull, but a jawbone found in a German Quarry in 1907.It is very similar to the jawbones of the Aborinines of New Caledonia, who are quite "modern" in all other respects.(Theodore Graebner, God and the Cosmos, Page 393)

The "Neanderthal man", a skull cap found in 1856 near Duesseldorf, Germany, while unusual in some respects, was believed by DR. Meyer, of Bonn, and some other scientists, to be the remains of a Cossack killed in 1814! In any event, DR. T.H. Huxley admitted, "In no sense can the Neanderthal Bones be regarded as the remains of a human being intermediate between man and apes." D. Schaaffhausen confessed, "In making this discovery, we have not found the missing link"(Quoted in God and the Cosmos,P.394).

In 1922 the "Nebraska Man" was discovered and was used as proof of evolution in the famous Scopes evolution trial in Dayton, Tennessee in 1924.Five years after its discovery, however, the belated news was that the "Nebraska Man" was nothing more than the tooth of an extinct Peccary(pig) (Evolution, International Christian Crusade,P. 31).

The "Southwest Colorado Man" was another missing link that turned out to be a tooth, this time a tooth from a small horse. (Harry Rimmer, The Theory of Evolution and the Facts of Science P. 123).

Perhaps the most ridiculous "Missing Link" of all was that of a South American man discovered about 1927. There were found "certain skulls of distinctly ape-man traits--- (which) proved on examination to be peculiarly shaped rocks"(Graebner, OP.CIT.,P. 311).

This, then, is the type of "scientific proof" that has been given to the public to demonstrate the theory of organic evolution. Let us bear in mind the fact that the so-called missing links are not links between man and a "lower animal."

The missing link is still missing. We shall continue to believe that "God created man in his own image"(Genesis 1:27). ___Adapted from 20th Century and passed along through the Paducah, Ky. Bulletin

T I M E L Y A D V I C E

If you are IMPATIENT, sit down quietly and talk with Job.

If you are just a little STRONG-HEADED, go and see Moses.

If you are getting WEAK-KNEED, take a good look at Elijah.

If there is NO SONG IN YOUR HEART, listen to David.

If you are getting SORDID, spend a while with Isaiah.

If your FAITH is not up to PAR, read Paul.

If you are LAZY, read James.

If you are losing sight of the FUTURE, climb up the steps of Revelation and get a glimpse of the promised land. ___Selected

PRAYER OF A CHRISTIAN HUSBAND

"Lord, may there be no moments in her life
When she regrets that she became my wife.

Help me to do the utmost that I can
To prove myself her measure of a man.

Since Years must bring to all their load of care,
Let us together every burden bear,
And when death beckons one its path along,
May not the two of us be parted long."M.V.Caruther

OUR SHUT-INS:

There are several people who are permanently disabled and are confined to their homes. Some who are able to attend only occasionally. We often forget to mention them in making announcements. Let's remember them with visits and in our prayers, also assist them when opportunity arises.

- Sister Laura Askew able to attend part time.
- Sister General Barrett " " " " "
- Sister Hassie Greer Permanently disabled.
- Alpha Moffit (Brother) " " " " "
- Sister Drue Visa Ray " " " " "
- Sister L.E. Spain Confined to home
- Brother L.E. Spain, Vetran's Hospital(Murfreesboro)
- Sister Sarah Stanley Confined to home.
- Calvin Ray, bed fast
- Carol Sue Taylor, Bedfast
- Sister Ada Tramel, confined to home.
- Brother John Turner " " " " "

OUR SICK FOLK(Temporarily)

JUDY WATSON minor surgery last week; ANTHONY COPE recovering nicely; DORA WEST about the same; ROY NEWBY still improving; ALLIE NEWBY still bothered by asthma; VERNICE DOTSON LEFT the clinic Sunday; DELIA WHITEAKER missed Sunday; JOE HICE seriously ill; MRS. C.G. LYON doing all right last report; MARTHA JANE GREEN better.

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OCTOBER 7, 1962

AN OPPORTUNITY OF A LIFETIME

Next week(October 7-14) we will have the opportunity to attend the City-wide gospel meeting in Nashville. The new city auditorium will be used for the first time, and the church is fortunate to have the use of this spacious building for the first services there. It will seat 10,400 people. There are enough members of the church to fill this building each night, but we do not want to fill it with members of the church--we want to fill it with members and others who are not members, so we can teach them the truth. This is YOUR OPPORTUNITY to assist in a wonderful undertaking and it is an opportunity of a lifetime for you to meet with and engage in singing praises to God with ten thousand people. Surely you want to be a part of such a gathering. We hope to have a school bus or maybe two to take people from Bybee Branch. Think this over before hand and be ready on Sunday to indicate that you plan to make the trip with us. It is essential that we know before hand, so we can arrange for the bus or buses and driver or drivers if we are to make the trip. Our plans are to go with a large group from the county on Thursday evening October 11. By filling the buses we can make the round trip for \$ 1.00 each. The time for us to be ready to leave is 5:00 P.M. Be at the church building at 5:00 P.M. and then we will have time to get with other cars and buses. The plans are for us to have a highway patrol escort to help us through the towns. We hope many of you will take advantage of this unusual opportunity. The association with members of the church to and from Nashville will be worth the price of the trip.

TRAINING FOR SERVICE IN PROGRESS

Our failure to see some of you is not an indication that you are not attending, but we are quite sure that some are not. We wish to inform you, that those of you who are failing to attend are the losers in that you are missing some fine instruction in Bible teaching and the speeches have been wonderful. The weather has been somewhat against us, but in spite of that fact the attendance has been great and we hope for even better things before the week ends.

BYBEE BRIEFS

TENNESSEE ORPHAN HOME TRUCK TO BE HERE OCTOBER 8.

The members at Bybee Branch have always responded to appeals for assistance in food and clothing when appeals have been made. The annual trip made by the driver of the truck from Tennessee Orphan Home is at hand. He will be here Monday(Next) October 8. We do not know what time he will be here, so bring your donation--food of any kind and grain etc.-- to the church building early so we will be sure to meet the truck. This year we are storing our things in the room formed when we closed the steps to the basement of the church building. This is a good dry place and more accessible for loading etc. than the dressing room which has been used before. Let's make this the very best year yet. Let's share our plenty to supply their needs.

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY TO THOSE WHO WEEP.

Last week several deaths touched members of the Bybee Branch church. We may miss some, but we extend sympathy to all the families.

1. Sister Della Cantrell, who used to worship here was buried. Sorry we did not know it was Sister Della until after the funeral. Our sincere sympathy is extended to all the relatives.
2. Sister Rosa Bell Mitchell also was buried last week and we extend sympathy to all the loved ones who are left to mourn her passing.
3. Brother Frank Parker, elder at Morrison, passed to his reward and we extend sympathy to the family and church at Morrison.
4. On Saturday Sis. Maggie Yates passed away. She was the grandmother of Shirley Yates and Helen Yates Hillis. Our heartfelt sympathy goes to all the family.
5. Death came early(less than five years) to Linda Gayle Blaylock whose funeral was conducted also last week. I do not know that she was related to any here but we extend sympathy to parents who lost a lovely little girl. All the others had lived a full life, but Linda was just beginning. We weep with those who weep in her loss.

THANKS FOR A BEAUTIFUL ARRAY OF FLOWERS LAST SUNDAY. We do not know who supplied them, but thanks to all who had a part in supplying them for us to enjoy.

responded as well as the members here, he went back with a loaded truck. There was some mix-up on the part of the home. They sent out letters to the churches, but on some of them they failed to give the date the truck would be here, so some churches were not ready. We are happy that you gave generously and we know the children will enjoy the fine foods given. We need to prepare us a food room to store foods for needy cases which will arise with winter upon us. We have the space and let's make it a custom to bring foods(canned) to store there for the needy season!

OUR SHUT-INS:

Sister Laura Askew--able to attend part time.
 " Genira Barrett-- " " " " "
 " Hassie Greer -- Confined to wheel chair
 Bro. Alpha Moffit-- " " Home
 Sis. Drue Visa Ray--Bedfast
 Bro. L.E. Spain--Veteran's Hospital in Murfreesboro
 Sis. " " --Confined to home
 " Sarah Stanley-- " " "
 "Smith Stroud -- " " " (Sorry we omitted her last week.
 " Ada Tramel, Confined to the home
 Bro. John Turner " " " "

OUR SICK: CALVIN RAY, CAROL SUE TAYLOR, DORA WEST, VERNICE DOTSON, ANTHONY COPE, all about as for past few days. ALLIE NEWBY back with us. Ela Fariss back home.

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FINANCIAL REPORT FOR AUGUST 1962 BY A.A. ALLISON, TREAS.

BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD AUGUST 1, 1962	209.45
CONTRIBUTIONS FOR AUGUST:	
AUGUST 5	248.92
" 12	264.53
" 19	226.63
" 26	<u>245.17</u>
Total Contributions for August	985.25
TOTAL TO ACCOUNT FOR IN AUGUST	<u>1194.70</u>

EXPENDITURES FOR AUGUST:	
Calvin Ray(Custodian)	40.00
Gospel Advocate(Supplies)	28.30
Buford C. Holt(Salary)	396.00
McMinnville Electric	40.58
M.T. Gossett Co.(Repair on Air Conditioner)	93.90
Alvin Byars(Amplifier tube)	1.90
Gospel Advocate(Literature &Sub)	46.49
W.L. Cooper(Air Cond.Fund)	100.00
Carson Upton(Bus Service)	100.00
William Miller(Mission Wk)	10.00
Cash(Bulletin Postage)	21.46
McMinnville Flower Shop	7.50
Middle Tenn. Gas Dist.	6.51
Joe Rigsby(for Radio programs)	<u>35.00</u>
Total Expenditures for August	927.64
	<u>267.06</u>

Thanks to Brother Allison for a fine work as the treasurer of the church. If every member had to do the amount of work for the church that the treasurer does they would think they were giving all their time to the Lord's work. They would be giving much more than they are now.

TRAINING FOR SERVICE A SUCCESS FOR THE SECOND YEAR.

There were large crowds for the training for service last week in spite of the rain for the first two nights. The nightly average was 1089 for classes and the largest attendance for classes was 1190. This is wonderful. On behalf of the elders we say thanks to all who helped with chairs, teaching, ushering and anything else that had to be done to make our part

a success. The success of the whole program was the willingness of the people to work at whatever they were assigned to see that the teaching program was done properly.

BY BEE BRIEFS

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR SEPTEMBER:

PRESCHOOL(4-5 Year Olds) Regina Cantrell, John Cox, Becky Brock, Anne Brooks, Jane Cox(Lucille Newby and Juanita Ray teachers).

FOURTH GRADE--David Holmes, Martha Jane Green, Carol Newby, Gen Riddle(Corrie Holt and Lucille McBride teachers.

FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADES--Gary Gribble, Nora Louise Underwood, Carol Glenn, Judy Mitchell, Lucille Cox, Tamara Womack, Susan Cooper--Ruth Newby and Mary Wilkinson teachers.

To all of these we offer our heartiest congratulations for a work well done. For August and September some of the teachers have failed to have any with perfect attendance records or have failed to report them. Please get those perfect records to us so we can report them. Remember that the year will soon end and we want to have the records so we can give the appropriate pens to all who have perfect records for the year.

WE EXTEND OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY TO

1. The family of Sister Della Walling, cousin of Everett Walling, whose funeral was conducted on Sunday.
2. The loved ones of Brother Claude Tempenny who was buried on Tuesday--he was an uncle of Hilda Jones.
3. Family of William Elmer Cantrell, brother of Burnice Cantrell and one of the first members of the church in Portsmouth, Va.
4. Mrs. Bryan C. Cantrell who passed away Tuesday at 4P.M. No arrangements are known at this time. She was a sister in law of Drucilla Hussey, Lillian Cantrell, and Connie Phillips who worship with us. 'Tis true that we "Nightly pitch our tents one day nearer eternity." May God bless the sorrowing.

TENNESSEE ORPHAN HOME TRUCK TRIP SUCCESS.

You repoded well to our plea for food for the children of the Tenn. Orphan Home. If every church

OUR SHUT-INS.

SARAH STANLEY; ADA TRAMEL, JOHN TURNER, MRS. SMITH STROUD, MRS. L.E. SPAIN, L.E. SPAIN, DRUE VISA RAY, ALPHA MOFFIT, HASSIE GREER. We were glad to see Sis. LAURA ASKEW able to be present Sunday--also Sis. Genira Barrett.

OUR SICK FOLK: Mrs. Mewayne Cooper is very ill in Nashville--she is not a member here, but the daughter of one of the elders at Berea; Mrs. C.G. Lyon is up now and we rejoice to hear it; Sis. Ela Fariss is doing well at Evelyn Young's; Anthony Cope is doing all right; Mrs. Dora West not too well at last report; Vernice Dotson doing all right at last report; Carol Sue Taylor is slowly improving, we think; Calvin Ray is about the same; Barton Smith was some better Monday; Grace Brock is now in St. Thomas Hospital and doing very well; Mrs. Will Christian very ill in Vanderbilt; Rickie Hice missed Sunday due to illness; Leoma Childress has been out with high blood pressure. Lorene Blankenship been out ill lately; Mrs. Mollie Tanner very ill; Elsie Fisher has been sick; Susan Cooper also--has had flu.

YOU will be doing US a SERVICE if YOU will call and inform us of those who are SICK. It is impossible to get to see all the sick every day. So call won't you?

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OCTOBER 21, 1962

SOMETHING NEW FOR THE BULLETIN

We believe we have something to offer which will be of interest to all the members and worth while to you also. Our plans are to give a brief account of our teachers and their work. They have done a fine job with the things they have to work with and deserve some recognition from us and we hope you will enjoy the things we have to say regarding their labors. We will begin with the teachers in the Pre-school classes and work up. Too, we shall take the names of the two teachers of a given class alphabetically. This will enable us to cover the whole teaching staff without overlooking anyone. Then we will take the teachers who have taught, but who are now stand-by teachers (always ready to step in and fill a vacancy which may come as a result of illness or something unexpected). Our records will have to be brief due to space. Here is our first record.

MRS. W.L. COOPER

The impressions made during the first days in a class will have much to do with the future interest of a child. Our pre-school teachers have worked with patience and understanding and have laid the foundation for a fine work in the future. Most of these teachers are mothers of smaller children and they have love and understanding which is so vital for small children going to the class for the first time. Our teacher for today is just such a person. Christine was born in or near Morrison and was baptized by Bro. Mansfield when she was 12 years old. She is the mother of three children, one of whom is a member of the church and the others not yet old enough. She has been teaching for about four or five years and has taught first and second grade previously both on Sunday and during VBS. She gave up teaching for a while to give "full time" to caring for a new daughter but now that she is old enough to attend class Christine has returned to teaching. The fact that she devoted her time to the baby, shows her love for her children and the love for other children also. Christine and Dorothy Foster work as co-teachers for the two and three year old children. Our expression of appreciation goes this week to our beloved Christine

Cooper, wife of one of the deacons at Dybee Branch church. We are grateful for her contributions to our Bible school program.

B Y B L E B R I E F S

MORE PERFECT ATTENDANCE REPORTS FOR SEPTEMBER.

SECOND GRADE--Greg Brock, Elaine Foster, Ricky Jones and Donna Young--Ruth Allison and Nancy Green are the teachers.

Third Grade--Charlotte Cox, Fred Cox, Charles Kirby, Judy Leatherwood. Elsie Fisher and Beatrice Rigby are the teachers. Congratulations to each of you for your contribution to our Bible school.

ROCK ISLAND MEETING NOW IN PROGRESS:

Brother Charles Gentry is doing the preaching in the meeting at Rock Island. I have heard that three have been baptized thus far. Services nightly at 7:30 and your presence will be appreciated.

OUR BIBLE SCHOOL RECORD:

Our Sunday morning Bible school attendance is not as large as it could be if all of us will work to improve it, even though it is usually a little above the corresponding Sunday for last year. The meetings are about over. Your children are in school, so there are few, if any, vacations. We need your help to make the Bible school grow. Every Boy and girl can invite some playmate or friend to come to the Bible school. The high school students could be very helpful if they will use their influence to bring their friends with them to our classes on Sunday and Wednesday. Remember you owe it to your home congregation to attend and to help build the congregation. Come Sunday and bring one or more with you.

OUR SYMPATHY IS EXPRESSED TO THE BEREAVED.

Last week we mentioned the death of Sister Bryan Cantrell, but at that time no details were known. She was buried Sunday. Our sympathy is extended to the loved ones. Also Sister Edd Elder was buried last week--she had family connections with the Homes family, though not actually kin to Vernon and Lynder. We offer our sympathy to them also. Any time you know of a death connected with the membership here we will appreciate your calling to inform us of it.

THE SHUT-INS OF THE CHURCH AND COMMUNITY

ADA TRAMEL, JOHN TURNER, MRS. SMITH STROUD(not so well lately), MRS. L.E. SPAIN: L.E. SPAIN, DRUE VISA RAY(not doing any good either), ALPHA MOFFIT, HASSIE GREER, SARAH STANLEY,--CAROL SUE TAYLOR, CALVIN RAY, OLA JONES. Visit the shut-ins and encourage them in their loneliness and help them to bear their burdens well.

OUR SICK FOLK:

RAYMOND and ILA MAI WOMACK(son and daughter-in-law of Sister John Turner) both been ill but better; RICKY HICE still has cold; George Christian's baby sick Sunday; HARRY CANTRELL in a wreck last week and had to have many stitches taken, he is doing all right now; ELAINE FOSTER is improving following a fractured ankle; MRS. MOLLIE TANNER not so well; DORA WEST is about the same; ANTHONY COPE is doing well; B.A. BANDY in hospital at Smithville; GRACE BROCK about the same as for the last few days; MRS. WILL CHRISTIAN was a very little better Monday; MRS. LEWAYNE COOPER is still on the critical list.

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY to the family of Howard Rouse whose funeral is to be conducted this afternoon. You will help us to help others if you will call and report any illness or a death when you learn of either.

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DOROTHY ELROD FOSTER---OUR TEACHER OF THE WEEK.

Last week we started a new feature in our bulletin which we hope you enjoyed and will continue to enjoy, because we need to know and appreciate our teachers. They work hard and receive so little encouragement for their work. One field of rich reward is the knowledge that they have helped children to know the Bible and to obey God.

Sister Dorothy Foster was baptized when she was sixteen or seventeen years old, by brother W.J. McElroy. As a girl Dorothy worshipped at Oak Grove where she was baptized. Sister Foster has taught Bible classes for about ten years. Most of the time her services have been rendered in the lower grades. At one time she taught on Wednesday night and taught the 4-5 grades. The years of experience, the mother's love for children, and the love for the truth make her especially suited for the place she fills in our Bible School program--teaching the Pre-School children (she and Christine Cooper work as co-teachers). A good beginning is of great value to the future love for Bible school and Bible study. Children who have excellent teachers when they first start to school have a decided advantage over those who have ordinary teachers. The same is true with the Bible school also. Our thanks and appreciation go to Dorothy Foster, the wife of one of our elders, for her wonderful work of training small children.

LOOKING TO THE THINGS BEFORE US.

Five years ago today (Oct. 24) we moved to McMinnville to work with you in spreading the gospel of Christ. The five years completed, this week, have been very pleasant and enjoyable. You have helped to make them happy years. Many things have been accomplished--not as much has been done as we would have liked to have seen, but progress has been made. For all this we are grateful. As we begin another year together we hope you find the same joy and pleasure in working together as during the five years just completed. Let us face the future--the things before us--the work to be done with renewed zeal and determination and let us press forward to that goal set, not by us, but by Christ our leader and saviour. We will never have done enough until we have finished His work among men.

B Y B E E B I L L E T S

A CARD OF APPRECIATION has been received from the family of Lyda Cantrell which "acknowledges with grateful appreciation your kind expression of sympathy."

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY to the families of:

1. Roy Blankenship who was buried Oct. 15. He was a cousin of Sister Eunice Boren.
2. Floyd Boren who was buried October 19. He was related to brother Ernest Boren and an uncle of J.R. Boren, one of the local preachers.
3. Jennie StJohn Henegar, cousin of Ruth Newby and Maymie Webb who was buried Sunday October 21. To all of these we extend our sincere sympathy.

CONGRATULATIONS ARE OFFERED Jimmy and Georgia Ann Francisco on the safe arrival of Anita Kay on Oct. 10. Anita weighed 7 pounds 4 ounces. They are back home now and doing fine.

A PROPOSED SERVICE WELL RECEIVED:

Brother Holt suggested last Sunday that, if we can arrange with the owners, we place literature (20th Century magazine) in the rooms at the Motels, Hotel, and Hospital for the benefit of those who may be staying in the rooms. This will offer us a change to teach the truth. The suggestion was well received. For 15¢ a copy we can place this fine piece of literature there. We need to purchase tracts and print some of our own for such use. The managers of the motels and hotel have agreed for us to place them there. I have not seen the hospital authority yet.

ZONE WORK UNDER WAY:

We have gotten the material into the hands of the zone workers and we hope they are already checking to see that those who are absent are contacted to know why they are absent. Each member has a duty to perform because we are our brothers' and sisters' keeper. They may be sick and need your help. It is not possible for the preacher to do all the visiting and do his work as a preacher. With the cooperation of all members no one is overworked and all can do their duty and have the joy of seeing the work grow.

APPOINTMENTS FOR WORSHIP SERVICES NOVEMBER 4 & 7, 1962

11:00 A.M. NOV. 4.

6:30 P.M.

PRESIDE AT TABLE

A.A. ALLISON

CLYDE CHRISTIAN

PRESIDE AT TABLE

LESTER SMARTT

SERVE CONGREGATION

Edd Gann. Marion Jones

Floyd Harris Claude Jones

Roy Hardcastle Lawrence Kane

Vernon Holmes Shelie Mullican

SERVE CONGREGATION

Ellis Moore

Joe Rigsby

WEDNESDAY NIGHT NOV. 7

LEAD SINGING-- Robert Wilkinson

Prayer--Noel Foster

Benediction--Delbert West

TRUTH WILL OUT SOONER OR LATER.

"A church in Mississippi caused a stir by posting this announcement on its outdoor board: 'NO HEALING SERVICE, DUE TO THE PASTOR'S ILLNESS.'"

A GOOD THOUGHT FOR THE DAY: "Mercy imitates God and disappoints Satan." St. John Chrysostom.

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NOVEMBER 4, 1962

LUCILLE PERRY NEWBY--OUR TEACHER OF THE WEEK.

Our thoughts have been directed to the teachers in the Pre-School Department so far (in our articles about our teachers.) We again take our teacher of the week from that department. This time a teacher of the four and five year old children.

Lucille Perry attended worship services at Central when a girl. One time while visiting in the Smyrna community she attended a meeting conducted by the late Charles Holder. Brother Holder Baptized Lucille when she was thirteen or fourteen years of age. She continued to attend services at Central until she married Carl Newby and then began attending at Bybee Branch. About seven years ago Lucille began her work as a teacher. Since I have been at Bybee Branch she has taught both on Sunday morning and Wednesday night. She is untiring in her work, a devoted mother and a teacher with vision. It has been interesting to me to learn of the many ideas she can use to make a lesson reach the hearts of small children. Her demonstrations of the days of creation are very interesting as well as instructive. The illustration of taking the gospel to the whole world is outstanding. With children in the hands of teachers like Lucille Newby and others we have at Bybee Branch, we can be thankful to our Father in Heaven. Our teacher of the week is to be thanked for her untiring work and appreciated for her loyalty to Christ.

ANOTHER NEW FEATURE OF THE BYBEE BANNER

In order to have better arrangement for the men who serve at the Lord's Table and those who serve the audience we are beginning a listing of the men who are to serve the day of the date on the bulletin and on Wednesday night following. For example those listed in this bulletin will serve next Sunday Nov. 4 and on Wednesday night Nov. 7. For those who may be inclined to forget we will place this information on the back page so you can fold the bulletin and place it in your pocket for ready reference. Be sure to be present to fill your place when you are to help with any part of the Lord's Day service or Wednesday night service. If you can't be present notify Morris Griffith as soon as possible and allow him time to find a replacement for you for that service.

BYBEE BRIEFS

PERFECT ATTENDANCE:

The small children are encouraged to be present each Sunday by listing their names in the bulletin. We encourage the teachers to always turn in the perfect attendance the last Sunday of each month so we can list the names in the following bulletin.
PRE-SCHOOL (2-3 Years old): Denese Cantrell; Steve Wood; Steve Wilcher. PRE-SCHOOL (4-5 Years old): Jane Cox; Eddie Hice; Regina Cantrell; John Cox; Carolyn Hice; Becky Brock; Cathy Davis. THIRD GRADE: Charlotte Cox; Fred Cox; Charles Kirby. FOURTH GRADE: Dickie Martin; Allen Kirby; David Holmes; Mike Foster (the teachers overlooked Mike last month--he had perfect attendance also); Gen Riddle; Martha Jane Green; Carol Newby; Angela Jones. FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADES: Gary Gribble; Nora Louise Underwood; Carol Glem; Judy Mitchell; Lucille Cox; Tamara Womack; Susan Cooper. No report from first grade or second grade yet. Congratulations to each of you.

OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY OF MRS. P.B. TRAIL whose funeral was conducted last week. Sister Trail may be known to some of you by her name Sophronia. She was an aunt of Sister Pauline Green, sister of Bro. Frank Turner and mother of Bro. George Trail. She lived to a ripe age. We sympathize with all those who grieve.

OUR SICK FOLK: B.A. BANDY better and at home; DORA WEST about the same; RAYMOND AND ILA MAI WOMACK are better; ELAINE FOSTER able to be at services Sunday; MRS. SMITH STROUD not so well; GRACE BROCK about the same; MONROE BROWN not well; JERRY WOODLEE is improving some.

OUR SHUT-INS: JOHN TURNER, MRS SMITH STROUD, L.E. SPAIN, MRS. L.E. SPAIN, DRUE VISA RAY, ALPHA MOFFIT, HASSIE GREER, SARAH STANLEY, CAROL SUE TAYLOR, CALVIN RAY, OLA JONES, GEORGIA FISHER, ADA TRAMEL.

TEACHER TRAINING CLASS.

We discontinued the monthly training class for the teachers, when the busy meeting schedule came on. Now that is over we want to resume the class. We will meet for the first time Friday night Nov. 9. The time to be decided later.

APPOINTMENTS FOR WORSHIP SERVICES NOV. 11 & 14, 1962

11:00 A.M. NOVEMBER 11 6:30 P.M.

PRESIDE AT TABLE

W.L. COOPER
DALTON HOOVER

MILTON SHARPE

SERVE THE CONGREGATION

Ellis Moore
Marvin McBride
B.N. Marler
Roy Newby

Walter West
Fuston Womack

USHER FOR 11:00 A.M.

J.E. Ferrell

Grady Foster

WEDNESDAY NIGHT NOV. 14, 1962

Lead Singing--Vernon Holmes

Lead Prayer--Thomas M. Green, Sr.

Closing Prayer--Thomas Green, Jr.

IF FOR ANY REASON YOU CAN'T SERVE CALL MORRIS GRIFFITH
PHONE NUMBER 2072.

BULLETIN MISTAKES: Westminster Presbyterian church
of West Chester, Pa. "Ushers will eat those who are
waiting." "ARMAGEDDON--Earth's last war! Don't miss
this. Where and when will it be fought? At Adventist
Church Sunday Night." Copied

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JUANITA RAY--OUR TEACHER OF THE WEEK.

The church meeting at Bybee Branch is very fortunate to have fine teachers. Your editor believes we have as fine as will be found any place. They have not had as many things to use as some; not as much equipment as some, but they do have the Bible the one piece of equipment which cannot be eliminated, and with their willingness to dig and work and make pieces of illustrative material they are among the best teachers to be found. Another thing that helps our teaching staff is the willingness of our young people to learn to teach and to help the regular teachers. They have been willing to serve along with the regular teachers somewhat as Timothy went and observed and learned from Paul.

Among our younger people who is applying herself in helping with the teaching is Juanita Ray. Juanita graduated from the Central High school in McMinnville and is locally employed. She has been attending the worship services at Bybee most, if not all, of her life. Her grandmother attended here, her mother has attended here. When Sister Ray had to give up her class work due to the illness of Calvin, Juanita stepped in and began helping and has continued to work with Sister Lucille Newby in the 4-5 Year old work. We hope she will have many years to work for the Lord and will devote them all in teaching the word of God. The training she has received and the work she has been doing will make her prepared for any assignment she may be given in the teaching program of the local church. Our word of thanks and appreciation go to Juanita Ray, co-teacher of the 4 and 5 year old children.

SUNDAY WAS A GOOD DAY AT BYBEE

The attendance for all services showed improvement last Sunday. The contribution was the best it has been for some time. Let's keep up the good work and continue to make improvements. All working together we can do it.

"We are journeying unto the place of which Jehovah said, I will give it you: come thou with us, and we will do thee good; for Jehovah hath spoken good concerning Israel." (Num. 10:36)

BYBEE BRIEFS

ANOTHER CLASS REPORT SOME WITH PERFECT ATTENDANCE IN OCTOBER.

SECOND GRADE Greg Brock, Ricky Jones, Terry Warren and Donna Young had perfect attendance. We appreciate the loyalty of our young people. They insist that they be brought for class.

CONCERNING THE PERFECT ATTENDANCE AWARDS FOR 1962.

Some have been asking when the awards would be given. We gave perfect attendance awards in January of this year. These awards were for 1961 and covered the period January 1--December 31, 1961 or July 1--December 31, 1961 according to whether you were given a year or six month award. The awards this year will therefore cover the same period in 1962. Those who have attended every Sunday in 1962 will be given a year's award and those with 6 Months perfect attendance will be given a six month's award.

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY OF SAMUEL R. ALLISON

Brother Austin Allison's uncle died in Cookeville (I believe it was) last week and we extend to him and all the family our sincere sympathy. Bro. Austin has another uncle, Luther A. Allison who is very ill at this time. We hope he will improve.

TEACHER'S MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT (NOV. 9) 7:00 P.M.

Don't fail to be present. Let's continue to have the best teachers possible, by working to improve in every way possible.

OUR SICK FOLK: DORA WEST very ill and losing ground; MOLLIE TANNER about the same; MRS. W.M. ASKEW doing well following surgery; MRS. SMITH STROUD a little better Sunday; MARY JO RIGSBY ill Sunday but better; GRACE BROCK about the same; LOUISE WOOD in Nashville taking test on Sunday--supposed to return Monday.

SHUT-INS: SRS. SMITH STROUD, L.E. SPAIN, MRS. L.E. SPAIN, DRUE VIAS RAY, ALPHA MOFFIT, HASSIE GREER, S/RAH STANLEY, CAROL SUE TAYLOR, CALVIN RAY, OLA JONES, GEORGIA FISHER, ADA TRAMEL, JOHN TURNER, MRS. TENNESSEE MARTIN, MRS. MOLLIE TANNER.

We were glad to have Roy Newby present Sunday after many weeks absence due to illness.

APPOINTMENTS FOR WORSHIP SERVICES NOV. 18 & 21, 1962

11:00 A.M. NOVEMBER 18 6:30 P.M.

PRESIDE AT TABLE

JIM CANTRELL JOE TOM CANTRELL
FRANK FISHER

SERVE THE CONGREGATION

Arthur Shields, Sewell Woodlee Danny Sharpe
James R. Tramel, Edward Woodlee Delbert West
Ewing Underwood, Hollie Wilcher
Oliver Warren, Robert Wilkinson

USHER FOR 11:00 A.M.

Lee Hussey Morris Griffith

WEDNESDAY NIGHT NOV. 21, 1962

Lead Singing - - - - - Terry Womack
Lead Prayer - - - - - Buford C. Holt
Closing Prayer - - - - - Caro Newby

IF FOR ANY REASON YOU CAN'T SERVE CALL MORRIS GRIFFITH
AT 2072. Thanks.

CARD OF APPRECIATION : The family of Marion Thomison
acknowledges with grateful appreciation your kind
expression of sympathy.

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EULA KIRBY BAKER--OUR TEACHER OF THE WEEK

Eula Kirby was baptized the first year the church building was in existence at Bethany. Later she became dissatisfied over her baptism and she was again immersed, this time in 1939. The same night her husband, Barnes Baker, was also baptized into Christ. Eula did her first teaching as a substitute when she and Barnes lived in Peoria, Illinois. Most of this work was done with the fifth grade, although at times she did teach other grades. This work covered the years 1949-1954 and they were years well spent, because they were years of preparation for more work in the Lord's kingdom. Through the years Eula has done personal work in the congregations where she has worshipped--all of which has been a great help to the cause of the Lord as well as to her personal training --Bethany, Oakland, Peoria, Mt. Leo and Bybee Branch. Since coming to Bybee Branch, after they had moved into this community, she was asked to be a teacher of the First Grade. She and Sister Thomas Green have taught the first grade since we divided the first and second grades into two classes. Eula is a diligent worker, a lover of children, and interested in gaining information which will make her a better teacher. She and other teachers are always looking for materials which will help them to present the Word of God more effectively to the children. We congratulate you parents, who have first graders, on having two fine teachers for your children. Our expression of appreciation goes to Eula Kirby Baker as the teacher of the week. We suggest you tell Eula and the other teachers how much you appreciate their fine work among our children. BCH.

ZONE WORKER MEETING SUNDAY EVENING:

We want to have a meeting of all the zone workers following our evening worship Sunday November 18. There are changes to be made in names--people who have moved from one zone to another and reports of those who especially need visiting etc. Please make every effort necessary to be present for this brief meeting. If we will work at this zone arrangements we will see great results within a short time. The fellowship will improve, the attendance grow and more zeal will

be shown by all the members of the congregation. Life in a congregation can be increased as well as slothfulness.

B. Y. B. E. E. B. R. I. E. F. S.

TEACHERS MEETING RESET FOR FRIDAY NIGHT AT 7:00 P.M.

Due to conditions prevailing, we did not have the teachers meeting last Friday night. We hope to have everything in readiness this Friday night. Be present at 7:00 P.M. for a discussion of "HOW TO BUILD A BETTER BIBLE SCHOOL."

YOUNG PEOPLE HAVE PLANS:

The young people plan to meet Saturday and do some work in the basement of our building. Besides doing some painting, we hope to erect a bulletin board which will give directions for any visitor as to what class meets in any given room. We congratulate the young people for their desire to help and hope the zeal they show will inspire others to activity.

WE OFFER SYMPATHY TO THOSE WHO HAVE LOST LOVED ONES SINCE LAST WEEK'S REPORT. The following have been reported: John (Buck-short) Martin; James Marion Thomison; Maggie Lee Chambers; Carolyn Green Cooper. We hope we haven't omitted any, but if we have please call the same to our attention and we will list them next week.

OUR SHUT-INS: L.E. Spain, Mrs. L.E. Spain, Drue Visa Ray, Alpha Moffit, Hassie Greer, Sarah Stanley, Carol Sue Taylor, Calvin Ray, Ola Jones, Georgia Fisher, Ada Tramel, John Turner, Tennessee Martin, Mollie Tanner, Mrs. Smith Stroud. Mrs. (?) Brown (sister to John Cox).

OUR SICK FOLK: GRACE BROCK feeling slightly better today; DORA WEST shows little change; HOMER KIRBY III has been sick but better; CARSON UPTON missed services Sunday due to flu; MRS. SMITH STROUD not doing so well as of Monday afternoon; Jim Campbell in Clinic; Ernest and Eunice Boren both out sick Sunday, but are better today; Leoma Childress been absent for several weeks due to high blood pressure. Lorene Evans in Medical Clinic with back trouble.

The Thought For The Day: "Happy is the man that findeth wisdom, and the man that getteth understanding. For the merchandise of it is better than the merchandise of silver, and gain thereof than fine gold." Prov.

APPOINTMENTS FOR WORSHIP SERVICES NOV. 25 & 28, 1962

11:00 A.M. NOVEMBER 25 6:30 P.M.

PRESIDE AT LORD'S TABLE

Fate Cantrell John J. Wood
Noel Foster

SERVE THE CONGREGATION

Walter West--W.L. Cooper Lynder Holmes
Everett Wailing--Jay Young Ralph Griffith
Billy Cantrell--Grady Foster
J.E. Ferrell--J.B. Gribble

USHER FOR 11:00 A.M.

Shelie Mullican John Robert Porter

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WEDNESDAY NIGHT NOV. 28, 1962

Lead Singing Buford C. Holt
Lead Prayer Carl Wood
Closing Prayer Vernon Holmes

IF FOR ANY REASON YOU WILL BE UNABLE TO SERVE CALL
MORRIS GRIFFITH AT 2072. THANKS.

GOOD NEWS: Last week Peyton Greene went for tests in
Murfreesboro. The doctors found nothing seriously
wrong. We rejoice in this report and happy he is back
with us. Good to have Vernice Dotson back also.

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Radio Program WMMT	-----	8:00 A. M.
Bible School	-----	10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship	-----	11:00 A. M.
Evening Worship	-----	6:30 P. M.

WEDNESDAY

Bible Classes For All	-----	7:30 P. M.
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BUFORD C. HOLT, Evangelist

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NOVEMBER 25, 1962

MARY JANE GREEN-- OUR TEACHER OF THE WEEK.

Mary Jane Mullican has attended services most of her life at Bybee Branch and she was one of the first to attend. I do not know who came the first service or the first few services, but Mary Jane attended when the congregation was first formed. If I remember correctly she was baptized here. She obeyed the gospel when she was fifteen or sixteen years old and when she married Thomas Green she influenced him to attend and was influential in leading him to Christ. The Greens have continued to attend here and all the children are members of the church, except Martha Jane, who is not yet old enough. As all the members know, Thomas is one of the elders and Ruth and Nancy both are members of our teaching staff. There must have been great influences for good to have all these good results to come from them.

Mary Jane has not been teaching very long, but she and Lula Baker have done a fine job with the first grade since we divided the first and second grades into two classes. We appreciate the work Mary Jane is doing to help mold the characters of boys and girls into the image of Christ as she has so effectively done with her own children (with the help of her husband). Our thanks of the week go to Mary Jane Green a Christian wife, mother and teacher.

B Y B E E B R I E F S

YOUNG PEOPLE WORK: We appreciate the work the young people did in cleaning up the entrance to the basement and then painting the room and the hall. Bro. Green and Bro. Holt erected a bulletin board and we will be able to reap finer things as a result of the days work. Thanks young people for you help.

ZONE LEADERS MEETING WELL ATTENDED:

We were pleased with the fine attendance of those who help with the zone work. There were between 25 and thirty present. With all working we can have a great influence for good in the church and community. We want to enlarge our Bible School--some have grown careless and indifferent--they come in for the 11A.M. service only. Let's work harder and do more for Christ.

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY TO THOSE WHO WEEP:

We did not know it until Sunday morning and regret that we did not, but we still extend sympathy to the family of Jay W. Goade who passed away a few days ago. Jay lived in Boise, Idaho, but was a nephew of Opal Walling who is one of us. Then Sunday Brother Everett Walling was in Johnson City, Tenn. for the funeral of his brother in law H.B. Webb. To both of these families we offer our whole hearted sympathy in their loss.

VISIT THESE SHUT-INS:

Elizabeth Brown, Georgia Fisher, Hassie Greer, Ola Jones, Tennessee Martin, Alpha Moffit, Calvin Ray, Drue Visa Ray, L.E. Spain, Mrs. L.E. Spain, Sarah Stanley, Mrs. Smith Stroud, Mollie Tanner, Carol Sue Taylor, Ada Tramel, John Turner

OUR SICK FOLK: John Robert Porter has been able to go back to work, but not well yet; WILDA MAE PORTER is a little better, but not well yet; DORA WEST is about as she has been for several days; GRACE BROCK was a little better yesterday; MRS. SMITH STROUD is about the same; LORENE EVANS was able to leave Medical Clinic Saturday; GEN RIDDLE missed Sunday night due to illness; LISA COOPER had flu; DALE HOLMES out sick Sunday; EUNICE CHRISTIAN had flu; WOODROW GRIFFITH not well Sunday. Please keep us informed about the sick.

SOME CHANGES IN BULLETIN FRONT:

We have recently had additional bulletin fronts printed to replenish our supply. Due to business changes we had to make some changes since our last printing. Radio station WMMT changed hands and name some months ago and we corrected that listing to WAKI. The telephone system is due to change numbers in December so we have changed the phone number to what it is supposed to be when the new system is placed in operation. The new listing on the bulletin is as follows: 473-2486. The calls until the new system arrives will continue to come by dialing the 2486 and after the new system you will simply add the 473 to the original numbers. We hope we have things so we won't have to change next time, because it is costly to make printing changes. Progress is always costly. When we make progress in the Lord's work it cost us something, but it will pay dividends in the long run. So let's keep on investing in the work of Christ. It Pays!

APPOINTMENTS FOR WORSHIP SERVICES DEC. 2 & 5, 1962

11:00 A.M. DECEMBER 2 6:30 P.M.

PRESIDE AT LORD'S TABLE

A.A. ALLISON THOMAS GREEN, SR.

JIM R. CANTRELL

SERVE THE CONGREGATION

Delbert West--Ray Melton Edward Woodlee

Danny Sharpe--Donald Jones Sewell Woodlee

Terry Womack--Ronnie Cantrell

John Shields--Thomas Green, Jr.

USHER FOR THE 11:00 A.M.

L.A. Cantrell Roy Hardcastle

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WEDNESDAY NIGHT DEC. 5, 1962

Lead Singing Vernon Holmes

Lead Prayer A.A. Allison

Closing Prayer Joe TomCantrell

LOOKING FORWARD: We approach the end of a year. We need to be looking to the future to the things which are before us, to greater service in the Lord's kingdom than the service we rendered this year. The need is great--the fields are white unto harvest--we need reapers. Will you stand idly by and let the harvest (crop) ruin because you would not help harvest it?

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Morning Worship	-----	11:00 A. M.
Evening Worship	-----	6:30 P. M.

WEDNESDAY

Bible Classes For All	-----	7:30 P. M.
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DECEMBER 2, 1962

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER 1962 BY A.A. ALLISON

BALANCE ON HAND SEPT. 1, 1962	267.06	
CONTRIBUTIONS FOR SEPT.		
SEPT. 2	305.11	
" 9	247.48	
" 16	237.41	
" 23	258.39	
" 30	216.78	
Total Contributions	1265.17	1265.17
TOTAL TO ACCOUNT FOR IN SEPTEMBER		1532.23

EXPENDITURES FOR SEPTEMBER:

Calvin Ray(Custodian)	50.00	
Buford Holt(5Weeks Salary)	495.37	
Joe Rigsby(Radio Programs)	35.00	
McMinnville Water & Sewer (For August)	2.86	
McMinnville Electric	43.69	
Gospel Advocate(Subscriptions)	26.50	
Park Belk(Dean Morgan)	13.13	
Womack Bros. Wholesale(Juice)	8.80	
W.L. Cooper(Air Cond. fund)	100.00	
Carson Upton(Bus Service)	100.00	
Cash(Bulletin postage)	17.15	
Acme School Supply Co. (Supplies)	5.58	
Middle Tenn. Gas Dist.	4.65	
McMinnville Water and Sewer(Sept. Bill)	2.20	
Total expenditures	904.93	904.93
BALANCE ON HAND SEPT. 30, 1962		627.30

Thank to Brother Allison for an accurate record for the benefit of the church. BCHolt.

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RUTH TALLEY ALLISON --TEACHER OF THE WEEK.

Ruth Talley, known to us as Ruth Allison, was born and reared at Alexandria, Tennessee. She was taught denominationalism as the way of life. After she married Austin Allison they moved to East Tennessee and in 1942 A.A. Hyder baptized her into Christ at Maryville Tennessee. When they moved to Erwin, Tennessee, Ruth taught the Pre-School children for two years. Later

the Allison's moved to Warren County and worshipped with the church at Dibrell for a while. They started attending services at Bybee when B.C. Morton announced a series of lessons on "The Home". They have continued to worship here. Ruth has taught first and second grades at Bybee. When her health became such as to require an operation she gave up her class. While she was out of teaching the first and second grades were divided and now that she is teaching again she is one of the second grade teachers. Ruth is a fine wife and mother as well as teacher. The Allison's daughter is a sophomore at Lipscomb. We give our praise for this week to Ruth Allison for her faithfulness in the work.

BYBEE BRIEFS

OUR SICK(Continued from bottom of page)but still at home unable to work; Oliver Warren having back trouble Sunday; Mrs. Smith Stroud not so well today; Grace Brock about the same; Hershel West is better this week.

DON'T FORGET THE SHUT-INS IN YOUR VISITING.

Elizabeth Brown, Georgia Fisher, Hassie Greer, Ola Jones, Tennessee Martin, Alpha Moffit, Calvin Ray, Drue Visa Ray, L.E. Spain, Jane Spain, Sarah Stanley, Mrs. Smith Stroud, Mollie Tanner, Carol Sue Taylor, Ada Tramel, John Turner.

WILL YOU READ THE STORY OF THE FOOLISH VIRGINS IN MATT. 25:1-13?

We are asking all to read this, but especially those who are members of the church and have quit attending the services. You are letting the oil burn out of your lamps without supplying more. Think what your eternal destiny will be if you do not change! Think what will become of your little children who have grown up in sin and how you are accountable for them! Yes you should begin now to secure more oil for your feeble lamps while there is time.

OUR SICK FOLK: We had several missing from the Bible school and worship services Sunday due to illness. Teresa Cantrell is out with measles, so are Terry Warren and Dale Holmes, but all are better as of the latest reports. Lisa Cooper still out with deep cold, but Eunice Christian and John Robert and Wilda Mae Porter were back with us. Dora West about the same, Loren Evans better, Ruth Green is better(see above)

APPOINTMENTS FOR WORSHIP DEC. 9 & 12, 1962.

11:00 A.M. DECEMBER 9 6:30 P.M.

PRESIDE AT LORD'S TABLE

CLYDE CHRISTIAN NOEL FOSTER
FATE CANTRELL

SERVE THE CONGREGATION

Billy Cantrell--Grady Foster Buell Warren
W.L. Cooper--J.B. Gribble Jay Young
Joe Tom Cantrell--Ralph Griffith
J.E. Ferrell--Hynder Holmes

USHER FOR 11:00 A.M.

J.E. Ferrell Grady Foster

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WEDNESDAY NIGHT DEC. 12, 1962

Lead Singing Terry Womack
Lead Prayer Cecil Cantrell
Closing Prayer Carl Newby

CONGRATULATIONS to Lowell and Mary Warren on the safe arrival of Ronda Ann some time last week. All doing well.

WE REJOICE to learn of the baptism of Beverly Yates Sullivan on Nov. 25.

WE HOPE much happiness will come to Vada Neal and Charles Campbell who were married Nov. 20.

NON'T MISS THE RADIO SERMON DEC. 16 AT 8:00 A.M.(WAKI)
Special recording by guest speaker.

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WEDNESDAY

Bible Classes For All 7:30 P. M.



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DECEMBER 9, 1962

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR OCTOBER 1962 BY A.A. ALLISON

BALANCE ON HAND OCTOBER 1, 1962		627.30
CONTRIBUTIONS FOR OCTOBER:		
Oct. 7	261.96	
" 14	248.75	
" 21	264.05	
" 28	255.26	
Mrs. Thos. Green(Hectograph purchased for personal use)	3.75	
Total Contributions	1033.77	1033.77
TOTAL TO ACCOUNT FOR IN OCTOBER		1661.07

EXPENDITURES FOR OCTOBER:

Training for Service	150.00	
Calvin Ray(Custodian)	40.00	
Buford C.Holt(4 Week's Salary	395.96	
Joe Rigsby(WAKI Programs)	35.00	
King's Dept. Store(Dean Morgan	31.11	
Womack Bros.(Food for needy)	19.98	
McMinnville Electric System	40.10	
Gospcl Advocate(Subscriptions	26.50	
Carson Upton(Bus Service)	100.00	
W.L. Cooper(Heating System)	100.00	
Wm. Miller(Mission Wk.Sept.&Oct.	20.00	
Cash(Bulletin postage)	21.32	
McMinnville Water & Sewer	3.22	
Middle Tenn. Gas Dist.	7.38	
Taylor Imperssion Products	9.55	
Christian Bible Teacher	4.00	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR OCTOBER	1003.52	1003.52
BALANCE ON HAND OCTOBER 31, 1962		657.55

Thanks again to A.A. Allison for a fine report. BCH.

NANCY LOUISE GREEN--OUR TEACHER OF THE WEEK.

Nancy Green may be variously classified. In age she belongs to the young people's group. In education she is a graduate of Central High school. In religion she is a Christian and in religious activity she belongs to the class that is willing to help where she is needed. If some class room or other place needs improving, she is willing to be there. If a teacher is needed, she is willing to be there. It is indeed

DON'T FORGET THE TEACHERS MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT AT 7:00. PARENTS ARE URGED TO BE PRESENT TO HELP US.

wonderful to have young people who are willing to do what they are called upon to do. Nancy graduated from high school with the class of 1962. She had been baptized May 5, 1959--three years before she finished high school. When a co-teacher was needed for the second grade for Sunday morning Nancy was willing to help. She has been doing her part since that time, and is always striving to be a better teacher. To visit the room where she teaches and to see some of the ideas she and the other teachers, who use the room, have produced, makes you appreciate young people and it encourages you to keep trying. We congratulate Nancy Green on the life she is living for Christ and hope for many many more to His glory.

BYBEE BRIEFS

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR NOVEMBER:

2-4 Year Old--Steve Wood, Lynn Mullican, Denese Cantrell. 4-5 year Old:--Carolyn Hice, Jane Cox, John Cox, Becky Brock, Karen Sharpe, Anne Brooks, Eddie Hice, Cathy Davis. First Grade--Dian Kirby. Second Grade--Greg Brock, Debbie Cantrell, Elaine Foster, Ricky Jones, Tessie Sharpe, Donna Young. Third Grade Judy Leatherwood, Charlotte Cox, Fred Cox, Charles Kirby. Fourth Grade--no report given. Fifth and Sixth Grades Gary Gribble, Nora Louise Underwood, Carol Glenn, Gail Cope, Judy Mitchell, Mary Gann, Lucille Cox, Tamara Womack, Susan Cooper. We offer our congratulations to each of these fine students.

VISIT THE SHUT-INS: Georgia Fisher, Hassie Greer, Ola Jones, Tennessee Martin, Alpha Moffit, Calvin Ray, Drue Visa Ray, L.E. Spain, Jane Spain, Sarah Stanley, Annie Stroud, Mollie Tanner, Carol Sye Taylor, Ada Tramel, John Turner--Elizabeth Brown has been taken to California to her sons.

OUR SICK FOLK: NANNIE STROUD not so well; LUCILLE McBRIDE missed due to virus; GRACE BROCK is not as well this morning; DORA WEST about the same; WALTER WEST ill Sunday; GINA and BELA CANTRELL both have measles but doing all right; JANET HOLMES also has measles. Good to have HALLIE FREEMAN with us after a long illness.

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY to the family of MRS. W.C. REEDER who was buried Nov 29.

APPOINTMENTS FOR DECEMBER 16 & 19, 1962

11:00 A.M. DECEMBER 16 6:30 P.M.

PRESIDE AT LORD'S TABLE

Dalton Hoover John Wood

Noel Foster

SERVE THE CONGREGATION

Vernon Holmes--Milton Sharpe Hollie Wilcher

Joel Martin--Carson Upton Walter West

Carl Newby--Buell Warren

John R. Porter--Jay Young

USHER FOR 11:00 A.M.

Lee Hussey Morris Griffith

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WEDNESDAY NIGHT DEC. 19, 1962

Lead Singing Robert Wilkinson

Lead Prayer B.N. Marler

Closing Prayer Carl Wood

OUR SICK: NANNIE STROUD about the same; CHARLIE ELROD to go to Nashville hospital; GRACE BROCK about as she has been for several days; DORA WEST has shown a little improvement; ARHUR KELLY very ill; JANET HOLMES, PAMELA AND REGINA CANTRELL all improving with measles. EUNICE CHRISTIAN ill Sunday and unable to attend; DOROTHY WELLS doing all right following operation; LOIS WOMACK O.K. following accident (fall). Dorothy & Lois daughters of Eddith Fuston.

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DECEMBER 16, 1962

THERE ARE MANY ADVERSARIES

Recently Brother Fred G. Taylor Jr. was filling out some papers in which the FBI listed more than 350 subversive organizations in our country. Some of these operate under as many as five names. When the people become wise to one name they change to another. These names are usually good sounding names--names which make the victim think he is serving the nation or community in benevolent work or as civil defense. These organizations work against our nation. The children of God have had and will continue to have Adversaries also. Their Adversary seeks to destroy the soul.

When Solomon departed from the Lord's way, God raised up an adversary unto him (1 Kings 11:14,23,26. Peter said for us to "Be sober, be watchful: your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour: whom withstand stedfast in your faith, knowing that the same sufferings are accomplished in your brethren who are in the world" (1 Peter 5:8,9). The devil has more Aliases (assumed names) than any criminal on the FBI files. I have a partial list of the names applied to him in the scriptures--this list has 26 names applied to him. Satan, god of this world, serpent, tempter etc. are a few. With so many names we often lose sight of the fact that we are dealing with the enemy of our souls. It is indeed necessary for us to heed Peter's warning to be watchful. His admonition to faithfulness, by reminding us that others also suffer, should give us strength and courage to withstand our enemy. Let us band together to faithfulness by helping each other.

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A LATE REPORT ON PERFECT ATTENDANCE:

The fourth grade reports Martha Jane Green, David Holmes, Angela Jones, Allan Kirby, Dickie Martin, Carol Newby, Gen Riddle, Jimmy Spain. Congratulations to each of these for their faithfulness.

ELSIE OWINGS FISHER---OUR TEACHER OF THE WEEK.

Elsie Owings was born in Rockwood, Tennessee where the church generally is not as well known as it is in Middle Tennessee, although there has been a congregation of the Lord's church in Rockwood for

a number of years. When Elsie was 12 years old she was baptized into the Christian church. She says the church of Christ was established in Rockwood after she had grown up. When she met Frank Fisher and married him they moved to McMinnville, Frank's home. When Frank went to war (world war 2) Elsie remained here and was encouraged by members of the church to attend the services. Ruth Newby was one who gave her much help. Elsie transferred her membership from the Christian church to the Dybee Branch church of Christ and became a teacher when Joe Gray was preaching here. Elsie has been wonderfully successful as a teacher, because she has continued to study the Bible and seek to improve herself. While studying to learn more of the Bible she became dissatisfied with her baptism into the Christian church and on Oct. 27, 1958 she requested baptism and was baptized by Buford C. Holt. The constant search for Truth not only led her into a more perfect obedience, but has made her one of the finest teachers to be found anywhere. We offer our tribute of the week to Elsie Fisher, a great teacher and wife--a wonderful Christian. BCH.

BYBEE BRIEFS

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY to the family of Mrs. Fronie Victory, aunt of Woodrow Griffith, whose funeral was conducted Dec. 11.

SPECIAL SUBJECT ON WAKI SUNDAY AT 8:00 A.M.

Brother Bill Long, President of Georgia Christian Institute, will speak by tape on our Sunday program. His subject is The Dangers of Petting. We want every young person to hear this fine lesson.

TEACHERS PLEASE SEARCH AND REPORT:

We want the teachers to report every child who has a 3 month perfect attendance; 6 month perfect attendance a 9 month and one year. Awards and honorable mention time is here (first of January). Thanks for your help.

VISIT THE SHUT-INS: Georgia Fisher, Thurman Cantrell, Hassie Greer, Ola Jones, Tennessee Martin, Alpha Moffit, Calvin Ray, Drue Visa Ray, L.E. and Jane Spain, Sarah Stanley, Nannie Stroud, Mollie Tanner, Carol Sue Taylor, Ada Tramel, John Turner.

A little time spent visiting brings much happiness

APPOINTMENTS FOR DECEMBER 23 & 26, 1962

11:00 A.M. DECEMBER 23 6:30 P.M.

PRESIDE AT LORD'S TABLE

Frank Fisher Floyd Harris
Grady Foster

SERVE THE CONGREGATION

A.A.Allison--Barnes Baker Ewing Underwood
Clyde Cantrell--Robert H.Cantrell/Carson Upton
Jim R.Cantrell--Kate Cantrell
Clyde Christian--Roy Clendenon

USHER FOR 11:00 A.M.

Shelie Mullican John Robert Porter

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DEC. 26

Lead Singing Tuston Womack
Lead Prayer Shelie Mullican
Lead Closing Prayer Hynder Holmes

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WE ARE GRATEFUL TO CENTERTOWN, EAST END, OAK GROVE AND STEWART CHAPEL CHURCHES for their assistance in carrying on the radio program each week. It is wonderful to have the fellowship of sister churches in the preaching of the gospel. We hope each of these fine churches will make great progress in the spreading of the gospel and that our fellowship may continue.

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HE'S MARRIED AGAIN NOW.

Cleon Lyles

They were a happy young couple when they first married. He obeyed the gospel a short time before the marriage. She had been a Christian for several years. It was difficult to get them to come to Bible study. She stayed at home with him. Gradually they began to lose interest in the church. Soon it was impossible to get them to attend at all. They placed membership in another congregation, no doubt thinking there would be less pressure where they were not known. But they were not regular in attendance there. A child or two were born into the family. Within a short time trouble developed between them. Finally they separated and soon thereafter he married again. He lives in open rebellion to God, perhaps not knowing the greatness of his sin. But he should have known neglecting the Bible and Bible study is dangerous. It can never lead to happiness. Do you attend Bible study? Copied from AIM.

BEATRICE FOSTER RIGSBY--OUR TEACHER OF THE WEEK.

Beatrice Foster was born and reared in the Oak Grove community in the northern part of the county of Warren. There she attended worship services at the Oak Grove Church of Christ. When she was about twelve years of age she was baptized into Christ by Brother John W. Smithson. She grew up with and married a boy of the community--Joe Rigsby. About 25 years ago they left the community. They lived in Nashville for some time and attended services at the Acklen Avenue church. When they returned to McMinnville they began attending services at Bybee Branch and have continued to worship here. Beatrice started teaching when Joe Gray worked with the local church and has continued to teach. All her teaching has been with the third and fourth grades. Beatrice is the wife of one of our deacons and she and Joe have one daughter--Mary Jo. The Rigsbys have a model home where Christianity is practiced and is a living demonstration of the happiness which should be shown in Christian families. We take pleasure in greeting another of our fine teachers--Beatrice Rigsby, who also excels as a wife and mother.

BYBEE BRIEFS

WE EXTEND SYMPATHY TO the family of Don Hill whose funeral was conducted last week--he was an uncle of Hazel Griffith. Woodrow's aunt was buried one day and Hazel's uncle the next.

We also extend sympathy to the family of Sister Will Christian whose funeral was conducted Sunday afternoon. Brother and Sister Christian have both passed on this year.

CONGRATULATIONS are due Franklin(Frank) and Georgia Brooks who have a new son, Franklin Duane, born Dec. 14 and weighed 7½ pounds. They are at home and doing well.

NEW COMMUNION SERVICE LIST POSTED:

A sheet for those who care for the communion trays each month is listed. Check it, ladies, to see if all the months of 1963 are filled. If not, take the communion service for one month and help do your part. Thanks for your cooperation.

NEW ZEALAND WORK:

The workers for New Zealand will be leaving within the next few days. Brother Gray has written us, asking for our prayers in the services Dec. 23.

OUR SHUT-INS:

Thurman Cantrell, Georgia Fisher, Hassie Greer, Ola Jones, Tennessee Martin, Alpha Moffit, Calvin Ray, L.E. and Jane Spain, Sarah Stanley, Nannie Stroud, Mollie Tanner, Carol Sue Taylor, Drue Visa Ray, Ada Tramel, John Turner. "LET'S BRING THEM CHEER WHILE THEY ARE HERE."

OUR SICK FOLK: Charlie Elrod doing well last report; GRACE BROCK about the same; DORA WEST is able to sit up a little now; NANNIE STROUD about the same; STEVE WILCHER went home yesterday; ARTHUR KELLEY has been taken home from Hospital; LULA WOODLEE is some better but still not well; NORA UNDERWOOD not well Sunday; VEDA MAI HARDCASTLE is better; RANDY WOOD sick Sunday night; GENIRA BARRETT also out sick Sunday; EUNICE CHRISTIAN was able to attend Sunday for which we are glad; MIKE FOSTER hurt his knee last week, but was able to attend Sunday; MRS. J. B. SUMMERS better after fall.

WILCHER and LULA WOODLEE back Sunday after illness the week before.

APPOINTMENTS FOR DEC. 30 & JAN. 2

11:00 A.M. DECEMBER 30 6:30 P.M.

PRESIDE AT LORD'S TABLE:

THOMAS GREEN SR.
PEYTON GREENE

CARL WOOD

SERVE THE CONGREGATION

Claude Cathcart--Edd Gann
Frank Fisher--Hobert Griffith
Noel Foster--George Grizzell
J.L. Foster--Woodrow Glenn

Barnes Baker
Clyde Cantrell

USHER FOR 11:00 A.M.

Marion Jones

Robert Wilkinson

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WEDNESDAY NIGHT JAN. 2, 1963

Lead Singing

Buford C. Holt

Lead Prayer

Grady Foster

Closing Prayer

Peyton Greene

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SHUT-INS: Thurman Cantrell, Georgia Fisher, Hassie Greer, Ola Jones, Tennessee Martin, Alpha Moffit, Calvin Ray, Drue Visa Ray, L.E. and Jane Spain, Sarah Stanley, Mollie Tanner, Carol Sue Taylor, Ada Tramel, John Turner, Nannie Stroud. No one can take your place in the room of a shut-in or sick person. They need your smile and firm hand shake give them both.

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#### OUR THANKS TO A WONDERFUL CHURCH

Corrie and I thank you from the bottom of our hearts for the wonderful gift (in money) during the present holiday season. Besides this you sent many messages of good will and individual gifts which mean so much to us, because they came from such wonderful people. Although we treasure the gifts, we treasure the love you have for us more than the gifts. It is indeed a wonderful privilege to be able to work with you in spreading the gospel of Christ. Our wish for each of you is that 1963 will be the best year you have ever known and may the future hold many blessings in store for you in the Lord's work. We hope you will determine at this date to do more for Christ in 1963 than ever before. There is great need for our united efforts and wonderful opportunities for helping mankind and glorifying Christ. May the Lord bless our labors together and the best of everything to one and all is our fervent prayer. The Holts

#### CORRIE GARRETT HOLT--OUR TEACHER OF THE WEEK.

Corrie Frances Garrett was born in the little town of Letohatchee, Alabama. While she was a small girl the family moved to Hope Hull, Alabama and they attended the church of Christ at Liberty. Here her father served as an elder in the church for many years. After Corrie finished high school she attended David Lipscomb College for one quarter, but due to the depression, which was then on the nation, she had to drop out of school. Corrie has three brothers and two sisters and lived in a home where three orphan nephews were reared, and where at different times her grandmothers lived. She knows the burdens placed upon a home by taking children in to share the things of the home. In 1936 she married Buford Holt and she has lived in many places and worked with him in many hard places. Her teaching experience has been spread over many years and different age groups--from small children to ladies' class. She has done well in her teaching and spends many hours working on material for her fourth grade class, which she has at this time. She has been a faithful companion and a wonderful mother. Her love for children and understanding of the problems they face make her one of our fine teaching staff. We salute as our teacher of the week.

Corrie Garrett Holt--co-teacher of the fourth grade.

#### BYBEE BRIEFS.

BIBLE QUIZ:--(Thanks to Jim Bill McInteer and the West End Visitor, Nashville for the following puzzle. See if you can find fifteen books of the Bible hidden in this paragraph. Answer next week.

"I once made some remarks about hidden books of the Bible. It was a lulu. Kept some people actually looking so hard for facts and studying for the revelation, they were in a jam. Especially since the books were not capitalized. But the truth finally struck numbers of our readers. To others it was a real job. We want it to be a most fascinating few minutes for you. Yes, there will be some that are easy to spot. Others may require judges to determine. We must also admit it usually takes a minute to find one, and there will be loud lamentations when you see how simple it is. One little lady says she brews coffee while she puzzles her brain." Taken from the Haurél Ave. bulletin, Knoxville, Tennessee.

OUR SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED to the family of Newton Columbus (Lum) Elkins whose funeral is to be conducted Wednesday Dec. 26.

#### SUNSHINE BASKETS DELIVERED:

We thank those who helped with the assorting of fruits, the distribution of baskets and in any other way assisted in bringing some sunshine to those to whom baskets were delivered. Thirty-eight were distributed in all. Some of these included more than one person to a place. They were not designed as a work of benevolence, but to bring sunshine and happiness. The benevolent work is in addition to this, if and where it is needed.

20TH CENTURY CHRISTIAN is placed monthly in the rooms of the Medical Clinic and hotel and motels. Your help makes this possible--don't forget to give to this work.

OUR SICK: DORA WEST about the same; GRACE BROCK a little better Sunday; NANNIE STROUD about the same; CORRIE HOLT sick but some improved; CAROL WOOD out sick; NORA UNDERWOOD also missed; happy to have STEVE