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LABOR MEETING TO BOONVILLE

Men In Meeting Here Sunday Voted To Hold Meet In Warrick County

At a meeting of representatives of labor unions south of the B. & O. railroad, held Sunday afternoon in the central labor union hall in this city, Boonville was selected as the city to sponsor and entertain the annual Labor Day celebration which will be held Monday, Sept. 2.

Two cities, Boonville and Petersburg, asked for the celebration. The consensus of opinion of the meeting was that Boonville was better equipped to handle the huge crowds. Princeton did not apply for the meeting. The celebrations have been held in the Gibson county fairgrounds for the past three years.

Committees were named in the meeting here Sunday afternoon and work will begin at once to make the meeting a success. Another organization meeting will be held next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the central labor union hall at Boonville.

Most people in Gibson county will be sorry to learn that the annual celebration will not be held in the Gibson county fairgrounds. Princeton has been a good host and has taken care of the 30,000 to 40,000 people each year in nice style. It is not known why Princeton did not ask for the celebration. Petersburg and Boonville have asked for the meeting for the past three years.

FORMER RESIDENT OF SPURGEON DIES AT LAWRENCEVILLE

The death of Mrs. Lucinda J. Ross Wesley, wife of Charles Wesley, occurred June 15 at the family home at Lawrenceville, Ill. The deceased was 68 years, 10 months and 28 days old. She was born in Pike county and spent most of her life in and around Spurgeon. She was a member of the Spurgeon General Baptist church and was known to all as a Christian woman.

Surviving are, besides the husband: five children, Earl and Claude Wesley and Mrs. Roby Montgomery, of Lawrenceville, Ill.; Mrs. Ralph Springer, of Bridgeport, Ill.; and Emmert Wesley, of Rossville, Ill.; twelve grandchildren; a step-mother, Mrs. Caroline Ross, and a sister, Mrs. Mary R. Walker, both of Oakland City; six half-brothers and sisters; one step-brother, one step-sister and many other relatives and friends.

The family left Spurgeon in 1912 and went to Robinson, Ill., later moving to Lawrenceville.

Funeral services and burial were held at Lawrenceville.

EARL MILEY DIED AT FRANCISCO SATURDAY

Earl Miley died Saturday afternoon at the home of his father-in-law, Pete Bass, at Francisco, after an illness of about 11 days. A complication of diseases was given as the cause of death. The deceased was 20 years, two months and 21 days old and had many friends in and around Francisco. The body was brought to the Lamb funeral parlors in this city and prepared for burial.

The funeral service was conducted this afternoon at the residence at 12:45 o'clock and at 2 o'clock at the Adkins chapel. Burial was in the adjoining cemetery. The mother and several brothers survive.

HUDELSON HOME CHILDREN HERE

Six Children Present Musical Program At General Baptist Church

A group of six children, four girls and two boys, from the Hudelson Baptist Home of Irvington, Illinois, presented a musical program at the General Baptist church last Sunday morning, illustrative of their institutional life and educational training. "Daddy" Hafer, the superintendent, chaperoned the group and directed the program.

The program featured the musical department of the home, which is very exceptional for such an institution. Superintendent Hafer related the story of Martha Williams, the blind girl brought to them a few years ago, who became intensely interested in piano, and proved so apt that she was given lessons by a conservatory teacher from Centralia, Marthia, their own product, now a grown woman, is in charge of the piano department and seems little handicapped by her blindness. A few vocal numbers and a shrieking yell comprised the other phases of the program. "Daddy" is now almost too old to climb the scale in "Master, the Tempest is Raging," but we know there has been a day when he did it easily with a clear, strong voice. Not only is his voice failing, but his nerves too, he says, so he and "Mama" Hafer plan to leave the home next September.

On these itinerant missions, different groups are taken, and many churches of many associations are visited. This one included Francisco and Oakland City. The work and needs of the institution were presented by the superintendent, followed by solicitation for offerings and pledges. The General Baptist General Board believes the work of yearly caring for two hundred homeless children a worthy part of the great Kingdom enterprise, and plans negotiations for holding a positive interest and place in Hudelson Home.

TOWN COUNCIL HOLDS MEETING

Mrs. Mollie Barrett Resigns Health Officer. Dr. Carl M. Clark Named

The town council met last night at 7:30 o'clock in the city building. Every member present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The outstanding bills were ordered paid.

Mrs. Mollie Barrett, who served several years as town health officer, tendered her resignation on the grounds of ill health. It was stated that she was no longer able to care of the work as it should be. Her resignation was unanimously accepted. Mrs. Barrett asked the Journal say for her that she thanked the officials of the town for the physicians for the care they have given her during her service.

Dr. Carl M. Clark was elected health officer by a unanimous vote of the council. Dr. Clark has been in this city several months ago and town is lucky to secure such a competent physician for the position.

The members of the council discussed at some length the curbing and gutter on Mortimer street where the state highway crosses. It was proposed to build the new sidewalk and finally decided to secure local contractors and then a commission what had been the event that the state can curbing and gutter cheaper men will do the work. It was agreed that it would be a policy to let the state take the work. Under the law for curbing and gutter the contractor pay three fourths of the cost, property owners concerned the remaining cost, or twenty percent.

A report was made as to the progress being made on Madison streets by James Owens in the work of constructing curbing and gutter. It was shown that good progress had been made and that the street would be ready for C. C. Farmer & Co. who has the contract for surfacing the street. The board purchased several days ago Jackson.

SPURGEON WINNERS

The Spurgeon baseball team defeated the Somerville nine last Sunday afternoon with a 6 to 0 score. The game was a throughout. Trucky and Hooper as pitcher and catcher, respectively for Spurgeon while English for Somerville and Burkhalter for Somerville will pitch next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

MOVES FOR ACT

rum, of Oakland City, is numbered among the six thousand Kiwanians here for the 13th annual convention of their organization being held this week. General business sessions began today.

A message to the entire membership in the United States and Canada, was sent out today by O. S. Cummings, of Dallas, president, who is presiding at all sessions here. The message, which was read by all clubs joining in the "All Kiwanis Night" international and simultaneous meeting last night (8 o'clock Central Standard time), is as follows:

"We live in an age of restlessness, of appraisal, of reevaluation, an age of vigorous search for the truth in the field of the spiritual as well as material.

"Kiwanis is a modern experiment in the field of the human and spiritual, using as its laboratories North American communities and as the subjects of its experiments the representative business and professional men of those communities. Kiwanis is in turn the object of rigid scrutiny, by its own members and the world at large.

"Members of Kiwanis are picked men. They are recognized leaders in their respective vocations in all communities. They are respected citizens interested in making city or town, state or province and the nation a more desirable place to live. They are interested in their fellow men, especially the unfortunate and underprivileged.

"Since these are days of hostility to superfluous organization, which only those institutions of proven value to society will survive, what justification is there for the existence of Kiwanis?"

"Only so long as Kiwanis builds in the field of the human and spiritual, only so long as the product of our building is better men, better business, better communities and a better society, will Kiwanis justify its existence," he stated.

"There are 1825 Kiwanis clubs in the principal cities of the United States and Canada with 103,000 members," announced Fred C. W. Parker, of Chicago, executive secretary, who gave his annual report today.

"Kiwanis is an active organization, and a Kiwanian's place is at his weekly club meeting," said Mr. Parker. "Membership in Kiwanis is made up of not more than two men engaged in the same kind of business or profession. So any member that absents himself from his club is depriving it of his specific vocational interest."

The local club's meeting was held last night in the Masonic Temple basement, being in charge of the Good Will Committee, with Dr. William T. Scholl as chairman.

The Kiwanis band composed of Curtis Butler, Walter Stevens, Earl F. McConnell and Dr. William T. Scholl, accompanied by Mrs. Walter Stevens at the piano, entertained the club with a few selections. Following the band selections the Rev. Alva McKenney, pastor of the General Baptist church, talked on "good will." This was the first appearance of Rev. McKenney before the club and he made a fine impression with his excellent address.

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