

CLARENCE COURIER

CLARENCE, SHELBY COUNTY, MISSOURI, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1923

Death of Mrs. Poulson
Funeral services were held in the Harmon Methodist church at Scio, Ohio, Wednesday, Oct. 31 over the remains of Mrs. Malinda Mary (Davis) Poulson, whose death occurred there the first of last week. Services were conducted by Rev. T. H. Kerr, assisted by Rev. S. P. Lloyd. Interment was made at Scio.

The deceased was born June 10th 1849 in Pleasantville, Bedford county, Pa. She was of a family of 11 children, all of whom have preceded her in death. In fall of 1867 she came to Belmont county, Ohio and was united in marriage to J. W. Poulson February 18, 1869. To this union nine children were born all of whom survive except the youngest of the family, Lillian, who died in infancy. They are Mrs. Josephine Clark, of Clarence, Mo., Geo. L. Poulson of Scio, Rev. Calvin R. Poulson, of Bloomfield, Ohio, Mrs. Emma M. Skiff, of North East, Pa., Rev. Omer B. Poulson of Altoona, Pa., William A. Poulson, of Canton, Mrs. Jennie E. Carpenter, of Keys, Ohio, and Herman Poulson of Scio. Her husband also survives.

A great many years of Mrs. Poulson's life was spent in this city and she will be remembered by many people here. In her youth she united with the Mt. Horeb M. E. church on the Armstrong circuit and was a member of that faith all of her life. Her husband, who has been a local preacher in the Methodist church, will continue to make his home in Scio with his oldest son. —Parnesville Enterprise.

Death of Mrs. Jane Wright
John Wright of Sabelina, Mrs. Wm. E. Wright and son, Robt. W., of Leonard were here Saturday enroute to Oak Ridge to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Jane Wright, who passed away Thursday night at 11:30 o'clock at the home of her son, Frank Wright, of Macon. She suffered a paralytic stroke about ten days ago from which she never rallied. She was about 90 years of age and was a member of the Methodist church.

Clarence Good Roads Club Needs Funds

The Clarence Good Roads Club are needing funds for the purpose of dragging roads. Good roads can not be maintained without dragging and it takes money to drag them. We need your contribution and the committee respectfully solicits funds from every citizen of this community who are interested in good roads. Leave your contribution with M. H. Scrutcheff, W. E. Naylor or W. H. Sears.

To Make Home in St. Joseph

C. Houghton left Saturday for St. Joseph, Missouri, where he will reside with his daughter, Miss Georgia Houghton, who is employed there in the school. Mr. Houghton has been a resident of Clarence for fifty-five years except one year that was spent in Texas. For many years he was in the poultry business and his many friends here will regret his moving away but hope for he and his daughter a pleasant home in St. Joseph. At the time of his leaving Clarence he was in the employment of the Macon Produce Company.

Death of Little Child

The death of Dorothy Frances Sumpter, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Sumpter, of near Woodville occurred Friday Nov. 9. She was born July 20, 1917, being 6 years, 3 months and 20 days of age.

Besides the parents the child is survived by one sister and a host of friends who sympathize with the family in their bereavement.

Funeral services were held at Woodville church Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Weiner Roast

About forty pupils of the sixth and seventh grades gathered at the home of Miss Winifred Wine Friday night and had a weiner roast. After the roasting of marshmallows and weiners, games were played and a jolly good time was had.

The In Trade Extension Campaign is by the Clarence Business Men

In one page advertisement your attention is called to a Trade Extension Campaign by the Clarence merchants in this issue. These business men are offering every inducement possible to secure your trade and ask you patronize home merchant. You can save money by trading at home. The fact is people will buy larger and better stocks of goods in Clarence than in any town the state its size and the price of the quality of goods sold are as low as can be made. Come to Clarence and you will be surprised to find how far your dollar will go. Look over the names of those that have inaugurated the Trade Extension Campaign, which will close January 1st.

Class Meeting

The Loyal Friends met at the home of their president, Mrs. Pearl Lapp on Thursday afternoon for their regular monthly meeting. After the discussion of way and means of helping the work of Christ in the world, they had a few minutes of Bible Study.

The president then introduced a new method of raising money for the class. After which with a nice presentation speech she presented a box of cherry chocolates to the teacher as a token of appreciation. The meeting was closed with the Lord's Prayer. A social hour was then enjoyed and the hostess served a delightful two course luncheon.

Rinkedink's Foot Ball Team

- Names of players:—
- Captain—John Curtis Griswold.
- Quarterback—Randolph Benson.
- Halfback—Clair Jacobs.
- Guard—Nobert Kinkerd.
- Tackle—James Roy.
- Center—Lee Wallace.
- Fullback—Dale Overfelt.
- End—Eugene Marshall.
- Rightback—Stanley Overfelt.
- Leftback—Stanley Farrell.
- Toughdown—Roy Eberhard.

Clay Township Sunday School Convention

Clay Township held her annual Sunday School convention Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church in Clarence. While the attendance was small, the folks were interesting and instructive. The Township includes the Hagers Grove and Ebenezer Sunday Schools and the Clarence Sunday School.

The following officers were elected for the following year—
Mr. J. M. Schwada—President
Mr. Bert Hopper—Vice-President
Mrs. Mae Glahn—Sec'y-Treas.
Department Superintendents—
Mrs. Gordon Harvey, Children's Department; Mrs. Alice Simmons, Young People's Dept.; Mrs. Q. T. Hall, Adult Dept.; Mrs. Bert Hopper, Home Dept.; Mr. Frank Carroll, Administration Dept.

Let us as Sunday Schools in this Township give these new officers our hearty support and cooperation. This is the link that joins your Sunday School to the County Sunday School Association and a chain is as strong as its weakest link.

Musical Program to be Given at the Methodist Church

A musical program will be given in the Center Street Auditorium next Monday evening, Nov. 19, 1923, commencing at 7:45 o'clock. A silver offering will be taken.

This program will be given largely by three young ladies from Howard Payne College of Fayette. All are artists in their work. Miss Imogene Boyle, the violinist is the instructor on the violin in Howard Payne College this year. She is a graduate of the Cincinnati conservatory of Music and taught there last year. She was the violin soloist for the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra and has studied abroad.

Miss Ruth Latham, the expressionist, is a teacher of expression in Howard Payne College. She was graduated from the Morse School of Expression in St. Louis. She has worked in lyceum and chautauqua work. Miss Hamstreet, the pianist, your

might be used—"Buried with Christ in Baptism". The text is Romans 6:4, and reads, "Therefore we are buried with him by baptism into death, that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life." The whole christian world believes in christian baptism. Beginning at the first mention of the word in the New Testament we trace it through to learn what it is and its great spiritual meaning.

If you have ever been in doubt about the meaning of this great christian ordinance, and want to hear it discussed in the spirit of christian love, come Sunday night.

We would like to have every member of the choir present Friday night, as we want an extra good musical program both Sunday morning and evening.

The subject Sunday morning will be "God's League of Humanity." We have had much discussion about the League of Nations. Hear a discussion of the divine plan for a League of Humanity in the Kingdom of God—read Gal. 3:26-28; I Cor. 12:12-14.

The church of Jesus Christ as the messenger of the Gospel, is the hope of the world. Be loyal to your church, go every time that you can. Help in the great program of lifting the world.

Baptist Church

Eld. Alsburg, of Chillicothe will preach at the Baptist Church Sunday morning and evening.

Mrs. Townsend, of Shelbyville came Thursday to visit at the

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Joel W. Wright Dies.

Joel H. Wright, for years a resident of Macon, and pioneer citizen of Macon county, died at his home on Sheridan Street today at 12:45 p.m. The funeral will take place in Macon Wednesday, conducted by the Rev. John Harris, of Clarence, with burial in the Locust cemetery in Callao.

Mr. Wright was born September 15, 1834, and lived to the ripe old age of 89 years. For a number of years he was a merchant in Callao and at one time was president of the bank of Callao. He had been retired from active business pursuits since his residence in Macon.

A daughter, Mrs. Ives B. Jones and Mr. Jones made their home with Mr. Wright during his declining years and made life comfortable and pleasant for him until the last. He has been practically an invalid for some time.—Macon Chronicle Herald.

Other Words, Pay In Advance

Automobile tourists are likely to meet with amusing experiences in their travels round the country. The Morris family drove into a small Western town some time ago, and were

"Let's go to a hotel tonight," said Billy. "I'm too tired to get this tent off and set it up!" "All right," Mr. Morris replied.

Accordingly the party sought out the one hotel in the town. "Can you give us two adjoining rooms?" Mr. Morris said to the proprietor.

The Clarence Charge of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Rev. W. N. Giddens, pastor, has accepted \$2000.00 as a minimum quota to raise within five years for the cause of Superannuate Endowment of that denomination. The goal for the entire church of this movement is \$10,000,000.00, the income from which is to be used for the support of the aged and infirm ministers and widows and orphans of ministers.

The campaign for the fund is being directed by the Board of Finance of the Southern Methodist Church, St. Louis, Mo., Bishop W. F. McMurry, chairman, and Dr. Luther E. Todd, secretary. The latter has issued and sent to all pastors a booklet, "The Call of the Forgotten Man" which tells a pathetic story of the great need, asks the church to remember him with substantial giving, and outlines plans for giving the sums sought.

According to reports received by the board over the 2000 pastoral charges have up to this time accepted minimum quotas asked of them and many of them have voluntarily increased the amounts. Several large individual gifts have already

19—Mr. Smith failed to daily sermonette.

The Senior Psalm

Mr. Smith is my teacher not pass. He gives me real my ignorance in the present class mates. He restoreth row; and causes me to be for my grades sake. Year study until my brain runs I shall gain no knowledge, Ics worries me and