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Poplar Hill, Tenn. Bro. West: I have just returned from a mission to Poplar Hill Baptist church, Giles county, Tenn., where I was invited to preach a series of sermons on communion. I was with those brethren three days and nights, and a good people they are. The church is about three miles from Prospect, a nice little village filled with church-going people...

W. B. CARTER. Hartzell, June 4th. WHEREAS, Our esteemed friend, Dr. M. L. Fielder, has presented to Recteic church and Sunday-school a handsome church bell, be it Resolved, 1. That we take this method of expressing our hearty appreciation of his timely gift, which we thankfully accept.

Attention Brethren. Will not some brother please mail me copy of the following Minutes of Association for 1884, in order that I may prepare the table of statistics for the next session of the Convention? I have written two or three times to the moderator and clerk of these associations, and often to brethren themselves, but can get no responses... BENJ. B. DAVIS, Secretary, Eufula, Ala.

MARRIED. At the residence of the bride's father, Trussville, Jefferson county, Ala., at 4 o'clock Sunday evening, May 31, 1885, by Eld. A. J. Waldrop, Mr. S. R. McDonald and Miss Carrie A. Vann. Their many friends speak a bright future for them. They begin life with the good wishes of all who know them. May a long and happy life be theirs. SUBSCRIBER.

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It made my painful duty to chronicle the death of Bro. Hick Reeves, which took place May 22nd at 11:20 a. m. A good part of his mortal life was known to me personally, and all of it to my parents. Bro. Reeves died in the 76th year of his life. He had been a consistent member of the Mt. Pisgah Baptist church at Flint, Morgan county, Ala., for a half century. In all these fifty years there was never a word of complaint against this man of God. In his death the church and State have lost one of the best men we had. His wife, a faithful woman and member of the same church, died some years ago. To her he was a true and kind husband. Bro. Reeves was a good companion and good father. He raised several sons and daughters who are all Baptists. He was a neighbor indeed, and was always ready to visit the sick, the widow and the orphan in their affliction. I shall ever remember that he was the brother that first moved to set me apart to the work of the ministry, and he stood up in my defence until the day of his death. I was with him in his illness. Without a murmur or regret he fell asleep. I have been his pastor for several years. He was a liberal and regular contributor. He owed no man anything but good will. He had paid his pastor up for the present year. We preached his funeral at the family graveyard to a large concourse of people, relatives and friends, and laid his body away to await the resurrection morn. Blessed are they that die in the Lord. Farewell, Bro. Reeves. By the grace of God I will meet you under the shade of the tree of life in the sweet by and by. W. B. CARTER.

DIED—Near town Creek Church, Dallas county, May 9th, Mamie Sue, child of R. B. and Sue Hardy, aged 13 months and 4 days. Death made two visits in quick succession to this happy household. First the mother, and in a few weeks the baby; but they are now in the sunshine of heaven, while those left behind are in the shadows of sorrow. But it is a cheering and comforting assurance that mother and child will be parted no more, and will give the others welcome when they come. E. F. B.

DIED—at his residence near Mulberry church, Chilton county, June 4th, 1885, Mr. E. D. Courn. He leaves many friends to mourn his departure.

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THE SUNDAY-SCHOOL CONVENTION OF THE EUFULA ASSOCIATION held its fourth annual session with the Clayton Baptist church, beginning Friday night, May 29, 1885. The introductory sermon was preached by Rev. B. C. Bennett. The Convention was organized by electing A. B. Starke president, and L. K. Faulk, secretary. Eight or nine churches of the Association were represented. The programme prepared by the executive committee was adopted by the convention, and the subjects were thoroughly discussed. Rev. Z. T. Weaver preached interesting sermons Saturday night and Sunday morning to large congregations. Bro. Weaver's sermons were highly commended. He is a forcible and logical speaker. The session was interesting and profitable.

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