

SOCIETY

RECITAL AT MONT AMOENA SEMINARY

Students Recital Took Place Friday Evening at 8 O'clock.

A Students' Recital was given at Mont Amoena Seminary at Mt. Pleasant Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The following was the program: In the Time of Boases - Reichardt I Passed by Your Window - Brahe Chorus Class The Picadee - Carlyle Davis Jane Drye Morning Song - Behr Daphne Bunn Mon Desir - Ethelbert Nevins Mattie Blume Polonaise Brilliant - Decevee Julia Shirey, Margaret Cline, Estell Efrid, Shirley Moose Rockin' Time - Knox Blanche McMullen, Albert Pearl Bowers, Jetta Millholland, Elizabeth Hedrick Romance - F. L. Forge Avowal of Love - Schumann Salome Shirley Dancing Wavelets - Emery Star of My Soul - Greenbank-Joffe Lolare Overcash Ballet Scene - Schultz Verna Mae Hahn, Harry Lippe Bicycle Waltz - Blake Virginia McAllister, H. Misenerheimer Juba - Dett Mary Ridehour Roses Kissed by Sunshine - Anita Hart Virginia Davis, Blanche McMullen To a Water Lily - MacDowell Hunting Song - Mendelssohn Jetta Millholland March - Holleander Mattie Blume Salome Shirley, Albert Pearl Bowers, Jetta Millholland It's April in Killarney - Nevins Blanche McMullen Scherzo - Misenerheimer Toy Shop Heavens - Smith Julia Shirey Molly in F - Rubenstein Alice James, Jane Drye Slumber Boat - Blanche McMullen, Albert P. Bowers, Elizabeth Hedrick Valse Caprice - Rubenstein Albert Pearl Bowers Love's Old Sweet Song - Malloy Chorus Class

ANNUAL ORGAN CONCERT AT FOREST HILL CHURCH

Mr. Steckel Has Been Secured to Play and Will Be Assisted by Mr. Titman.

The annual concert at Forest Hill Methodist Church on the Old Memorial organ will be given December 9th at 7:30 o'clock, according to an announcement made this morning by W. R. Odell. Edwin M. Steckel, of Gastonia, has been secured to play the organ, and Mr. Titman, of Washington, D. C., will assist in the concert with vocal numbers. Mr. Steckel is very prominent in North Carolina musical circles, having taken charge of the public school music in that city several years ago. He is a graduate of the New England Conservatory of Music and has had a number of years experience off the stage as a concert artist. Mr. Titman is an artist of the first rank, also having had years experience as a concert singer. His voice, a bass, is outstanding on the concert stage. Since the installation of the organ in Forest Hill Methodist Church, yearly concerts have been given. The organ is considered one of the best in the city.

FEDERATION MEETING

Will Be Held One Month Early on Account of Social Activities During the Yuletide.

The Federation of county women is called to meet in the Y at Concord Saturday, November 28th at 2 o'clock. Chief among the afternoon's work at the meeting will be an address by Dr. T. N. Spencer, on the "Need of a County Market in Concord and How to Make It Successful." All realize the need of a county market. Now the problem is to make this market successful. The five speakers who will give something good and helpful to the women is well known by his successes at the Cabarrus Fair, as well as by his personal achievement. It is hoped all the women of the county will be present and each member bring another. It has been one year since the organization of the Federation which is proving very helpful in solving the county problems. Election of officers will be a feature of Saturday's business. Also a table setting demonstration and program by the committee in charge. Remember the hour, 2 o'clock, Saturday, November 28, Place, Concord Y. The women of the city are also invited to the meeting. MRS. D. B. CASTOR, President. MRS. C. S. McCURDY, Sec. & Treas.

Joseph Young Married in Richmond.

It was learned here today that Joseph Young, formerly of this city and now of Richmond, was married October 26th to Miss Grace Atkinson, of Richmond. Mr. Young is a son of Mrs. Robert J. Young, of North Union street, and is a brother of Mrs. Robert Corzine, of this city. He was educated in Concord and left several years ago for Richmond, where he holds a responsible position. He has many friends here who will be interested to learn of his marriage.

Study Club Meets With Miss Coltrane.

Miss Jenn Coltrane entertained the Study Club Thursday afternoon at her home on North Union street. Mrs. I. I. Davis read a paper on "Thanksgiving." This was followed by a paper, read by Mrs. W. W. Flowe on the subject of the "United States Flag." Miss Coltrane read excerpts from the writings of famous men on the subject of patriotism. Mrs. D. A. Garrison and Mrs. Eddleman, both of Gastonia, were the invited guests of Miss Coltrane. Entertaining at Birthday Party. Master Joseph Folkes entertained a number of his little friends at a birthday party at the home of his parents on Loan street. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Folkes. Games were played by the children. At the conclusion of the evening, refreshments were served. Mrs. Farrell White Honored at Bridge Luncheon. Alesmarie Press. Honoring Mrs. Farrell White, who recently returned to her former home in Concord to live, Mesdames Clyde and Lloyd Skidmore entertained with a bridge luncheon at the residence of the former, on last Friday at 1 o'clock. The attractive home was made most inviting with quantities of gorgeous yellow and white chrysanthemums, artistically arranged in baskets and bowls in the living room, dining room and sun parlor. The shades having been drawn, numerous lighted tapers shed their glow upon the seven perfectly appointed tables, and the seating of the guests was facilitated by means of attractive place cards, attached to small yellow baskets filled with mints. The honoree's table had for its centerpiece a silver basket filled with chrysanthemums and tied with tulle and silver candle sticks with lighted tapers which completed the decoration. An elegant four-course luncheon, consisting of grape fruit, turkey with accessories and coffee, fruit cake topped with whipped cream and salted almonds, was served. After the luncheon bridge was enjoyed for several hours. The high score prize, a deck of cards, was won by Mrs. Aaron Rice, while the honoree was presented with a pair of gun metal silk hose. Out-of-town guests were Mesdames Ridehour, Gibson and Farrell White, of Concord; Aaron Rice, of Badin; Frank Rose, Dewey English and Southerland, of Monroe.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. B. F. Rogers is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John York, in Charlotte for several days. Miss Cordelia Ritchie, who is teaching school in the county, is spending the week-end in the city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ritchie. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Norman, who have been spending a month in the city at the home of Mr. Norman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Norman, have returned to their home in Evansville, Ind. Mrs. Justus J. Bunn, of Mt. Pleasant, is spending the day in the city visiting friends. Mrs. Lillie F. Blanks, of Monroe, La., has arrived in Concord to spend the winter with her son, H. W. Blanks, on Georgia Avenue. Miss Annie Gibbs, of Spartanburg, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Stella Dennis. Miss Anna Strider, teacher in the Concord schools, is spending the week-end in Mt. Pleasant with Miss Mary Peck. Mrs. T. N. Spencer and daughter, Eleanor Wallace, are spending several days in Newton with Mrs. A. B. Kuan. Mrs. Kenneth Royal, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Jones York, has returned to her home in Goldsboro. Mrs. W. B. Grey, Mrs. J. T. Black and Miss Mary Black, of Davidson, and Mrs. W. R. Wear, of Charlotte, are the guests of Mrs. W. G. Caswell at her home on Georgia Avenue today. Miss Adelaide Harris left Friday morning for Danville where she will attend a wedding of one of her classmates at Sweet Briar College. She will return to Concord Sunday. Miss Sarah Lafferty and Miss Mary Lafferty, of Davidson, are spending the day in the city with their sister, Mrs. J. T. McConnell. W. R. Odell and J. B. Sherrill, will leave tomorrow for Durham, and attend the meeting of the Board of Trustees of Duke University Wednesday. Mrs. R. L. McConnell and children, Tom and Jane, have returned to their home in Montgomery, Ala., after visiting relatives here for several weeks. Adam Klutz returned today to Taber after spending the week-end in the city with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Klutz. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sherrill spent Sunday afternoon in Charlotte with Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Montgomery. Mrs. W. C. J. Caton has gone to Richmond where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Marshall Mabry, for several weeks. Miss Grace Loyer has returned from High Point where she spent Sunday visiting relatives. L. A. Brown and sons, L. A. Jr., and Clarkson, stopped in the city Saturday afternoon for a short while en route to the Gastonia-Winston football game in Salisbury. John and Rufus Brown, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brown, accompanied them to Salisbury. Mrs. W. H. Gibson has returned from Baltimore, where she spent several weeks visiting relatives. She was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. Gordon Grimes.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Massey and daughter, Marion, Miss Ruth and Miss Mattie Lee McCain, all of Waxhams, spent Sunday in the city as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kenner.

Rev. W. A. Jenkins, of Greensboro, was in the city for a short while today.

Mrs. Mae Furr, who has been visiting relatives here for several weeks, has returned to her home in Troutman.

LAST SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE FOR COUNTY

Institute For Townships Nos. 6 and 7 Held Sunday at Prosperity Church.

Officials of the County Sunday School Association have completed their Sunday School Institute work for the year, the last institute being held yesterday afternoon at Prosperity Church, Rimer, for townships No. 6 and 7.

Institutes have now been held in every township in the county except No. 12, which embraces the Churches of Concord. This institute is always held under the direction of the State Sunday School Association and its date and meeting place will be announced later.

Vice President John J. Barnhardt, Miss Eugenia Lore, superintendent of the children's division, and Prof. J. B. Robertson, superintendent of the administrative division of the county association, conducted the institute held yesterday at Prosperity Church.

Officials of the county association declare attendance at the institutes throughout the county has been excellent this year with marked interest shown at each meeting.

Cabarrus county for several years has been one of the 100 per cent. counties in Sunday school work and to attain this standard the State Association requires holding of township institutes. Thus the local association is started right on a program calculated to place the county in the "Blue Ribbon" class again this year.

PAVLEY DANCERS ARRIVE IN CONCORD TUESDAY

Number of Stage Hands Required For Performance.—Local People to Entertain Trupe.

The Pavley-Oukrainsky Ballet will arrive in the city tomorrow afternoon at 3:55 o'clock, according to a message received this morning by H. W. Blanks, who has charge of the arrangements for the dancers who will perform here Tuesday evening at the high school auditorium.

Some idea of the magnitude of the performance can be gathered from the fact that they are asking that arrangements be made to have two twenty-foot wagons at the station ready to haul the baggage and scenery.

Stage hands required for the performance are a head carpenter and four men, a head electrician and two men, a head property man and two clearers.

A number of the people of the community are being asked to take care of the entertainment of the troupe during their stay in the city. Tickets are still almost one-half unsold and indications are at present that unless there is a last minute rush, the guarantors in the city will have to make good the amount necessary to secure the Pavley-Oukrainsky Ballet.

DR. RANKIN TO SPEAK HERE THIS EVENING

Will Talk at Mass Meeting in Court-house on How Money May Be Secured From Duke Foundation.

Dr. W. S. Rankin will be in the city this evening to make his address at the courthouse at 7 o'clock on the subject of the new hospital. All citizens are asked to be present and lend their support in the movement.

Dr. Rankin is expected to talk on how the county may secure money from the Duke Foundation to assist in the construction and maintenance of the hospital here. He is expected to arrive in the city this afternoon and will spend the night with his brother, Dr. R. B. Rankin, on Church street.

All citizens of the city and county are asked to be present and hear Dr. Rankin, according to the committee which has secured him.

Death of Mrs. Susan C. Furr.

Mrs. Susan C. Furr died at her home last Friday, November 20, 1925. Her death was not unexpected. Since August 16, 1925 she was confined to her bed.

The deceased was born February 13, 1843, being 82 years, 9 months and 2 days of age. She was married to Israel Furr in September 1865. To this union were born six children, five boys and one girl, three of whom preceded her to the grave. Fifteen grandchildren and three great grandchildren also survive. The surviving children are: Madison, Jason and Lewis Furr. A large number of relatives and friends also survive.

Mrs. Furr was loved by all who knew her. She was loved for her kind and sweet disposition toward her children and friends. She will be greatly missed in her community.

Funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. E. K. Courts, from St. Martin E. L. Church, Saturday morning at 11 o'clock and interment was made in the cemetery beside her husband. A FRIEND.

The international style of skating in vogue in the continental countries of Europe requires a much smaller rink surface than the English style. The English skater makes a sweep of some 50 yards at one stroke and four skaters doing a combined figure will require an area of at least three or four thousand square meters. On the other hand, two continental skaters, waltzing together, are satisfied on a piece of ice 500 square meters.

Teacher—Bobby Jones, you haven't washed your neck or wrists for a week. Now what do you expect to be when you grow up to manhood? Bobby—Me? Why I'm going to be a dirt farmer.

FOUR N. C. TEAMS WIN IN WEEK-END MATCHES

Wake Forest Takes Measure of South Carolina Champs.—Duke, Secures Victory Over Wofford.

The last week-end of football for the 1925 season has been played and fans in North Carolina are looking forward to Thanksgiving games for the windup of the year's grid activities.

Some consolation to assuage the grief arising from the fact that collegiate football is nearing an end for another twelve-months was garnered when four of the five North Carolina teams playing teams in other states were successful. Wake Forest, Duke, LeNoire-Rhyme and Elon were all successful. State lost, and Carolina and Davidson were idle in anticipation of Thanksgiving events.

Wake Forest gets the lion's share of the honors with Duke as runner-up. The Demon Deacons aided materially in elevating their spotted record when they smashed through the Furman "Purple Hurricane" for a 9-0 victory, incidentally upsetting a goodly number of pots containing select football dope.

People who had seen the Furman team in action at Charlotte were almost uniformly of the opinion that Wake Forest was in for a good beating when the two Baptist institutions met. The North Carolinians, however, showed a marked superiority at all times. Their touchdown came as a result of a blocked punt but they had nevertheless had a drive which their opponents acknowledged. A strange feature of the game was that neither team was able to get any forward pass into operation, nineteen being tried with only three successes. Both have been good in this at previous games.

Students at the Baptist institution have two victories to be cheered over this week, their football team's win and the president's victory in the Baptist convention.

Furman, incidentally, has already copped the South Carolina state championship, which makes the Wake Forest victory all the more impressive.

Duke, which has had her worst season since the resumption of football at that school, showed that the recent flashes were not spurious by beating Wofford, in an exhibition of straight football. The Spartanburg team was outclassed, seemingly, in every department of the game.

Chief in the offense was the work of Caldwell, Duke's shining light, who was largely influential in making the touchdown. The score was 6-0.

Davidson's squad, which was sitting on the sidelines, was brought to the realization of the fact that the Turkey Day contest will not be a set-up. In fact, Duke is considered as having an outside chance of bringing a disastrous season to a brilliant close.

State's rejuvenation was insufficient to stem the tide of end runs and line plunges in the game with Washington and Lee and the North Carolinians lost by a score of 14-0. To be beaten two touchdowns by the Generals is too disgraceful and in order to have kept them from more tallies, State must have put up as nice a brand of ball as they have played this year.

The Washington and Lee team is one of the strongest in the South, having a spotless conference record. Virginia was beaten several weeks ago two touchdowns by W. and L., which gives an indication of the excellent work which the State team did.

MacDowell's punting, though a bit erratic, seems to have been the outstanding performance among the members of the State eleven.

Little trouble was experienced by LeNoire-Rhyme in defeating East Tennessee State Normal, the final score being in the neighborhood of 45-0. Spurlock was brilliant for the Lutherans.

Elon, after a series of losses, at last broke in the win column by beating Emory and Henry College from Virginia. The work of Earl was outstanding. He was dubbed the "Red Grange" of the game by his admirers.

Thanksgiving Pageant. The "Gift of Dreams," a Thanksgiving pageant, will be rendered by the women of Center Grove E. L. Church, Sunday evening, November 20th, at 7 o'clock.

This pageant is dedicated to the Thanksgiving season and shows a grateful spirit throughout the act, which is in keeping with the time of year. Every one is invited to attend this service.

Cast of characters: The Angel of Life—Mrs. E. F. K. Froot. Sunbeams, a number of little girls voices of the morning, flowers, birds, children, girl and boys of the congregation. Youth—Miss Meta Castor. Woman of Wealth—Mrs. D. B. Castor. Nurse—Mrs. L. H. Castor. Deaconess—Mrs. B. R. Winecoff. Artist—Mrs. C. M. Castor. Musician—Miss Bertie Eddleman. Poet—Miss Helen Cook. Student—Miss Callie Winecoff. Mother—Mrs. R. M. Cook. Cripples and unfortunate women and girls of non-Christian lands, members of the congregation, children of non-Christian lands, children of congregations.

This pageant will be very instructive and show us our blessings. Be in the audience November 20th at 7 o'clock. BUSY B.

J. L. Nelson, Prominent Man of Lenoir, Is Hurt by Car.

Lenoir, Nov. 20.—J. L. Nelson, prominent business man and cotton manufacturer, had his left arm broken just below the elbow last night about 7:30 o'clock when he was hit by an automobile driven by Jim Deal hit him, knocking him down and causing his arm to be broken. Mr. Deal is very much grieved over the accident and says that he did not see Mr. Nelson when he was crossing the square. The injured man was resting very well today.

An Occasional Column

By MILES WOLFF

I fear for my prestige as a sports writer. With that omniscience given only to scribes in this line of endeavor, it has been my custom each Thursday to dope out the winners and the losers among the various football events and then publish my very unique findings in Friday's Tribune. Thus readers of this incomparable daily are given inspired utterances which they could get in no other newspaper.

During the greater part of the season, the plan has worked admirably. On several occasions, I have really done remarkably well, with only a minimum number of mistakes. Doubtless cases afforded an excellent opportunity for straddling the fence, so that all went well until last week.

Perhaps success had gone to my head. At any rate, I declared with fervor after my Thursday afternoon seance with the schedule of games for the week-end, that all the North Carolina squads engaged in combat on Friday and Saturday would lose. Or rather I declared that the major teams—State, Duke and Wake Forest, would take a tumble. Alas for human frailties. Two of the three teams I had been certain would fall, triumphed over their opponents, leaving my prophecy high and dry.

Friends, who have consoled with me since the games were played, have gently but insinuatingly suggested that I pick Virginia as a winner in the Carolina-Virginia classic. They are Carolina supporters. They seem to be of the opinion that this is all that is necessary to secure a victory for the Tar Heels. One man in the Times-Tribune office, I shall not give his name, made a veiled threat about what he would do if I didn't predict Davidson to win over Duke in their impending clash.

However, the worst blow came in this morning's mail when I received a letter in which a person who signified his name as "Vox Populi," stated that he was casting his vote for me as captain of the All-American team of sports writers. Although flattered at first, I was indignant to discover in the closing paragraph of his epistle that he had placed me on his All-American team of Atrocious Pickers and Worst Writers.

I shall stop picking winners—that is, after Thanksgiving. In the meantime, do you think Carolina will beat Virginia?

IMPRESSIONS

A Cotton Mill

Black slippery floors. Steel machines. Roars and roars. A moaning in agony groaning. Whirring. Burring.

Great globs of color. Masses of roseate sunset. And purple dawns.

Insatiable greed of machines. That must be fed. Yellow, blue and red. Youth and Power in shifting scenes. Romance and Cruelty. The Cotton Mill.

SYLVIA NORMAN.

Hugh Walpole's latest novel, "Portrait of a Man with Red Hair," was not nearly so interesting to me as his book, "The Old Ladies." At the same time, I shall have to admit that it is among the better of the volumes I have recently read.

To begin with, he is too slow in getting started. For almost a hundred pages, he is preparing the reader for events which are to follow. Much of this opening is description, which is fatal in almost any modern novel.

After he does get started, however, he holds attention with a most unusual sequence of happenings. One thrilling incident after another secures to Charles Percy Harkness (the hero of the book). The story is only concerned with the happenings of one night in the hero's life but they are such that they change his character to a marked degree.

An element of mystery in the book adds to the suspense, which makes it comparable to Mary Roberts Rinehardt's "Red Lamp." Of the two, the latter was to me the more interesting. However, Walpole's book is better written and should be read by anyone who keeps up with modern fiction.

One description, typical of the beauty of his writing, is quoted here: "What he immediately confronted was the garden of the hotel. The sun was slowly setting in the west, and great amber clouds, spreading out in swaths of color, ate up the blue."

"The amber flung out arms as though it would embrace the whole world. The deep blue ebbed from the sea, was pale crystal, then from length to length a vast bronze shield. The amber reached as though it had done its work, and myriads of little flecks of gold ran up into the pale blue-white, thousands of scattered fragments like coins flung in some God-like largeness."

Mail Order Sales Indicate Home Barbering on Increase.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—(AP)—Barbering at home appears to be on the increase in the United States. The desire of women with bobbed locks to keep the backs of their necks neatly trimmed is largely responsible for it. Three of the largest mail order houses here report increases of from 35 to 75 per cent in the sale of hair clips during the last year and a half.

Not only does bobbed hair style demand close neck trims and shaves, but mothers and fathers have taken to clipping the hair of their children.

There has been no fear expressed, however, that the barber shop will ever be supplanted by the parlor barbers.

Take a Chance.

Mrs. Newlwyed: "This married life is terrible." Her Friend: "What now?" Mrs. Newlwyed: "Jack said he wanted his eggs fried on one side, and he didn't tell which side."

Citizens Bank and Trust Co. Concord, N. C. RESOURCES OVER ONE MILLION DOLLARS. OFFICERS: CHAS. B. WAGONER, President; A. F. GOODMAN, Vice President; C. L. PROFFER, Cashier; BOYD BIGGERS, Asst. Cashier. DIRECTORS: M. L. MARSH, E. C. BARNHART, GEO. L. ... P. F. STALLINGS, W. D. PEMBERTON, J. F. ... A. F. GOODMAN, A. N. JAMES, A. R. ... CHAS. M. IVEY, B. L. UMBERGER, CHAS. R. ... T. N. SPENCER, F. C. NIBLOCK. We lend money on approved security. We receive deposits subject to check. We issue Certificates of Deposit bearing interest.

J. L. GREGORY HELD FOR SUPERIOR COURT

Slayer of S. W. Smith at Badin Will Probably Be Tried at Albemarle Next Week.

Albemarle, Nov. 21.—J. L. Gregory, who is charged with having shot and killed S. W. Smith on the streets of Badin on last Thursday morning, was given a preliminary hearing here today before Squire J. E. Agle and was bound over to Superior court without right of bail. Superior court convenes here next Monday with Judge P. A. McElroy presiding and this case will likely be heard at that time.

Three eye witnesses to the shooting were offered this afternoon who gave substantially the same testimony. From the evidence given Smith and Gregory were standing talking and angry words were passed, whereupon Gregory stated to Smith, "I'll shoot you," reached for his gun and at short range shot Smith full in the breast. Whereupon Smith turned and ran and when at a distance of about 20 feet Gregory shot a second time. Smith went about 75 yards farther, fell and died in a short time.

Just what led up to the difficulty has not been learned. It is rumored, however, that Gregory had charged Smith with having used abusive language to Gregory's wife the evening before. It is rumored that Gregory has killed two men prior to this homicide but under what circumstances it is not known here.

Money Set at Good Task.

Benjamin N. Duke gives out his money \$50,000 at a time. It's a long week that doesn't see Mr. Duke putting out for some college.

He selects the denominational college, those that have not the great resources of a great state behind them, but have to look for support to the people of the churches. It is a big help to get \$50,000. Mr. Duke does not select any one denomination, but gives to the colleges of many.

The denominational colleges do a great work. If it were not for them the State institutions would be swamped, unable to take care of the flood of students. In addition, they stress religion and that is a good thing when judges, solicitors and others are commenting on the fact that the courts are filled with young men as defendants.

Mr. Duke is putting his money to a good task. The \$50,000 gifts he is making will bear heavy dividends, not paid in cash but in something better.

Moustaches Urged by a Methodist Bishop.

T. B. Laney in Monroe Journal.

Bishop Denny says wear a moustache. The only thing to do to distinguish sex. Women bob the hair and wear pants and the only thing for men to do is to grow the wisp of hair on the upper lip. Get beyond them, wear the moustache, and this great Bishop was doing just what he advised.

And the Editor of the Journal was presented with an inspiration and he advised his barber to leave them alone. Let them grow and regardless of color or style they will be looked on as a blessing to distinguish men from their frait.

Then D. B. Syndey, of the Union Finance Company caused his trusty barber to shave away from the upper lip and leave the marker for the upper lip of being called Miss or Mrs. And as he walked down the street you see a man that was once as clean as a girl's face come staggering along behind the brush and some of the beard are so rank and wooly that the English sparrows have already built their nests there for winter quarters.

And this is not all. Often you see the eyes of a mouse peeping out from this brush because he fears to venture. But up there on a jaw bone he is comfortable and just think man has got to endure all this to distinguish himself from some fair maiden.

The girls first bobbed the hair and man thought it was awful. Then she shaved the neck and when the heavy quills like the porcupine began to grow, they clipped the back of the head and put on knickers. Then it was the great and good Methodist Bishop cried aloud, turn out your moustache. Do something to distinguish man from woman.

To provide attractive ushers for his theater, a Berlin manager advertised for "60 presentable ladies." Nearly one thousand beauties and near-beauties besieged his office. When he attempted to reduce the number of applicants by announcing that only bobbed-haired dunsels between 10 and 20 were eligible it was necessary to call the riot squad to protect him from the angry females.

Wife: "What's the matter, dear?"

Hubby: "Can't get this confounded starter to work. I think there must be a short circuit somewhere." Wife: "How annoying! Can't you lengthen it?"

Head of the house in angry tones.

"Who told you to put that paper on the wall?" Decorator: "Your wife, sir." "Pretty isn't it?"

Mother (proudly): "This is my son."

Freddie, Mrs. Higgins. Isn't he a bright little fellow?" Freddie (accustomed to being shown off): "What was that clever thing I said yesterday, mother?"

NO INTERFERENCE IN BUSINESS, SAYS COOLIDGE

President Promises Business No Interference if Activities Be Confined to the Legitimate.

New York, Nov. 19.—President Coolidge tonight held out a promise to business that it need fear no interference from his administration so long as it confines itself to legitimate activities.

Addressing one thousand New York business executives at the 137th annual banquet of the state chamber of commerce, he emphasized the desirability of the "largest possible independence between government and business"; declared that business should be "unhampered and free"; admitted that "proper regulation and control" of business are "disagreeable and expensive," and expressed the belief that, judged by its conduct during the last few years, business can be trusted to keep its own house in order.

Carrying out his thought that government and business "each ought to be sovereign in its own sphere," the President said: "When government comes unduly under the influence of business, the tendency is to develop an administration which closes the door of opportunity, becomes narrow and selfish in its outlook, and results in oligarchy. When government enters the field of business with its great resources, it has a tendency to extravagance and inefficiency, both having the power to crush all competitors, likewise closes the door of opportunity and results in monopoly."

Repeatedly during his address the President was applauded, his audience giving approval to his expressed attitude toward business; to his appeal for continued government economy and efficiency; to his appeal for American adherence to the world court.

"I can think of no more assuring action," said Mr. Coolidge, "than the declaration of America that it will wholeheartedly join with others in the support of the tribunal for the administration of international justice which they have created."

Citing George Washington as a leader who did not hesitate to meet peril, encounter danger or make sacrifices, the President, appealing for support for world court adherence, declared that "we must meet our perils; we must encounter our dangers; we must make our sacrifices; or history will recount that the works of Washington have failed."

BLAMES CREW MEMBERS FOR WRECK ON A. C. L.

Conductor and Engineman Blamed in Reports Submitted to Interstate Commerce Commission.

Washington, Nov. 20.—(AP)—Responsibility for the head-on collision of two Atlantic Coast Line passenger trains near Mango, Fla., on October 10th has been placed on Conductor Mougler and Engineman Sasses of the Southbound train No. 89, in the report of the director of the Bureau of safety, as made to the Interstate Commerce Commission. One person was killed and 31 injured in the wreck.

The misreading of a "meet" order by the engineer was considered the direct cause of the wreck. Failure of subordinate train officers to read the orders as required by law was held in the report to have prevented a check on the message which probably would have averted a collision.

Kannapolis Y Girls Take Hike.

Kannapolis, Nov. 20.—Saturday the Y girls hiking class enjoyed a hike over to Concord and back covering a distance of 14 miles. The most interesting event of the day was the good dinner at the Carolina Cafe. A special menu had been prepared and each girl enjoyed the feast. The regular class of 14 was present with Mr. Sharp as an honorary guest.</