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TO ORGANIZE GAME PROTECTION LEAGUE

Meeting to Be Held at Link's School House in this Township.

A number of the citizens of Hickory township have organized themselves into a body known as Link's Protection Game League.

It shall be the duty of each member of the league to report to the proper officers and see that warrants are issued for each person seen unlawfully hunting upon the land of any member of the league.

The league is to contain at least thirty members. A meeting will be held tonight at Link's School house for the purpose of electing officers of the league.

Messrs. J. W. Shuford, J. A. Whitener, W. B. Ramsay, J. C. Fry, J. P. Seitz, C. M. Rowe, C. M. Ward, B. W. Miller and J. R. Abee and others will be members of the league.

News Notes.

Southern Railway fast train No. 38 ran into the rear of the Richmond football special at Salisbury last Wednesday night, killing Henry C. Severs and Charles E. Hall, both of Charlotte, and injuring 22 others.

Carolina went down in defeat in the annual Thanksgiving football game with Virginia at Richmond Thursday, the score being 14 to 0. At Norfolk the A. & M. was defeated by Washington and Lee 48 to 13.

Twelve persons were killed and about 30 injured in a tornado which struck the thickly settled farming section a mile east of Hot Springs, Ark., last Thursday.

Cordial relations between Greece and the entente powers have been established with the Greek government's assurance that no attempt will be made to interfere with the allied troops should they under any contingency be forced to cross the Greek frontier.

An automobile carrying six young people turned over 3 miles south of Newton Thursday and every member of the party was more or less hurt. The members of the party were Reuben Ford, Burgin Goodson, and Misses Perry Hallman, Mattie Goodson, Elen Goodson and Ethel Hines.

Doing Fine After Operation.

The many friends of Mrs. J. D. Bolick will be glad to know she is getting on fine since undergoing a very serious operation at the Richard Baker hospital some time ago.

Entertains Bridge Club.

Wednesday afternoon November 24, Mrs. Edwina Chadwick entertained the Wednesday afternoon Bridge Club with three tables of cards.

Charged With Store Breaking

Statesville Landmark.

Robert Jones and Claude Krider, a couple of white boys who claim Hickory as their home were arrested by Special Policeman George Avers Wednesday night, charged with an attempt to rob the store of the Sanitary Grocery Company.

"The White Squaw" Coming.

The press agent of "The White Squaw" says: "When our piano gets out of tune, we call in a tuner and it is again as good as new. When our liver gets out of order, we see a doctor; he tones us up. If our spirits get down, we think of all the awful things that never did happen—never will happen—but that horrid little 'Muse,' worry, must be fed; so we keep right on feeding it."

Deeds Filed for Record.

The following deeds were filed for record last week: R. Lee Hewitt to M. L. Withers for \$1,510, tract of 46 acres in Caldwell township adjoining A. A. Withers.

H. B. Hemmeter to the South-eastern Lutheran Mission and Church Extension board, for \$399, lot in Catawba adjoining Oscar Sherrill's residence property.

J. T. Yoder to Guy F. Yoder for \$450; tract of 12 acres adjoining Noah Sigmon.

D. P. Setzer to J. T. Yoder for \$450, tract of 3 1/2 acres adjoining R. E. Hahn.

J. P. Price to W. E. Kuhn for \$1,000, tract of 25 acres adjoining Adolphus Whitener.

Dyspepsia is America's curse. To restore digestion, normal weight, good health and purify the blood, use Burdock Blood Bitters. Sold at all drug stores. Price \$1.00.

THE ADVANTAGES OF STUDYING AT SCHOOL

Prof. Staley Points Out Benefits to be Derived by This Method.

Whether pupils in our public schools receive more benefit by having their lessons assigned at school and doing their studying at home than they do by studying under the guidance of experienced teachers while at the school during the day has been the subject of much discussion.

"For the last three or four years the pupils in the schools of Hickory have done their studying at school under the direct supervision of the teachers. The result is that under this method the pupils are doing more and better work than under the other method.

"The school day is no longer in the schools of Hickory than in the schools where only recitation work is done—less than four hours of actual school work in the primary grades, and less than five hours in the more advanced grades.

"My principal trouble had been nervousness and stomach trouble. I never slept soundly at nights, awakening at all hours and remaining awake for long periods at a time. My nerves were all out of order, and slight noises or excitement, which formerly did not disturb me, almost upset me completely.

"My digestion was also affected and I was almost what you would call a nervous dyspeptic. My stomach was in a very bad shape; in fact, I haven't been able to enjoy a hearty meal for twelve years. I have spent hundreds of dollars to try to get relief.

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"Wherever the method of having pupils do their studying at school has been tried, there is a strong sentiment in its favor on the part of parents, teachers and pupils themselves."

Coughs and Colds are Dangerous.

Few of us realize the danger of coughs and colds. We consider them common and harmless ailments. However, statistics tell us every third person dies of a lung ailment. Dangerous Bronchial and Lung diseases follow a neglected cold.

The question of Heaven and Hell resolves to this: Some men expect their reward in the next world and believe in Heaven. Another man takes his reward in this world and believes there is no Hell.

For any pain, burn, scald or bruise, apply Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil—the household remedy. Two sizes 25c and 50c at all drug stores.

Death of Robert A. Crawford.

Mr. Robert A. Crawford, a former teacher and one of the county's best citizens, passed away at his home near Wesley's Chapel Wednesday, November 23, aged 41 years. Deceased had been ill for several years and his death was not unexpected.

ALARM CLOCK DOESN'T STOP HIS SLEEP IN MORNINGS NOW

Proprietor of Astor Cafe Makes Startling Statement.

GAINS 12 POUNDS IN SIXTEEN DAYS

Had Spent Hundreds of Dollars to Get Relief.

"The main fault with me now is that I sleep so soundly in the mornings that I can't hear the alarm clock," said Mr. S. O. Kavas, the popular proprietor of the Astor Cafe, located at 31 South Tryon street, Charlotte.

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NEGLECT CHARGED TO TRAINS' CREWS

Flagman, Engineer and Fireman Blamed For Salisbury Wreck by Jury.

Salisbury, Nov. 27.—Charges of gross negligence by members of crews of two Southern trains wrecked by rear end collision here Wednesday night are contained in the verdict tonight of a coroner's jury which held an inquest today into the death of C. E. Hall and H. C. Severs, who were killed in the accident.

SCHOOL OF STUDENT APPRENTICES.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 30.—Seeking to enlist in the service of its Maintenance of Way Department young men of technical training who were born and bred in the South, Southern Railway Company has maintained during the past two years and has now successfully established a school of student apprentices.

The course has been arranged to take the student apprentice through the daily duties of track work as follows: 1st, as section laborer; 2nd, as laborer in yards and terminals; 3rd, as laborer in extra gang; 4th, as assistant foreman on extra gangs or in yards; 5th, as relief or designated section foreman; 6th, as assistant supervisor.

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PARIS

Written for the Travelers' Club of Hickory by Rev. E. de F. Heald

(Continued From Last Week.)

There remains to be mentioned the made-to-order kind of entertainment. These are fakes, pure and simple, to catch the unwary. The silly, rapid, would-be-rapid American youth and his elder brother the accomplished rake may be smart enough to steer clear of "green goods" at home, but they often are victimized by the Parisian shark with his furtive solicitation to visit places strange if not dark.

There are attempts to make a Bohemia in New York, but the "Tenderloin" is not a good counterfeit. "La Vie de Boheme" courses in the blood of a certain type of Parisian. It always has a redeeming factor—a warmth of human sympathy.

The old "Quartier Latin" life has, I believe, largely passed away; American art students may have displaced it, and driven it high up into the Montmartr section of the North and East. At least there Charpentier pictures the survival in his kaleidoscope opera "Louise."

On the other side of the world is the socially aristocracy, and the term primarily applies to the society of the Faubourg St. Germain. "Faubourg St. Germain" is untranslatable—the old Washington Square and lower Fifth Avenue set in New York, and the "Cave Dwellers" in Washington are the nearest thing to it with us in America.

Pedigrees very long and traditions very venerable here remain intact and undisturbed, save by an occasional foreign marriage, an infusion of American blood. Though American girls are mostly brought into touch with the more brilliant but less exclusive life of the newer Paris, where money is as in all new places the "open sesame."

Many an old French family still maintains its quiet dignity, aloofness and unpretentiousness, its true elegance, hid away behind massive double barred doors, down in the quiet Rue St. Dominique and de Varenne, across the river.

Far less characteristic and interesting is that section of high life with its savor of the race course, the gaming table, and other extremes of pleasure seeking. It entirely lacks that courtly bearing and stately poise of the "ancient regime" which is never blatant, ostentatious or flamboyant.

No place of note and character can ever be merely known, rationally, intellectually known—known about. It must be felt, lived, truly to be known. Cities of the old world have their distinctive quality. They are to be understood in terms other than of form, size and outward appearance.

THE END.

KILLS FIVE, THEN TAKES OWN LIFE

Six Persons Found Shot To Death In Farm House Victims of Pact.

New Brunswick, N. J., Nov. 27.—Six persons were found shot to death in a farm house on a country road three miles south of here tonight. Five of them had been murdered, while the sixth apparently committed suicide after shooting the others.

A farmer and his family were killed while two farm hands, apparently foreigners, also were shot to death. One of the employees, according to the authorities, did the shooting while the others were asleep last Tuesday night, and then killed himself.

To Remain in Hickory.

Rev. B. A. York, we are glad to say, will continue to reside in Hickory. The following from the Christian Advocate explains his plans:

"Rev. B. A. York, who for about thirty years has been a faithful itinerant, takes the superannuate relation. He is still able to do some work and would like to correspond with any of the brethren who may need help in revival services. We hope he may find an open door for any service he may have strength to perform. His address is Hickory, N. C. We were glad to greet him in the Advocate office on Tuesday."

The "Doctor" Fined.

T. E. LeRoy of Gastonia, was fined \$100 and costs in county court at Newton last week for practicing medicine without license. He appealed to Superior court.

Doan's Regulets are recommended by many who say they operate easily, without gripping and without bad after effects. 25c at all drug stores.

at the quiet chateau in the provinces. Under the careful economy of the French their often very modest fortunes go, a long way. Americans simply can't do it—so "intense" is our mode of high living.

With these, it is to be feared rather slight and sketchy pages, we must leave our subject today—save for a concluding paragraph.

May your work together this year be in the true spirit of the traveler, and lead you into the inner mysteries, into the very heart of the Siren City, Paris, the ever beautiful!

Don't Sacrifice Your Crops

It is bad business policy for farmers to work hard to make and save their crops, only to lose a good part of their value by putting them on the market immediately after harvest time when prices are low.

The First National Bank is ready and able to furnish to farmers all the money necessary to enable them to hold for better prices all the crops raised in this section; and invites them to call whenever a loan is needed for this purpose, or for any other plan of farm improvement.

First National Bank

HICKORY, N. C.

Capital and Surplus \$300,000.00

Four Per Cent Interest Paid on Savings Deposits, Compounded Quarterly.

House Robbed

While attending the funeral a few days ago of his brother, robbers entered the home of Mr. Solomon Fulbright, broke open a trunk and stole what money they could find. They will do YOU the same way the first opportunity.

Be Wise

Deposit your money in the HICKORY BANKING & TRUST COMPANY where it is protected from BURGLARS and FIRE and will draw four per cent interest if left four months or longer and can be had on call.

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