

SOCIETY

For Spring



This chic hat and scarf ensemble recently made its appearance in a smart Fifth Avenue shop. The hat, in Chinese red, is of Milan straw and most completely covered with velvet geantums. The scarf, of georgette, is bordered with the same flowers.

Busy at Their Good Deeds.

The Stonewall Circle of the King's Daughters held its March meeting at the home of Misses Mary and Adeline Morrison Monday evening.

The report of the visiting committee proved interesting and showed considerable activity during February: Nine small school boys had been given clothes; eight children were taken to a local specialist for treatment; glasses have been furnished to four children, and provision has been made for the removal of tonsils of two children.

The King's Daughters were pleased with the generous co-operation of Dr. R. B. Rankin in the accomplishment of such much needed services for worthy and needy children, the Daughters themselves supplying the glasses and the hospitalization charges. And they are bearing all the expenses at a hospital for a crippled child.

The visiting committee for March are Mesdames G. B. Lewis, Ernest Hicks, J. A. Cannon and R. S. Young.

The circle adjourned to meet with Mrs. C. W. Byrd the first Monday evening in April.

The following letter, received from a fourth grade pupil who had received attention from the King's Daughters, explains itself and reveals the gratitude of a pupil in the Concord public schools:

Concord, N. C., Feb. 27, 1926.
Mrs. J. P. Cook,
Concord, N. C.
Dear Mrs. Cook:—I want to thank you and the King's Daughters for the glasses that you gave me. They are great. I like to wear them. I am getting along with my school work much better since I have them. Please tell the King's Daughters how much I appreciate them.

Your little friend,
THOMAS BENNETT.

Party Goes to Salisbury.

Mrs. J. A. Sims, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ridenhour, Jr., Mrs. Gales Pickard, and Miss Elizabeth Williams, the house guest of Mrs. Ridenhour, will spend Wednesday in Salisbury as the guests of Mrs. R. G. Kizer. Jay Sims, who is a son of Mrs. Sims, is manager of Sousa's band, which plays in Salisbury Wednesday afternoon. He will be Mrs. Kizer's guest also.

Group One of Trinity Reformed Church To Meet.

Group One of the Woman's Missionary Society will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. T. Chess. Mrs. Cross and Mrs. John McChellan are joint hostesses for the meeting.

Torch-Bearer's Meeting Changed.

The Mission Study Class conducted by the Torch-Bearers of St. James Lutheran Church, will hold its class Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 instead of Sunday, as previously announced.

A billiard tournament will be opened in London April 12 to determine the amateur championship of the British empire.

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PERSONAL

Mrs. R. M. McKiamie, of Charlotte, is spending several days here at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. W. Caldwell.

J. H. Separk, of Gastonia, spent a short time in Concord with friends Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Hill and little daughter, Elizabeth Jane, went to Salisbury Saturday, where Mrs. Hill and daughter will spend some time visiting Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Gilton. Mr. Hill returned to the city Sunday afternoon.

Miss Selma Turner is confined to her home on Meadow street by illness.

Miss Annie C. Norfleet, of Suffolk, Va., who has been spending some months with her sisters, Mrs. R. P. Blair, of Charlotte, and Mrs. J. P. Cook, of Concord, and with her niece, Mrs. R. M. King, left today for New Bern, where she visits for a while a niece, Mrs. Edgar Grace. Miss Norfleet was accompanied to New Bern by Mrs. Cook.

Mrs. Albert E. Kay has returned to her home in Lowell, Mass., after having spent several weeks in Concord with Mr. Kay, who is superintendent at Brown Mill.

Mrs. J. Lindsay Ross, who has been confined to her home for several weeks by illness, is able to sit up for awhile each day.

Miss Elizabeth Williams, of Charlotte, is spending several weeks here as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. R. E. Ridenhour, Jr., on White street.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Mauney and children, of King's Mountain, spent Sunday in Concord with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ridenhour, at their home on West Depot street.

Miss Virginia Smoot, who is spending several weeks in High Point, is in Concord for a few days with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Smoot.

Miss Annis Smoot has returned from High Point, where she attended a week-end house party.

Mrs. Rosa McDonald, of Charlotte, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. L. Patterson, is confined to the home by influenza.

Miss Laura Virginia Yorke, of Rock Hill, S. C., will arrive Wednesday for a visit of several days to Miss Virginia Reed.

Women to Aid Needy Families.

Women of Central Methodist Church are planning to send a box of clothes and other goods to some needy families in the mountain sections of the State.

Persons desiring to contribute are asked to notify Mrs. L. L. Mauldin, who will call on Thursday and collect the gifts.

Floral Club

The Floral Club will hold its regular meeting with Mrs. W. C. Houston on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Member Sousa's Band.

Jay Sims, well known and popular Concord man and a brother of Mrs. R. G. Kizer, of this city, is a member of Sousa's Band, which appears at the Capitol Theatre in this city Wednesday of this week.

Mr. Sims has been with this noted musical organization for some time and before joining it was with the famous Buffalo Bill show band. He has a number of friends in this city. While here he will be a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kizer, on North Main street.

Bus Operators Fails, Has \$200; Owes \$46,000.

Greensboro, March 1.—E. M. Holt, of this city, formerly a stockholder in the Old United Stage Lines, a bus concern that operated between here and Raleigh until it went bankrupt and was sold, today was declared bankrupt in an order signed by Judge E. Yates Webb and filed in the office of the federal district court here. Mr. Holt filed a petition that he be declared bankrupt and listed debts as \$15,917 and assets as \$200. He gave his occupation as wage earner.

Champion Indian Pony Rider



"Mary Rides Fast" is her name—and she lives up to it. She's the champion Indian pony rider on the Glacier National Park reservation. She uses a special cut-top bush in place of the leather girth her sisters use.

CONCORD INTERESTED IN THE D. A. R. MEETING

Delegates From Cabarrus Black Boys Chapter to Attend Sessions in Charlotte.

Keen interest had been aroused among local Daughters of the American Revolution in the State conference of the North Carolina Society which opens in the Hotel Charlotte tonight.

Concord's delegates to the conference will report for the opening session and the local chapter will be represented at all sessions. The Concord delegates plan to go to Charlotte each day and return home at night.

The nomination of a national vice president general is expected to create greatest interest in the Charlotte conference. Mrs. Ralph Van Landingham, of Charlotte, and Mrs. W. O. Spencer, of Charlotte, are seeking the nomination. It is understood that the Concord delegates have been instructed to vote for Mrs. Van Landingham.

Among the prominent speakers who have been invited to address the conference, which will continue through Thursday afternoon, are Ex-Governor Cameron Morrison, Judge T. B. Finley, of North Wilkesboro, Mrs. Carl Vrooman, of Bloomington, Ill., and Dr. R. D. W. Connor, of Chapel Hill.

Mayor Harvey W. Moore, of Charlotte, will deliver the address of welcome this evening and the response will be given by Miss Mary P. Ward, of New Bern.

Mrs. Frank B. Smith, chairman of the Charlotte central council, will also welcome the delegates, guests and state officers, to which Mrs. C. M. Parks, of Tarboro, vice regent, will respond.

The conference will be called to order by Mrs. Gregory, state regent, who will also deliver an address. Dr. R. D. W. Connor, of Chapel Hill, and Judge T. B. Finley, of North Wilkesboro, are also to speak during the evening.

The professional will be led by Mrs. Frank B. Smith, of Charlotte, chairman of the flag committee, and the pages leading with the guests and state officers, who are as follows: Mrs. E. C. Gregory, Salisbury, regent; Mrs. C. W. Parks, Tarboro, vice regent; Mrs. T. L. Gwyn, Waverly, recording secretary; Mrs. H. E. Eagan, Salisbury, corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. S. Williams, Asheville, treasurer; Mrs. E. L. Shuford, Hickory, historian; Mrs. J. M. Hillman, Greensboro, registrar; Mrs. E. F. Reid, Lenoir, chaplain; Mrs. Ralph Van Landingham, Charlotte, librarian.

Addresses from patriotic societies will be given.

Leaves Farewell Word For All His Children.

Norwood, March 1.—W. T. Cutchin, preacher, lecturer, farmer and writer, died at his home here Friday evening, aged 67 years. Mr. Cutchin knew that death was approaching, and told his friends and children that he was aware of the fact. Many of his children live some distance and he left each of them a farewell word.

Mr. Cutchin was twice married, first to Miss Lizzie Lentz and later to Miss Sarah Catherine Upchurch. To the first union were born six children, all of whom are married and settled in life. To the second union were born four children, most of these still in school. For the past several years Mr. Cutchin has been growing feeble and has devoted most of his time to writing articles on the Bible. The latest printed article appeared in a Stanly county paper on Thursday, and dealt extensively with the meaning of the soul.

(Mr. Cutchin's first wife was a sister of A. E. Lent, formerly of Concord.—Ed.)

Gigli, Tenor to Sing in Detroit, Despite Threat Against Life.

New York, March 1.—Benjamin Gigli, tenor with the Metropolitan Opera Company, announced late today through his manager that he would sing in Detroit May 6th. Gigli cancelled a concert in Detroit February 22nd and left the city hurriedly after he said that a warning had been received that enemies would "cut his canary throat."

"The consumer has some crumbs of comfort."

"What's the wheeze now?"

"When you buy oysters you don't have to pay for the shells."

It cost \$3,459.21 to keep me inmate of the Home for Aged Farmers in Davenport, Iowa, last year. Five is the largest number ever housed there.

George: Is that big slice of cake for Aunt Aggie?

Mother: No, dear, it's for you.

George: Aw, gee, what a little bit!

FELICE

"Perfectly adorable" is the only way we can describe this latest Spring shoe creation. Parchment kid and comes in all the most fashionable shades. The stitching is of a scalloped effect and is in perfect harmony with the shoe itself.

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OFFERED FREE SERVICE FOR LICENSE TAG STATION

Local Chamber of Commerce Offered to Do Work Without Cost But the State Declined Offer.

Officials of the Concord Chamber of Commerce offered a free auto license station for the State but R. A. Doughton, commissioner of the department of revenue, turned it down.

When it was decided some time ago to abolish some of the sub-stations which have been handling the license tags for the State, it was stated that the stations had cost the State so much that they would not be operated this year. That statement led to the free offer from Concord but Mr. Doughton will not establish the station in this city, cost or no cost.

The Chamber of Commerce is anxious to serve the people," Dr. T. Spencer, secretary of the chamber, said in discussing the matter. "So we offered to give the service free if the State would send the tags here. Hereafter a certain commission has been paid by the State to persons in charge of the sub-stations, but we did not ask for that commission. We figured that if the State was abolishing some of the station as a means of saving money it would be only too glad to have us operate for them without cost. However, the free offer was refused and our people must write to Raleigh for the tags, necessitating money for stamps and postage, or drive to Charlotte or Salisbury, where sub-stations will be operated on the commission basis."

NOTED RECITER WILL BE HEARD IN CONCORD

John Duxbury Will Be Heard in Concord Twice on March 17th at the High School.

John Duxbury, England's eminent reciter, will appear in Concord twice on March 17th, it was announced here today.

On the afternoon of the 17th at 3 o'clock he will be heard in his recital of "Pilgrim's Progress" and at 8 o'clock in the evening of the same day he will be heard in "The Book of Job."

Mr. Duxbury will spend but one week in the South and Concord persons who are familiar with his work have expressed the opinion that the city is most fortunate to secure him for two engagements. His recital of "The Book of Job" is said to be his finest.

Newspapers, Church publications, ministers and laymen who have heard the noted reciter, are loud in their praise of him. S. Parkes Cadman, president of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ of America, sent Mr. Duxbury the following letter after hearing him in the Church in Brooklyn of which he is pastor:

"I do not think I need tell you how greatly profited my congregation was by your really wonderful rendition of 'The Book of Job.' Nothing of its kind has been given in Central Church in the last twenty-four years which in any way equalled it. I speak for all my people and for the citizens of Brooklyn who heard you, when I say that we shall embrace that opportunity again when ever possible. Although I had studied the 'Book of Job' and also had studied it under one of the greatest scholars of Europe, I never felt its majesty and its power as I did while you were reciting it. With every good wish, believe me, yours ever."

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Mrs. Minnie Bell Alexander, wife of Neil Alexander, of No. 2 township, died at her home Monday night after a brief illness of pneumonia. Funeral services were held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at Poplar Tent Presbyterian Church and interment was made in the cemetery of the Church.

Mrs. Alexander was 44 years of age, having been born in Cleveland County on July 12, 1881, a daughter of the late Thomas Lefler. She had been a resident of this county for many years and an active member of the Poplar Tent Church.

Surviving are her husband, six children, five brothers, T. F. George, B. A. C. S., and F. R. Lefler, and four sisters, Mrs. D. S. Alexander, of Concord, Mrs. J. T. Pates, of Hickory

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Grove, Mrs. P. F. Bula, of Charlotte, and Miss Martha Lefler, of Reidsville.

Heavy Dove Home Place to Be Sold at Auction.

The Harry Dove Home place, on the Cold Springs road about four miles from Concord, will be sold at auction next Friday, March 5th, at 10 o'clock a. m. There are about 115 acres in the tract. This has been subdivided into nice home sites. The property is only about one-fourth mile from State Highway No. 74.

At 2:30 p. m. on the same day, the Carolina Land Co. will also sell 35 home sites in Oakwood Park, in Concord. This property is located just off the Kannapolis highway adjoining the Concord Mattress factory. See half page ad. on page three today.

On December 17, fifty carloads of frozen halibut and salmon were shipped from British Columbia to eastern markets for the holiday season. This is probably without parallel in its size and the distance from water to dinner table.

TOM SIMS Says

The trouble seems to be that we would like to have things as we want them instead of as they should be. We've tried so hard, and yet we can't see how people consider a telephone a plaything.

Don't worry if you haven't much. Think of how little you have to get to improve your situation.

One of the greatest advantages of having a home of your own is you can get some oysters in your oyster stew.

You can't put anything over on the modern girl. Hit her and she hits back. Kiss her and she kisses back. (Copyright, 1926, NEA Service, Inc.)

Teacher: What is the principal part of speech?
Smart Boy: The tongue.

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