

Society and Personal

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BEFORE THE RAIN.

I knew it would rain, for all the year A spirit on slender ropes of mist...

Of marshes, and swamps, and dismal fens— Scooping the dew that lay in the flowers...

I knew it would rain, for the poplars showed The white of their leaves, the amber grain...

Shrunk in the wind—and the lightning now Is tangled in tremulous skeins of rain!

—Thomas Bailey Aldrich.

G. W. Boston was an Asheville visitor Tuesday.

Mr. W. L. Hardin was a Sylva visitor Thursday.

Mr. Walter Hamby of Knoxville was a Sunday visitor.

Mrs. Clifton Moody was an Asheville shopper Friday.

Mrs. L. M. Richeson spent several days in Knoxville last week.

Mrs. E. B. McClure spent last week visiting relatives in Asheville.

Mrs. Bess F. Penny returned Sunday from a brief visit in Raleigh.

John C. Woodbury of Asheville was a Waynesville visitor Wednesday.

Dr. J. L. Stringfellow of Sunburst was a Waynesville visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Kent of Canton spent Friday with her sister, Miss Kate Rickards.

Mr. Byron Reeves of Biltmore spent Monday with his aunt, Mrs. J. S. Jones.

Miss Gladys Moody of Sunburst spent the week-end with Miss Joyce Green.

Mrs. Harden Howell is visiting relatives in Roseland, Va. for a fortnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Semmes left Tuesday for a week's visit in Miami.

Mr. Jack Atkinson of Asheville was a guest of Mrs. W. E. Miller Sunday.

Miss Hilda Haynes of Canton visited her sister, Mrs. Brown Caldwell, Saturday.

Miss Salinda Perry of Asheville was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Boyd Sunday.

Miss Caroline Ashton returned Monday from a visit of several days to Atlanta.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Feland of Memphis are guests at the Kenmore for several weeks.

Miss Virginia Rotha is in Asheville visiting Mrs. D. Arcy Williams for several days.

Mrs. Arthur Parker of Akron, Ohio is visiting her parents, Sheriff and Mrs. J. F. Caba.

Mrs. T. Lenoir Gwyn with her daughter returned Thursday from Asheville to her home.

Miss Mayme Clayton, who attended her sister's wedding in Gainesville, Fla., returned Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Pressley spent several days last week in Hot Springs, Asheville and Marshall.

Mrs. J. M. Long, who has been in Knoxville for the past week, returned to her home Thursday.

Miss Mary Cox, who is attending Cullowhee this session, spent the week-end with her mother.

Miss Madge Alley of Sylva was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Alley on Branner avenue.

Miss Margaret Taylor of Andrews was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Walter Hawk, over last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Damtoft and son of Canton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Garrison.

Archdeacon and Mrs. W. H. Hardin of Salisbury are guests of Mrs. Hardin's sister, Mrs. W. L. Hardin.

Mr. J. A. McDowell of Winston-Salem, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. McDowell and family motored to Hendersonville Sunday.

Master James Connelly, Jr. of Charlotte is visiting friends over the week-end.

J. R. Higgs and T. Lenoir Gwyn made a business trip to Raleigh last week.

Miss Ruth Wyche spent the week-end in Asheville visiting Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wyche.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Dicus and J. P. Dicus attended the State Fair in Raleigh last week.

Misses Daisy and Bessie Boyd were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Perry in Asheville.

Mrs. M. Abernathy of Atlanta will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. David Miller, for a fortnight.

P. W. Davis of Dallas, Texas returned to his home Monday after spending the summer in Waynesville.

The friends of Mrs. Claude Francis will be pleased to learn of her recovery from an illness of two months.

Rev. and Mrs. J. T. McGowan returned this week from the Methodist conference which was held in Statesville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Coin and children are visiting Mr. Coin's parents in Livermore, Kentucky for several weeks.

Misses Lavada Palmer, Elizabeth Palmer, and Mayme Clayton motored to Canton last week to see "The Lost World."

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davis of Knoxville returned last week to their home after a visit with friend and relatives.

Mr. J. A. McDowell of Winston-Salem left Tuesday for his home, after a visit with his brother, Dr. C. H. McDowell.

Mrs. S. R. Crockett left last week for Madisonville, Kentucky where she will be the guest of relatives for several days.

Miss Clara Pressley, who is a student at Cullowhee, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Pressley.

Mr. John Swift, Jr., who has been employed in Newport News for the past several months, returned to his home Saturday.

Misses Virginia Rotha and Diana Black who visited in Charlotte for the past week, returned to their homes Saturday.

Those composing a party to the Rod and Gun Club Sunday were: Misses Price, Chaffing, Vernie Phillips, Addie MacDonald, and Lillian Hooks, Katherine Phillips, Messrs. Otis Aiken, James Osborne and Edwin Haynes.

Mrs. Fred L. Safford was called to her home in Indiana on account of the death of her father.

Mrs. C. A. Lowry of Franklin attended the Gibson-Brown wedding which occurred Wednesday.

Mrs. Robert Howell will leave Thursday for her home in Los Angeles, after spending the summer in Waynesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin attended the anniversary reception given by Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Lynch in Cullowhee Monday.

Miss Pauline Smith of Oliver, Ga. arrived in Waynesville last week and will be the manager of the Western Union office.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCracken of Orlando, Fla. have returned to their home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. McCracken.

Miss Julia Kirby of Gaffney, S. C., who was formerly connected with the Western Union office, has been transferred to Marion.

Mrs. J. W. Reed, who has been the guest of Mrs. B. C. McVey in Biltmore for the past week, returned to her home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wright of Almagordo, New Mexico, are visiting Mrs. Wright's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Palmer at Nallie.

Mrs. Jere Smathers, Miss Minnie Mitchell and Mr. William Smathers of Asheville were guests of Mrs. Clem Smathers Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Osborne of West Palm Beach, returned to her home last week after a visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Abel.

Rev. A. V. Joyner of Canton spent Monday afternoon at the home of R. L. Underwood who has been seriously ill for the past ten weeks.

Miss Lillian Burgin, a student at Cullowhee this year, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Burgin, on Love Lane.

The teachers meeting which was held in Asheville last Friday was largely attended by the teachers in the elementary and high schools.

Mr. and Mrs. James Day of Charleston, S. C., who have spent the past month at Chestnut Park Lodge, returned to their home Wednesday.

Mrs. Joe Tate left Wednesday morning for Albemarle where she was called on account of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Fred Calhoun.

Mrs. H. N. Morris of Orlando returned last week to her home after a visit of several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. McCracken.

Misses Ada Woods and Mary Briggs of Canton attended the showery Wednesday night honoring Miss Harriet Brown, a bride of Wednesday.

Mrs. Franklin Day and two children left last week for their home in New York, after an extended visit with Mrs. Day's aunt, Mrs. Rufus L. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crispe and young son left last week for their home in Fender, Ga., after a visit with Mrs. Crispe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Burgin.

Miss Dorothy Williams spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams. Miss Williams is attending Cullowhee Normal this fall.

Miss Addie MacDonald of Old Fort spent the week-end with her sister, Miss Montie MacDonald, who is a member of the faculty in the city schools.

Miss Nellie Anderson of Springfield, Tenn. arrived Saturday to fill the vacancy in the elementary school. Miss Anderson will have charge of sixth grade.

Mr. H. A. Ford of Gainesville, Fla. who has spent the summer at the Miller House, left Saturday. Before returning home he will make business trips to Alabama and Mississippi.

Misses Sara May and Lillian Connolly of Charlotte will arrive Friday to spend the week-end with Misses Blanche Howell, Martha Mock and Frances Ray.

Mrs. A. M. Bennett of Bryson City spent several days in Waynesville with her brother, J. R. Hyatt, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident which occurred recently.

MRS. KILLIAN HOSTESS. Monday afternoon Mrs. Leon Killian was the charming hostess to a sewing party complimenting Miss Harriet Brown whose marriage to Mr. Robert H. Gibson occurred Wednesday.

The Killian home was artistically decorated in fall flowers and potted plants.

During the afternoon each guest wrote a wish of happiness and also her favorite recipe in the bride's book. After an afternoon was spent in the hemming of tea towels the bride was presented with them by her hostess.

Mrs. Killian, assisted by Misses Ellen Louise Killian and Mary Nell Miller, served a delectable salad course.

Those enjoying Mrs. Killian's party were: Misses Harriet Brown, Ida Jean Brown, Alice Quinlan, Jeanie West, Bessie Boyd, Louise Berry, Frances Robeson, Lois Harrold, Daisy Boyd, Fredericks Quinlan, Nancy Crockett, Mary Quinlan, Laura Aelledge, Sue Willard Lindsley, Wilda Crawford, Mesdames G. D. Green, Lena B. Palmer, E. S. Harrold, R. L. Prevost, J. M. Long, C. E. Quinlan, H. C. Lindsley, J. C. Rose, S. T. Neal, Hugh Abel, E. J. Hyatt, D. M. Killian, W. F. Swift, H. L. MacFadyen, Jennie MacFadyen, C. W. Miller, Jr., C. E. Ray, Steve Shelton, F. G. Rippetoe, J. W. Seaver, Rufus Siler, Hilliard Atkins, Schaedt, R. H. Blackwell, John Queen, Nannie Persons, M. T. McCracken, George Ward, Harry Rotha, L. M. Richeson, G. C. Plott, C. W. Lattimer, W. R. Harbeck, Joe Graves, S. T. Graves, Clifton Moody and Mark Killian.

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