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# In Flanders Field

THE APPEAL

In Flanders Fields the poppies blow

Between the croses, row on row, That mark our place, and in the

The larks, still bravely singing fly, Scarce heard amid the guns be-

We are the dead. Short days ago We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow

Loved and were loved, and now we lie

In Flanders Fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe! To you from falling hands we throw

The torch. Be yours to lift it high!

If ye break faith with us who die

We shall not sleep, though poppies blow

In Flanders Fields.

-Lieut. Col. John McRae.

## L. H. C. Club of Elkin

The Lucy Hanes Chatham Club No. 1 met October 23rd at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Young in West Elkin. A large number of the regular members as well as several new members and visitors were presnt. The attendance contest between the Duke and State captains has created a lot of interest and the girls are working hard for their side to win.

During the meeting basket ball was discussed and more girls volunteered to play. Plans were also made for a Hallowe'en party.

was enjoyed. Talk of the new Club House seemed to be the most thrilling event of the evening.

On Thursday evening, November 1st, Mrs. Earl James was the guest of the Club and made a most helpful talk on "Happiness." The Club is always glad to have Mrs. James as she is a most talented speaker and always brings a message that is helpful.

### L. H. C. Club No. 2

The L. H. C. Club No. 2 held their regular meeting October 23. The devotional exercise was conducted by Miss Austin, our club leader, after which the meeting was turned into a business discussion. Mrs. Ora Willard was appointed to cut the pattern for the quilt which is being made for the club. It was decided to change the club meeting day back to Thursday, From now until Christmas we will study "The Famous Women of the Bible", with Miss Austin teaching for us.

### L. H. C. Club of Winston

One of the most attractive Hallowe'en parties ever to be sponsored by the Lucy Hanes Chatham Club was given on Friday night October 25th, at a vacant, and said to be haunted, log cabin just off Hawthorne Road extension. The entire cabin was decorated with Hallowe'en suggestions. The lower floor was decorated with bright colored autumn leaves, jack-o-lanterns, corn stalks and pines. The draperies were made of orange and black crepe paper and the only lighting was the light from the jack-o-lanterns. The upstairs, where the gypsy tent was placed, was even more weird, the pine trees and shrubbery made a spooky setting. Upon the arrival of the guests they were met at the door by a ghost who shook hands with a cold rubber glove, on the other side of the door was the witch who proceeded to tickle you with corn husks. Games and contests were enjoyed throughout the evening with Mrs. Nell Petree and Henry Lewis receiving prizes for the most attractive costumes. Delicious punch and doughnuts were served to the thirty-five guests present.

On Monday evening, Oct. 22nd, a lecture on "How To Take Care of the Skin At Home" was given.

A facial was given to one of the girls and in this way it was demonstrated in a way so that everyone could understand all the movements. This was the first of a series of lectures that our Club will enjoy throughout the fall season.

Dr. Eva Dodge was present at the meeting on October 28th and made a most unusual talk on the A short but interesting program | "People of China". Monday night, | erence."

November 5th, Dr. Carl Barclay will speak on the "Care of the Teeth." Anyone interested in these lectures is invited to at-

# THOMAS L. GWYN TAKEN BY DEATH

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"He was a man of great tenderness; he was inherently kind, unfailingly courteous. Those who saw him day by day with his family could not help but be influenced to be themselves kinder, more courteous, more considerate. He was a great gentleman of the old school. He loved his friends and was a person worthy friendship. The recurring visits from old friends testified to this beautiful trait, and when they came they received a royal welcome. His hospitality knew no bounds. Everyone received a welcome who came into his home; the most humble, the poorest, were treated with as much warmth and distinction as the nobly born and bred. In all these traits Mr. Gwyn daily showed forth the heritage he received from a long line of distinguished ancestry.'

Rev Fox was assisted in the service by Rev. L. B. Abernethy of Newton, a former pastor of the deceased. Interment was in the family plot in Hollywood cemetery beside his wife, Mrs. Amelia Dickenson Gwyn, who passed away in 1917. The maginificent floral offering, which covered both graves, testified to the love and admiration of a host of friends. The people who attended the funeral, many from distant states, further testified to his popularity.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Van Poindexter of this city, with whom he made his home, and four grandchildren, Mrs. J. O. Bivins and Mrs. H. H. Stevens, Elkin; Mrs. Paul C. Reich, Greensboro, and Gwyn Poindexter, Durham, and five greatgrandchildren.

Pallbearers were R. G. Smith, Paul Gwyn, Alex Chatham and W. A. Neaves, Elkin; Rufus Gwyn, Lenoir, and Walter Gwyn, North Wilkesboro.

### BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Darnell, a son, at the Hugh Chatham Hospital, October 25, 1934.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Longworth announce the birth of a son, Edward Ramon, October 18, Winston-Salem.

Old Lady: "I understand you divorced your husband. Did you get the alimony?"

Mrs. Jones: "No. I decided I'd rather have a first-class ref-

# CHATHAM OPENS **BOXING SEASON**

Five Bouts and Battle Royal On Tap Here Saturday Night; Large Crowd Present

The Chatham Blanketeers opened their boxing season against the CCC Camp boys from North Wilkesboro at McNeer's warehouse Saturday night.

This was the first time that the local mill had sponsored a boxing team. Harvey Stockton faced Wilbur Herring in the main bout

The card was as follows: Pat Osborne, 110, vs. J. J. King, 117; Jack Holcomb, 126, vs. Hoyt Greene, 126; Raymond Vestal, 137. vs. Jack Dunn, 132; James Freeman, 147, vs. Ford Carter, 143; Harvey Stockton, 154, vs. Wilbur Herring, 152.

In addition to the five feature bouts a battle royal between a group of colored boys was staged.

The fight was sponsored by the Associated Charities.

### **ELKIN OFFICE**

Henry (Kingfish) Dobson is 8 busy man these days, having in addition to his usual duties the extra work of "campaigning" here and there in connection with his certain new political job. Henry is making the best of the remain ing few days before election handing out cigars to the mel and that charming smile of his to the ladies. We hope you win Henry. (And I hope I get my box of candy.)

I have looked high and low for some exciting news for this issue of the Blanketeer, but it seems nothing has happened and nobody has been anywhere—'cept Bob Lankford, and Bob says "where he goes and what he does won't do to write about."

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lillard with a party of friends, motored to Newton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hambright attended the Charlotte - Dallas football game in Charlotte last Sunday.

Charlie Calhoun says he asked Jess Powers to come out to ser vices at his church the other night, and Jess said: "Can't make it Charlie. Got to go to a political shin-dig and pray for Henry Dobson."

Mr. and Mrs. Cone Cox spent last week-end at Mouth-of-Wilson, Va., the guests of Mr. Cox's

And that's that! Hope I can find more news for you next

Mistress (hiring maid): "Are you an educated woman?"

Applicant: "Well, I was maid in a college boys' fraternity house for three years."