



THE FOOTSTEPS IN THE NIGHT.

It isn't the dread o' the fields made red, Where once were the daisies white; The death from the Deep to the far Decks sped,

For they come to me from o'er the sea, As far as the war-winds' flight, To the home where the lonely lives must be

Through the gates of a dream they come to me— The footsteps in the Night.

But Dawn delays, and the shadows creep From the lands of lost delight: Is it Death that is holding hands with Sleep

Is it Joy to listen, or Woe to weep For the Footsteps in the Night?

O it isn't the dread o' the fields made red, For men must fare to the fight,— It's the still, blank Dark, and the words unsaid—

The dream that comes through a door of dread, With the Footsteps in the Night. —F. L. STANTON.

Miss Bessie Carroll, of Raleigh, was a guest at the Orton yesterday.

Miss Emma Mallett, of Tarboro, was registered at the Orton yesterday.

Mrs. R. B. Batson is away at Ashton spending sometime with friends.

Mrs. A. T. Hocutt, of Norfolk, Va., was a guest of the Orton yesterday.

Mrs. H. G. Roberson is away visiting friends at Burgaw and Goldsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Belch, of Garland, were guests at the Wilmington yesterday.

Miss Rachel Scott, of Jacksonville, is the guest of friends in the city for several days.

Miss Virginia Outlaw is the guest of her sister, Mrs. I. F. Cates, at No. 1609 Grace street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McKeel, of New Bern, were guests at the Wilmington yesterday.

Mrs. A. T. Parker is visiting in Ashton, at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. A. Armstrong.

Miss Lucile Rigbee, of Raleigh, is the guest of Misses Ora and Minnie Smith of this city.

Miss Verna Johnson is visiting at Faison, the guest of Miss Anna Mae Holt for several days.

Miss Gussie Rhodes is visiting Miss Nannie Ketchum at her home in Jacksonville for a few days.

Misses Elizabeth and Marie Graham have gone to Wallace, where they will visit friends for a period.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Crane and children, of Fayetteville, were registered at the Wilmington yesterday.

Miss Isabelle Johnson, of Raleigh, has returned to her home after a pleasant visit here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sellers, of Maxton, were among the guests registered at the Wilmington yesterday.

Misses Viola Wilson and Fannie Lee, of Dunn, were visitors in the city yesterday, registered at the Orton.

Miss Essie May Hurley of Lakeland, Florida, is visiting her sister, Mrs. T. W. Coker, 216 Harnett street.

Miss Corine Lanier left the city recently for Wallace, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Viva Alken.

Mrs. G. E. Holmes and children are at Kerr, visiting relatives, and before returning will visit at Tomahawk.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Blackburn, of Goldsboro, were visitors in the city yesterday, guests of the Wilmington.

Mrs. W. H. Howie, who has been visiting Mrs. S. W. Aman at her home in Jacksonville for some time, has returned.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Wheeler, of Boston, Mass., were visitors in the city yesterday and guests at the Wilmington.

Yesterday's News and Observer: Mrs. E. M. Gill has gone to Wilmington to visit her sister, Miss Lottie Turner.

Miss Eva Stanley, of Parkton, is the guest of her brother, Mr. E. H. Toler, No. 283 Woodcock avenue, Carolina Place.

Asheville Citizen: "Miss Minnie Royter has returned to her home in the city after visiting relatives at Wilmington."

Mrs. F. P. Simmons, of Mintz, and Mrs. T. W. Simmons, of Birmingham, Ala., were among yesterday's guests at the Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Anderson, of Watha, are visiting for several days with their daughter, Mrs. H. P. Moore, on North Fifth street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Janoski, son and daughter, of Goldsboro, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George G. Moore, No. 203 Red Cross street.

Mrs. E. M. Beasley and son have returned to their home at Salisbury after a pleasant visit here with Mrs. S. P. Braswell, Mrs. Beasley's daughter.

Mrs. A. M. Williams, of Phoenix, after a delightful visit with her daughter,

ter, Mrs. D. C. King, on North Fifth street, has returned to her home.

Miss Annie Davis, of Raleigh, who has been spending sometime at Wrightsville Beach, was a guest at the Orton yesterday, en route to her home.

Miss Mildred Thompson, of Raleigh, is in the city, visiting Miss Edna Rainor, and will go from here to Southport on a visit before returning to her home.

Miss Kate Styrton, of New Bern, one of the most popular teachers of the high school faculty, is visiting Miss Mamie James Fennell at "Arcadia" on the Sound.

Mrs. J. H. Shore and daughters, Lucille and Mary, have returned to their home here, from Roxboro, where they were called sometime ago on account of the illness and death of Mrs. Shore's mother.

Mrs. L. T. Davis, of Richmond, Va., who has been the guest for some time of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Davis, left the city recently for Raleigh, where she will visit her mother for a few days before returning to her home.

The National Special Aid requests that all block messengers be present at the meeting on Wednesday to receive the cards that are to be distributed to the housewives for the campaign for registry of all housewives for food conservation.

A social will be given tonight at 8:30 o'clock at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, in honor of all the different military units, members of the church and their friends. The White-Lock-West orchestra will furnish music. All members of military units and their friends are especially invited.

The regular business meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will be held in the lecture room this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Miss Julia Yopp, Traveler's Aid of the city of Greensboro, will be present and speak of her work. A full attendance is especially requested and all members are asked to bring their training school offering at this time.

An engagement of interest to numerous persons, announced from Winston-Salem is that of Mr. Archie Lamar Bredend, of Bennettsville, S. C., and Miss Minnie Lou MacNair, of Winston-Salem, daughter of Mrs. Lou MacNair. The bride-to-be is a graduate of Salem College and is widely known as a very gifted musician. Mr. Bredend is a member of a prominent South Carolina family and a young man of fine business ability.

Goldsboro Argus: "Capt. and Mrs. N. O'Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Berry and Mrs. Ed. Land left this morning in Capt. O'Berry's touring car for a cross country trip to Asheville, where Capt. and Mrs. N. O'Berry and Mrs. Tom O'Berry will spend a season at the delightful and ideal Grove Park Inn. Mrs. Land will stop with her parents, Judge and Mrs. B. F. Long, at Statesville, and Mr. Tom O'Berry will return to the city in a few days."

MARRIAGE OF MISS THOMAS AND MR. PAGE SATURDAY

A quiet home wedding of much interest to friends was solemnized at Charlotte Saturday at 9 a. m. when Miss Sue Thomas, charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Thomas, became the bride of Mr. Lee R. Page, of Fayetteville, a prominent young minister and graduate of Wake Forest college. Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Thomas, 906 Chestnut street, who have returned to the city.

RED CROSS EXCURSION POSTPONED TO AUG. 21

Mr. A. W. Pate of Carolina Beach yesterday advised that the excursion to be operated by him and the New Hanover Transit Company in behalf of the local Red Cross, set for tomorrow, had been postponed until tomorrow week, August 21, in order that elaborate arrangements might be made for the event at Carolina Beach. There are in prospect motorcycle races, canoe races, target shooting and other events of interest. It is desired to make the excursion such a success that a large sum may be turned over to the Red Cross.

MILLION POUNDS OF WOOL FOR AMERICAN WOMEN

Wilmington ladies who are engaged in knitting for soldiers and sailors will be interested in the following item from the Journal of Commerce:

"One million pounds of knitting wool to be knitted by women into garments to protect American soldiers and sailors from cold this winter, has been purchased by the Red Cross. This yarn is to be distributed to Red Cross warehouses and sold to the chapters throughout the United States, the proceeds to be turned back into the treasury of the Red Cross and made available for other work."

Three spinning mills are now engaged in making this yarn. It will furnish material for 1,300,000 sweaters, or 2,000,000 pairs of woolen socks. It could be turned into 2,000,000 neckties or 8,000,000 knitted wristlets. These sweaters, when completed, will be worth at least \$6 each retail, and the other articles will be proportionately valuable. This material, when turned into finished shape, will, in dollars and cents, represent \$2,000,000 yarn value and \$5,700,000 value in the time and effort of American women."

DAVIS-BISHOP WEDDING IN GREENSBORO WEDNESDAY

The Greensboro News yesterday carried the following: "The chief social event of the approaching week will be the wedding of Miss Mattie Vaught Bishop and Donald Cleo Davis, which was solemnized Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock at West Market street Methodist church. The wedding will be a simple affair. The ceremony will be performed by the bride's pastor, Rev. E. L. Bain. The bride's attendants will be her sister, Mrs. J. W. Tankersley, of Wilmington; Mrs. Pierce C. Rucker, Miss Bess Bishop, of Monterey, Va.; Miss Mary Lane, of Wilson, and Miss Marie McCullen, of Washington, D. C. The bridegroom will be attended by his brother, Zebulon Davis, T. A. Walker, C. L. Shuping and others.

"Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Davis will leave for wedding trip to the western part of the state

and afterwards Mr. Davis is expected to enter upon his duties as a commissioned officer in the United States army, having just completed three months' training at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

"Mrs. J. W. Tankersley gave an attractive bridge party yesterday morning in honor of her sister, Miss Mattie Bishop, a bride-to-be. The highest score was made by Mrs. Will Baisley and she was given a dainty bottle of cologne as a prize. The honor guest was also presented with a prize. The hostess served a delicious salad course to her guests."

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

—Mr. J. F. Gause, Jr., has returned from a business trip to Atlanta.

—Mr. T. G. Hooper went to Raleigh Saturday, where he spent the weekend with friends.

—Mr. W. L. Smith of The Star local room left last night for his home at Wrightsville Beach, to spend several days of his vacation.

—Mr. J. R. Vinson, of Brinkleyville, N. C. is spending the week with Mr. Thomas Hunter at Wilmington and Wrightsville Beach.

—Major Alex Greig, U. S. A., was registered at the Orton yesterday. He went from Wilmington to Fort Caswell, where he will remain for a few days before going to New York.

—Major Colin Shaw of the Medical corps is in the city and will spend the time until he is called into the service with his mother, Mrs. N. G. Shaw, No. 305 North Front street.

—Mr. G. Dannenbaum, well-known merchant of this city, has returned from New York, after having spent 10 days in the metropolis, buying goods for his store.

—Mr. Edgar Ormsby, officer from United States boat Kearsarge has returned to his duties after a pleasant stay here with his brother, Mr. G. M. Ormsby, No. 815 North Third street.

—Rev. J. H. McCracken, pastor of the Fifth Avenue Methodist church, left this morning for Scott's Hill, where he will be engaged during the week in assisting the Rev. C. N. Phillips, of Scott's Hill, in conducting revival services.

—Mr. Beverly Lockman, No. 514 South Front street, went to the University Hospital in Baltimore Thursday for treatment. Friends will hope that his condition will rapidly improve and that he may return at an early date.

—Mr. J. B. Watters of Mayesville was in the city yesterday, en route to Washington where he expected to arrange for passage to Panama where numerous expeditions of the U. S. Army are being sent for duty. He will take ship at New York for the canal zone.

—Dr. A. D. McClure, beloved pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, will leave the city today for the mountains of West Virginia, where he will spend his vacation, returning about the first of September. During his absence services will go on as usual. Rev. W. H. Koelling conducting the service on next Sunday and on the following Sunday, Rev. W. M. Baker will preach.

Visitors At Local Hotels

At the Orton. The following include visitors to the city yesterday registered at the Orton: Nash L. Gibson, Gibson, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bassel, of Carolina; Mrs. C. H. Moore, Goldsboro; Thos. H. Kinney, Selma; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hicks and two children, Charlotte; Miss D. Bozeman, Charlotte; Dr. B. B. Hutchinson, Bladenboro; O. M. Moore, Charleston; E. H. King, Hartman, N. C. and Mrs. E. P. Widmer and Roy Widmer, Whiteville; J. F. Robertson, Charlotte; M. S. Cleo Tate, Wanasish; A. T. Lamb, Raleigh; T. A. Lyon and son, Greensboro; A. B. Baines, Warsaw; Mrs. E. J. Jones, Sumter; J. E. McDaniel, Sumter; Mrs. Claude Williams, Rockingham; N. W. Warren, W. F. McMillan, New Bern; A. Elchebaum, Norfolk; C. J. Hipp, A. K. Boyce and W. M. Leanan, Cross Hill; C. L. Pinnix, Greensboro; Miss Bertha Hendley, Tampa; Mr. and Mrs. J. Hardin, Greensboro; L. D. Hicks, Linder, N. C.; Miss Annie Daniels, Rockingham; R. T. Gately, Clinton; Sallie Rivenbark, Rose Hill.

At the Wilmington. The following were registered at the Wilmington hotel yesterday: J. M. Wells, N. Y.; J. E. Ballard, M. Fitzpatrick, Geo. H. Klingstine, H. Rockwell, Baltimore; J. L. Harrison, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Poupe, Chicago; P. D. Howard, Waycross, Ga.; L. H. Chesson, Henderson, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Waters, W. Fessender, Atlanta; J. R. Hale, New York; W. H. Baker, J. D. Holland, Norfolk; C. E. Hartman, New York; T. J. Abbott, A. L. Ferguson, Wm. G. Pace, Jr., G. W. Floyd, Fair Bluff; Phil H. Green, Jas. E. Barry, New York City; Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Harrison, Wilson, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh; W. A. Gray, Mullin, Va.; C. A. Weaver, Louisville, Ky.; C. O. L. Dobson, Raleigh.

Save the Tomatoes. Now that tomatoes are literally lying on the ground, even going to waste, the truly thrifty housewife will devise all sorts of ways of preserving them for next winter.

First and foremost comes the plain canning method. You cannot have too many canned tomatoes. For they are useful not only served just as they are, heated and seasoned, for a vegetable, but they can be made into jelly for salad, and they can be used to flavor soup and stews and all sorts of dishes of macaroni, hominy, samp and rice—dishes that ought to be extensively used next winter.

But when you have canned and canned tomatoes, you should turn your thoughts to the art of preserving them. And just here come in tomato pickles of various sorts. Here are some receipts for preparing different tomato pickles that are worth while.

Ripe tomato soy—Ripe tomato soy can be made as follows: One peck of ripe tomatoes, peeled and sliced; one cupful of salt; let stand twenty-four hours; drain off the liquid and add one head of celery; eight onions chopped fine; one quart of vinegar, one tablespoonful each of ground mustard, ginger, cloves, allspice, cinnamon and white half teaspoon of cayenne pepper; stew slowly two hours; when nearly

Wrightsville Beach

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whyte have arrived at the beach and are occupying their cottage.

Miss Ethel Johnson, of Anderson, S. C., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Herring on Wrightsville Sound.

Yesterday's Charlotte News: "Dr. O. J. Houser has gone to Wrightsville Beach for a brief vacation."

Miss Lucy Powell, of Clinton, after spending a delightful stay at Wrightsville Beach, has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Larkins of Cedar Town, Ga., who have for several days been spending a pleasant stay at Wrightsville Beach, have gone to Wallace for a visit with Mrs. Larkins' sister, Mrs. D. L. Wells.

Greenville (N. C.) Reflector: "Mr. Seth D. Hooker returned Friday from Wrightsville Beach. Mr. Bruce Warren returned Friday from Wrightsville Beach. Messrs. Francis Skinner, James Brown and Earl Forbes returned from Wrightsville."

Fayetteville Observer: "Mr. and Mrs. Hunter, and daughters, Misses Josephine and Mamie Churchill, and maid, left this afternoon for Wrightsville Beach to spend a while at the Seashore Hotel. Mrs. Seavy Highsmith, the guest of Mrs. Mrs. Pearsall, of Red Springs."

Tonight's bill of movies at Lumina is headed by a mammoth production by the American-Mutual company entitled "The Touch on The Key," a railroad drama with many thrilling and tense situations and a totally unexpected finish that will surprise everyone. "The Snow Shoveller's Sweetheart," a roaring Falstaff burlesque comedy scream, is a rare treat that no one should miss.

Many children will be made happy tonight when they are again given the privilege of participating in the exercises at Lumina and a large number are expected to go down for the occasion. This is the second time that such a treat has been offered for the children, the first having been most delightful in every way. The children will have complete rights on the floor from 8:30 to 9:15 o'clock.

Miss Mary Trubee Barksdale at her home, Villa View, on the South, entertained in honor of her friend, little Miss Helen Foster, of Fayetteville, Georgia, daughter of Dr. J. H. Foster, for years the well-known pastor of the First Baptist church of this city. Quite a number of her attractive little friends were present and engaged in different kinds of games after which they enjoyed refreshments.

TRAVEL TO THE BEACH

The Tidewater Power Company yesterday carried 2,500 persons from the city to the beach and 150 persons came into the city from the beach by train tickets. The weather yesterday was such as to make beach pleasures especially enjoyable and many were in the surf.

FIRST VACATION IN 15 YEARS AT BEACH

Yesterday's Charlotte News: "William W. Kidd, pharmacist at the R. R. Beatty drug store on North Tryon street, left Friday for Wrightsville Beach. This is the first vacation in 15 years, according to friends of Mr. Kidd."

"While he is out of the city, Raeford Winchester, with the J. M. Scott Wholesale Drug House, is substituting for Mr. Kidd from 8 till 11 p. m. at the Beatty store."

"Mr. Kidd is one of the hardest working druggists that I have ever known," said his employer last night, "and it was with difficulty that he was persuaded to take a brief rest of ten days. He is as much attached to pharmacy as any man that I have ever known, and I have seen a good many pharmacists and prescription men in my day."

STRIKING 'LONGSHOREMEN' GET RAISE; TO RESUME WORK

New York, August 12.—Twelve hundred striking 'longshoremen' of the Southern Pacific Railroad today accepted the company's offer of an increase of five cents an hour in wages, and will return to work tomorrow, officials of the union announced. Two hundred 'longshoremen' of the Mallory and Clyde Lines, who threatened to strike, were given the same advance. Federal officers were present at the conference at which the settlement was effected.

—James Jones and Morgan Spencer, colored boys are charged with entering the store of Ralph Kennedy at 11th and Market streets, and taking therefrom groceries, flour, milk, meat, etc., and will be heard in Recorder's court this morning. Jones and Spencer, also colored, will appear on charge of assault and battery.

DOTS

—One deed was filed Saturday, being from J. L. Rogers and wife to W. T. Rogers, for \$10 and other considerations, one acre of land in Harnett township, near old Greenfield school house.

—For assault on a female Jim Hall and Enoch Murphey, alias Davis, colored, were arrested Saturday and will be tried in today's term of the Recorder's court. Murphey will come in for a double charge in that he ran amuck in another instance.

—Dr. Thos. Ruark of Southport, brother of Robert Ruark, Esq., city attorney, has been notified of his appointment as first lieutenant in the Medical Corps of the army, but has not been assigned to duty. The commission was received Saturday.

—The men in Maj. Claude L. Priggen's Medical Unit were pleased to receive their uniforms Saturday from the U. S. quartermaster's department and they are now donned in them, ready for action. The uniforms for members of Troop C Cavalry are on the way and are expected to arrive at any time.

—The announcement that Mr. Van R. C. King of this city had been commissioned as captain in the Engineers Corps, merely repeats a former announcement that he had been commissioned as captain in the 19th Engineers, and follows a report that reached the city a few days ago that he would very probably receive a commission as major before his departure for France, an office which he is eminently qualified to fill.

Advertisement for Eureka Dye Works, featuring the slogan 'To look well is half the Battle—Let us help you win' and contact information for C. D. Myers, Manager.

Advertisement for Frank M. Ross, 'There's a Reason' for adding new customers, with contact information for 'Ask Your Neighbor'.

Advertisement for Home Savings Bank, 'If You Want' to know exactly how valuable money is, try to borrow some.

Advertisement for Mowing Machines and Hay Rakes, featuring an illustration of a mowing machine and text from Wm. E. Springer & Company.

Advertisement for Pittman-McColl Company, 'We are Thankful' for the business men that appreciate quality and service.

Advertisement for The Murchison National Bank, showing capital of \$1,000,000 and surplus of \$700,000.

Advertisement for Northam's Book and Stationery Store, featuring 'New Summer Fiction' and contact information.

Advertisement for Page & Shaw Candy, 'The Candy of Excellence', Pure, Fresh, Wholesome.

Advertisement for Mission Pharmacy, 5 North Front St., Phone 799, 'A Trial is All We Ask'.

Advertisement for Brenlin Window Shades, 'The cheapest shades you can buy', True, you put just a trifle more into them.

Advertisement for A. D. Brown, 'The cheapest shades you can buy', True, you put just a trifle more into them.

Advertisement for The Housewife's Daily Economy Calendar by Frances Marshall.

Advertisement for Save the Tomatoes, providing recipes for preserving and cooking tomatoes.