

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Good-Bye To The Shadows. Gray days of November, but on the sunrise hills...

Life only whispers trouble, of joy it shouts and sings. And o'er the hills of morning the lark to heaven wings...

The darkness brings the daylight, the shadow brings the sun. And all the world is happy for peace at last is won...

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Gunther, of Goldsboro, spent the week-end in the city with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bradshaw.

Miss Evelyn Thacker, of Durham, and Miss Beatrice Smith, of University Station, returned to their homes yesterday morning after visiting friends here and in Southport.

The teachers' training class of Grace Methodist church will hold a combination business and thanksgiving service in the church parlors at 8 o'clock tonight.

Members of the Y. W. C. A. will meet at 11 o'clock this morning at the home of Mrs. C. D. Weeks, 201 North 15th street, to hold the second service of the week of prayer being observed by the association.

THE DUKE NO QUITTER

Bellamy Still in Race for Marshalship - Friends Say a Winner.

George H. Bellamy, Esq., the "Duke of Brunswick" as he is familiarly known in North Carolina and Washington, was here last night and was much surprised at intimations reaching him from several points in the state that the report is being maliciously circulated that he has withdrawn from the race for the United States marshalship in the Eastern district.

CAROLINA BAPTISTS MEET NEXT WEEK

(Continued from Page Five.) As the name of the organization indicates, there is an auxiliary work. The separate organization has proven a very wise arrangement. The women contribute more than they otherwise would, they study missions and are intelligent as to the work, and they act as a stimulus to the churches in their contributions to missions.

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NEWS OF THE SOLDIERS.

The following letter from Lieut. Ricard Darden, brother of Mrs. T. N. Hawkins, 1502 Dock street, to his father in Raleigh, and published in the News and Observer, tells interestingly of some of his activities at the front in France.

"Well, we are out of it again for a moment just to get a breath of fresh air and do a little necessary repairing before going back after the Hun. Going back after the Hun right now, though, is some job, for he is going back to Germany from this section of the country so fast that aeroplanes are about the only thing that can keep constant contact with him since we got through with him day before yesterday.

"We certainly are a happy bunch of men in this battalion now for, according to the commanding generals of infantry, cavalry and tanks in this part of the country, we gave the Huns the second worst licking he has had since he began this war over four years ago. We believe that we have a right to be proud of ourselves, for not only did we do a big part in smashing him out of his two strongest positions in France—a certain part of the Hindenburg line that never before been even cracked, and a second place just back of this that is considered one of the strongest natural defenses in France during which thousands of men were captured, killed, wounded, but we have followed that with a smash that has driven him back nearly ten miles and taken about six thousand prisoners—so far counted—several full batteries of field cannon, and thousands of casualties killed and wounded. According to the civilian inhabitants of cities and towns we have liberated, these places having been under Hun rule or misrule for four years, the wounded Huns streamed back to the rear during the more than twenty-four hours we were in it.

"It is a wonderful fact, papa, that the inhabitants of these villages have kept flags of their country hid during all the time they have been captives in every sense of the word, and no sooner did the Huns begin quitting the towns than these flags were flying from the windows.

"According to these people who are either very old or very young, they were told by their Hun masters only two or three days ago that the Germans would be in Paris in another week. The sound of our rifles was the first intimation that liberty was in sight.

"American soldiers streaming through the streets also was the first intimation that these people had that American soldiers were in France.

"Just as in the last battle, I went through this one almost without a scratch, but was almost killed by one of the Huns' dirty tricks while trekking to the point from which the attack was launched.

"We were going through a mess of barbed wire and I had dropped back behind the first tank, to follow through in the track made. Just as I started to get up my right foot down on another step I noticed that the wire being raised by the tank and put my foot back and down. At that instant something went off with a terrific bang right where my foot would have been had I continued walking.

"When I came to I found myself struggling in the barbed wire in which my feet were badly tangled. My first coherent thought was that a shell from a light gun had been fired at the tank and struggled desperately to get away as the Hun usually throws over three at a time. Everyone else thought the same, but several ran to my rescue and cut me loose. My body, including myself, thought I was at least badly mangled, for the blood was streaming down my face and from my hands. But when we had wiped it away as much as possible, they found that I had only lost the skin from the side of my nose and had several cuts on my left hand.

"When the excitement died away and no more shells were coming over, we investigated and found that the Hun had tied one of his hand grenades to the wire in such a way that the slightest lifting of the wire would pull the pin that would set off the detonator and thus explode the charge in the tin container forming the grenade.

"Everyone thinks I was awfully lucky to escape as easily as I did, for two Australian officers were killed the same day by almost the same kind of a thing, and hundreds of soldiers have been killed in this manner.

"I forgot to say that the second tank was stopped when it was less than a foot from my body.

"Understand that I was mentioned as slightly wounded; so if you see my name in the casualty list you will know that I am all right.

Picked Up Around Town

Were Not Guests of Mr. Howell. In a recent issue of The Star it was stated that A. E. Howell, local director for war work community service, was host to members of the Fort Caswell orchestra at an oyster roast given at Whiskey creek bridge.

Off to State Capital. Assistant District Attorney O. F. Johnson left last night for Raleigh to attend a three weeks' term of federal court, which convenes tomorrow with Judge Henry G. Connor presiding.

Aeroplanes Heard Flying Over. Two airplanes are said to have passed over the city last night about 9:30 o'clock. Persons returning from church distinctly heard the hum and rapid beat of their motors, and although the planes carried no lights, it is believed they were flying to the south.

Rotarians Meet at 12:30. Rotarians and visitors who expect to attend the big oyster roast and Brunswick stew feast to be held by the Wilmington Rotary club at Whiskey creek bridge tomorrow afternoon are asked to meet at the corner of Third and Princess streets at 12:30 o'clock.

NEW HANOVER LEADS THE DISTRICT IN WAR WORK

Duplin Only Other County Raising Its Quota in This District—Totals Pledged.

Reports from the six counties besides New Hanover in the 15th district, showing results accomplished during the recent united war work campaign, have been compiled and forwarded to District Director J. B. Huntington. New Hanover leads the district, with Duplin following second.

Table with 2 columns: County Name, Quota, Subscribed. Includes New Hanover, Duplin, Columbus, Bladen, Brunswick, Sampson, Greenville, East Wilmington, Acorn Branch, South Wilmington, Wrightsboro, Middle Sound, Scotts Hill, Castle Hayne, Wrightsville, Sea Gate, Winter Park, Myrtle Grove, Oak Hill, Federal Point, Masonboro, Sunset Park.

In addition to the above total for the negro population, negroes employed by Swift and company at Almont subscribed \$113.25, those working with the American Agricultural Chemical company contributed \$203.65, and those with the Virginia-Carolina Chemical company, \$60.75, bringing the total amount subscribed in the rural districts to \$1,214.19.

PORTO RICANS TO GET PAY.

Government to Compensate 2,500 For Time Lost. According to Associated Press dispatches last night the 1,900 Porto Ricans who arrived in Wilmington aboard the City of Savannah about two weeks ago bound for Camp Bragg, Fayetteville, and who were sent back to their native islands without reaching their destination, will receive pay for the time they were absent from their homes.

HAD LIQUOR AND PISTOL. Charlie Westbrook Will Face Two Charges in Court Today. Charlie Westbrook, colored, was taken into custody yesterday afternoon when he stepped from the inbound train from the north and stands charged with violating the state prohibition law and with carrying a concealed weapon.

SINGING FOR SOLDIERS ABROAD



Miss Margaret Wilson, the President's daughter, who is shown here in the uniform of a Y. M. C. A. worker in France to help entertain Pershing's men.

L. H. McCLAMMY DEAD.

Esteemed Resident of Scott's Hill Passed Away at Hospital.

Many friends in Wilmington and throughout this section of the state will learn with sorrow of the death of L. H. McClammy, well known citizen of Scott's Hill, Pender county, which occurred at 11:15 o'clock last night at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, this city, where he had been a patient since last Thursday.

Mr. McClammy was a brother of the late Maj. C. W. McClammy, formerly congressman from the third North Carolina district, and was 72 years of age. His wife preceded him to the grave many years ago, leaving no children. Of his immediate family, he is survived only by his nephew, Herbert McClammy, Esq., of the Wilmington, and Mrs. Lee Davis Lodge, of Limestone College, Gafney, S. C.

HOLLY BRIDGE LADY PASSES

Mrs. S. F. Davis Died Early Yesterday Morning—Funeral Today.

Friends learn with regret and sadness of the death of Mrs. Laura Davis, wife of S. F. Davis, of Holly Ridge, which occurred at the James Walker Memorial hospital yesterday morning at 4 o'clock. The body was taken on the afternoon train yesterday for Holly Ridge where the funeral services and interment will take place.

UMBRELLAS FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS

We have just received a large stock of staple and novelty umbrellas for Christmas giving. Colors—Black, Navy, Green, Purple, with plain or novelty handles—Prices range from \$1.25 to \$8.00.

BROWN'S 'The Store of Useful Christmas Gifts' advertisement featuring an illustration of a hat.

Patriotic Home Sewing Sale of Fine Wool Dress Goods Opens Today at 8:30 A. M. Bon Marche Agents for Pictorial Patterns Phone 2500

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4th LIBERTY BONDS SECOND PAYMENT DUE NOVEMBER 21ST. Subscribers to Bonds of the Fourth Liberty Loan are hereby notified that a second installment of 20 per cent. of the amount subscribed is payable November 21st.

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