

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Personal Mention, News of the Societies, Meetings, Etc.

Hobbs-Swope. Last night at the home of the bride's mother in Baltimore Harold Swope was married to Miss Esther Halley Robinson of that city.

Curry-Winn. A wedding of much local interest was that which was solemnized last night at 8 o'clock in the Second Presbyterian church of Memphis.

Tennis Tournament. The ladies scratch tennis tournament will begin this afternoon at the Country club and from the number of contestants who have already entered it would indicate that much interest is being taken in the tournament.

Miss Wood to Sing. Many people in Asheville will be interested to know that Miss Gertrude Wood, daughter of Dr. W. A. Wood of Statesville and a sister of James H. Wood of this city, has recently signed a contract with Mrs. Antonia Sawyer, a woman manager of New York, for a year's engagement in and around that city to sing old Southern songs and English ballads.

The French History club will meet tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock with Miss Schartzle on Orange street. The meeting will be an important one as Miss Schartzle has very kindly consented to give a review at that time of all the papers that have heretofore been presented before the club.

There will be a meeting of the board of managers of the Woman's exchange in the tea room at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The Missionary Sewing club of Central Methodist church met this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. T. C. Smith, jr., on Chestnut street.

The Woman's auxiliary of Trinity church will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Thomas W. Patton, 95 Charlotte street.

Mrs. W. L. Lutz and two sons have gone to Florida to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rees and children left today for New York for the winter season.

Dr. and Mrs. Phillip R. Meale have returned from an extended trip to New York and the east.

Miss Edna McCarter is in the city from Norfolk, visiting relatives for a short while.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brace and daughter are here from Mayaville, Ky., for the winter season.

Mr. and Mrs. John Newton of Birmingham have returned to their home, after a visit to friends in Asheville.

Mrs. William Webb of Bell Buckle, Tenn., is visiting Mrs. Charles A. Webb at her home on Merrimon avenue.

Miss Adelaide Porter is visiting her sister, Mrs. Coulter Huxley, in New York, after a visit to Miss Adelaide Orr in Charlotte.

Mrs. J. Alexander Hayden and Lady Hermoine Kennedy have gone to Norfolk, after a stay of some time at the Manor.

A. Glaser, who left Asheville 14 years ago with the Southern ministers, has now returned to the city for a stay of several months.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Vanderbilt and daughter, Cornelia, will leave Saturday for New York and will sail from there shortly for Liverpool.

John R. Hay, whose home is at the Farm school, Swannanoa, has entered his first year in the Presbyterian Theological seminary at Columbia.

Omar Keith left this morning for a day's hunt in the Flat creek section, where he formerly lived.

Miss Ray Bryant, who has been visiting friends in Greensboro for the past week, has returned to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Walker have returned to their home in Thomasville, Ga., after an extended visit in Asheville.

Miss Minnie Hughes has returned from a visit to friends in Charlotte and Raleigh.

Mrs. James A. Miller and daughter, Mrs. F. A. Woodcock, left today to visit Mrs. Herman H. Johnson in Spartanburg.

Mrs. Roy Wagner is expected to return the latter part of the week from a visit to her parents in Greensboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lamson, jr., have been called to New York by the death of Mr. Lamson's father.

Capt. J. A. Wagner and family will move tomorrow from their old home on Woodfin street to their new place on Pearson drive.

W. A. James, jr., is confined to his home with an attack of asthma.

FOR CURRENCY REFORM ALDRICH MAKES SPEECH

Former Senator Addresses the Trans-Mississippi Congress at Kansas City.

Kansas City, Nov. 15.—Currency reform and the proposed change in the banking system of the country as outlined by the National Monetary commission formed the central theme under consideration by the delegates to the trans-Mississippi commercial congress, which convened yesterday in annual session.

The principal address was delivered by former Senator Aldrich, chairman of the commission, who explained the proposed plan. He asserted that people of this region would derive general benefits from the proposed change in banking matters.

"The organization of credit," he said, "is the most important element of the successful existence of communities or states. This is especially valuable to the new communities such as you have in the trans-Mississippi territory."

Referring to the criticism that possibly the proposed national reserve might be dominated by political influences, Mr. Aldrich said that no sensible plan for the re-organization of the country's banking system could be controlled by politics.

Henry L. Stimson, secretary of war, urged upon his listeners the importance of the country's trying for closer commercial relations with South America.

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NINE WEEKS LAW DEALS WITH OPTION HOLDERS

Government to Purchase Timber Lands Only from Owners Says Secretary Wilson.

Special to The Gazette-News.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 15.—Secretary Wilson has announced that hereafter the department of agriculture will not examine or recommend for purchase under the Weeks law timber lands upon which options have been secured with a view of selling to the government at a profit.

The purchase of land through option holders means a lower price for the land owner and a higher price to the government than is justified by the conditions. This decision to purchase only from the owners means that no action can be taken upon some of the proposals which have been made for the sale of lands, but as the appropriation available is limited to \$2,000,000 per year, there will be no difficulty in selecting from the large amount which is being offered a sufficient acreage to readily consume the entire appropriation as fast as it becomes available.

While the optioning of land in advance of the government examiners has become an obstacle in certain localities in the south, Secretary Wilson says that in general his assistants have made excellent progress in examining and reporting upon lands and in reaching agreements with owners on terms and conditions of sale.

More than 1,800,000 acres have been offered in the southern Appalachians and White mountains, over 400,000 acres have been examined, and agreements as to price have been reached with the owners for over four parties of estimates and five expert lumbermen have been busy in the field since the first of June securing the necessary information upon which to base reports to the National Forest Reservation commission, by which all purchases of land must be authorized in accordance with the provisions of the law.

Secretary Wilson will ask that a meeting of the commission be called early in December for the purpose of considering some of the reports which are being prepared.

Before making his reports to the commission, the secretary will have reports from the geological survey showing whether the control of the lands examined will promote or protect the navigation of the streams on whose watersheds they lie. Only lands that are approved by the geological survey will be recommended for purchase.

The agents of the agricultural department will continue in the field all winter making examinations of lands offered for purchase. They are especially instructed to negotiate with the owners of small tracts. Much of the land offered for sale is held in tracts of less than 200 acres. It is tracts of this kind which have been optioned by speculators in the past and which the government now expects to buy direct from the owners.

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MOTORMAN ACQUITTED OF SPEEDING CHARGE

Prosecutors Fail to Show That Arrowood Exceeded Speed it Defined by Law.

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The introduction of evidence and argument consumed a good deal of time, but at its conclusion the defendant was found not guilty.

The case grew out of the one before the court yesterday morning, when Dr. W. D. Hilliard was tried and found guilty of exceeding the speed limit with his automobile, this in turn resulting from the collision Monday between the automobile and a street car at the intersection of Patton and Lexington avenues.

It is likely that the matter of the speed limit of street cars at this street intersection may be taken up before the board of aldermen, as attorneys' pleas were made this morning to the effect that a limit of ten miles is too great for public safety at that point.

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