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MISS MARGARET WOODROW WILSON.

MISS WILSON TO SING HERE THIS EVENING

President's Daughter Delighted With Mountain Scenery—The Program for Tonight's Concert Is Anticipated With Pleasure by Many People—Miss Wilson Arrived Yesterday Afternoon

"These wonderful mountains—they are indeed an inspiration," remarked Miss Margaret Wilson yesterday as she stood looking at Sunset, in the glow of the afternoon sun. "Oh, I just love them and wish that I could climb all over them."

Miss Wilson reached Asheville from Spartanburg on a delayed train and when the reception committee met her at the station she was bright and when the reception committee of the country shown her. "You know," she said, "I did not expect it. You are so good to meet me and I will never forget it." In the party with Miss Wilson is Mrs. David, who will accompany Miss Wilson on the night at the Auditorium tonight, and Charles E. Cole, who is in charge of the business matters concerning the tour.

Reaching Grove Park Inn, Miss Wilson, charmed with the delight of the picture, was loath to enter the building, and as the doors opened the soft strains of the pipe organ touched her ear and she stood silent for a moment, then remarking, "It seems almost a sacrifice to speak while the organist plays."

In her almost childish delight, the daughter of the president was charmingly interesting as she enthusiastically expressed her joy and happiness because of the opportunity of spending a little while in the Land of the Sky.

The following reception committee met Miss Wilson at the station: Mrs. T. S. Morison, Mrs. Paul Ringer, Mrs. C. A. Ringer, Commissioner J. G. Stickleather, F. M. Weaver, Dr. S. Westray Battle, Dr. J. B. Greene, Dr. N. P. Maddux, Thomas J. Harkins, H. Howell, T. W. Chambers and James H. Caine.

Miss Elizabeth Porter today gave THE TIMES the following statement about Miss Wilson and the program that awaits Asheville people this evening:

"Asheville is fortunate in being one of the cities to secure Margaret Wilson for an evening's song. When one reads of the enthusiasm of Texas audiences, of Kentucky's crowds who hear her with delight, of the big houses in all the states where Miss Wilson has sung, it is with anticipation of spending a really musical evening as well as having the pleasure of the opportunity of knowing our great president's daughter that Asheville is looking forward to the great event for this evening."

"Miss Wilson's selections of songs is that kind that tired men love after a long and strenuous day of toil; the kind that the soldiers would ask for at camp when homesick or discouraged; the kind the musicians love because they appreciate sincerity of expression where one is not conscious of technique. For technique is only a means to an end and when the artist has reached that end and sings to the heart as well as to the head, that artist has reached the goal that all musicians work for, but all do not attain."

"Margaret Wilson appeals directly to the heart of the listener with simple and beautiful expression, and it is a rare opportunity for Asheville people to hear such a singer."

"Folk songs are songs from the heart, sung because of joy or sorrow. The folk songs of all nations are the ones that live through the ages. It is charming to hear them sung by one who understands their meaning and interprets them naturally. On Miss Wilson's program are typical folk songs of different nations which will be extremely interesting. The other numbers are delightfully selected and arranged. The cause is patriotic and fine and the needs are endless. The

Woman-Wants for Christmas

If you want to be "dead sure" of what to give a woman for Christmas—just visit our second-floor.

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MARKET REPORTS

Am. Beet Sugar	59
Am. Can.	24 1/2
Am. Car & Foundry	82
Am. Locomotive	47 1/2
Am. Smelt. & Refining	99 1/2
Am. Sugar Refining	94 1/2
Anaconda Copper	55
Atchafalpa	29
Baldwin Locomotive	55 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	46 1/2
Beaumont Steel	129 1/2
Canadian Pacific	29 1/2
Central Leather	45 1/2
Ches. & Ohio	45 1/2
Chic. Mil. & St. Paul	30 1/2
Chic. R. I. & Pac. Ry.	17
Chino Copper	57 1/2
Colorado Fuel & Iron	29 1/2
Columbia Gas and Electric	29 1/2
Crescent Steel	48 1/2
Cuba Cane Sugar	26
Erie	14
General Motors	22 1/2
Great Northern	83 1/2
Great Northern Ore. cfs	23 1/2
Inspiration Copper	29
Int. Mer. Marine	77 1/2
Kennecott Copper	29 1/2
Louisville & Nashville	197 1/2
Maxwell Iron Co.	29 1/2
Mexican Petroleum	69
Miami Copper	25 1/2
Midvale Steel	41 1/2
Missouri Pacific	22 1/2
Nevada Copper	16 1/2
New York Central	90
Norfolk and Western	79 1/2
Ohio Cities Gas	33 1/2
Pennsylvania	33 1/2
Pittsburg Coal	39 1/2
Ray Consolidated Copper	29 1/2
Reading	67 1/2
Republic Iron & Steel	72 1/2
Sinclair Oil	26 1/2
Southern Pacific	79 1/2
Southern Railway	23
Studebaker Co.	43 1/2
Tennessee Copper	12
Texas Co.—ex. div.	120
Tobacco Products	44 1/2
Union Pacific	105 1/2
United Cigar Stores	83 1/2
U. S. Industrial Alcohol	108
U. S. Rubber	48 1/2
United States Steel	82 1/2
Utah Copper	21 1/2
Wabash Pfd. A	38
Westinghouse Electric	35 1/2
Wills-Overland	17 1/2
A. T. & T.	67
Illinois Central	85
Atlantic Coast Line	80
Gulf States Steel	80
Seaboard Air Line	84 1/2
Sioux-Shelf, Steel and Iron	35
United Fruit	111 1/2
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NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, Dec. 18.—Fractional gains in prominent stocks during the early stages of today's trading were balanced by further material recessions in special issues. American Tobacco yielded almost five points, United Fruit 4, and American Telephone, General Electric and Western Union 1 to 2 points. Irregularity was shown by rails, Northern Pacific losing 1 1/2, and Illinois Central gaining a point. Steels and affiliated shares eased later on very light offerings. Liberty bonds were inclined to improve.

The feeble rally of the noon hour lifted some of the active rails and steels a point. Some of this advantage was lost later on the further weakness of bonds and 1 to 2 points declines in special stocks.

Many losses were fully retrieved in the final hour on continued strength of steels, coppers, Marins preferred and specialties. The closing was irregular. Liberty 4's sold at 97.18 to 97 and the 3 1/2's at 98.50 to 98.58.

NEW YORK COTTON CLOSE.

New York, Dec. 18.—Cotton closed steady.

January High 29.46 Close 29.34

February High 29.07 Close 28.96

March High 28.86 Close 28.73

April High 28.58 Close 28.44

May High 27.24 Close 27.09

NEW YORK SPOT COTTON.

New York, Dec. 18.—Spot cotton, quiet; middling, 30.55.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—Hogs, receipts 45,000, weak. Bulk 15.50@16.10; light 15.00@15.50; mixed 15.40@16.20; heavy 15.45@16.20; rough 14.45@15.60; pigs 10.75@14.00.

Cattle receipts 25,000. Weak. Native steers 7.45@14.50; western steers 6.25@12.75; stockers and feeders 6.25@10.45; cows and heifers 5.00@11.10; calves 8.00@16.00.

Sheep, receipts 18,000. Weak. Wethers 9.00@13.00; lambs 12.65@16.85.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—Open Close

January 1.20 1.21 1/2

May 1.18 1.19 1/2

December 75 75 1/2

May 21 21 1/2

January 44 44 1/2

May 23 23 1/2

January 25 25 1/2

May 23 23 1/2

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—Butter, firm; creamery, 38 1/2@42.

Eggs, lower, receipts, 4,303 cases. Firsts, 56@57; ordinary firsts, 44@45; 49; at mark, cases included, 44@51; refrigerator firsts, 36 1/2@37.

Potatoes, receipts 32 cars; unchanged.

Poultry, alive, unchanged.

Practical Christmas Gifts

AT A SAVING

Suits
Dresses
Coats
Blouses
Skirts
Furs
Sweaters
Underwear
Umbrellas
Ivory Goods
Neckwear

Leather Goods
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\$10.00 value Wrist Watches	\$ 5.75
\$15.00 value Elgin and Waltham Wrist Watches	\$11.50
\$4.50 value Toilet Set, in black, white or silver plated	\$ 2.75
\$10.00 value Toilet Set (very fine black ebony), ivory and quadruple silver plate (beautiful design)	\$ 5.75
\$10.00 value Mantel Clocks, in mahogany, ivory and other handsome designs and colors	\$ 5.75
\$7.50 value Silver Mesh Bags, all designs and sizes	\$ 3.95
\$6.00 value Vanity Cases (silver and plated), newest designs	\$ 3.65
\$6.00 value genuine Cameos, various designs	\$ 3.25

\$10.00 value genuine Cameos, pink and brown; very latest	\$ 5.75
\$5.00 value Simmons & Austin & Stone Waldemere 20-year Chains	\$3.45
\$12.00 value Solid Gold Men's Chains	\$7.95
\$10.00 value Men's Watches, 20-year case (Elgin and Waltham), 12 and 16 sizes	\$5.75
\$5.00 value Manicuring Sets, various designs and shades	\$2.75
\$7.00 value Ivory and Silver Plated Manicuring Sets	\$4.50
\$5.00 value Military Brushes (very popular)	\$2.75
\$5.00 value Shaving Sets (just what he wants), newest	\$3.75
\$7.50 value Military Smoking Sets contain cigarette case, two pipes, cigar cutter, etc.	\$4.50

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Editor Wilson Dead.
Abbeville, S. C., Dec. 19.—Hugh Wilson, editor and owner of the Abbeville, S. C. Press and Banner for half a century, died at his home here Monday night, aged 80 years.