

Guild Collects 1,700 Garments For The Needy

GARMENTS SHOWN AT INFORMAL TEA BY MRS. WOODSON

Will Be Distributed During The Winter To Poor And Destitute By Local Agencies.

The local branch of the Needlework Guild of America, has received more than 1700 garments for distribution among the needy this winter.

Under the leadership of Mrs. Walter Woodson, president, and associate officers, Mrs. J. M. L. Lyerly, Mrs. George Wright, Mrs. Horas Payne and Mrs. M. L. Harrison and a directorship of 50 leading women citizens of the town and county a campaign has been staged that has been unequalled in the hearty response and worth of garments donated.

On Friday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Walter Woodson, an informal tea was given to display the garments and further acquaint the public with the work of the Guild which exists solely for this one purpose. There is only one annual meeting. Two garments per member constitute the dues.

The display filled the drawing room, solarium and library. The articles were grouped and classified.

Notable among the donations were garments made by women of the mill districts in their homes from cloth donated by the mills.

Already numerous garments have been given Mrs. Linton, welfare officer, who will use many of the children's clothes for needy children going to school, the Salvation Army, church societies who support needy families as well as the American Legion Auxiliary whose work includes the care of needy ex-service men and their families.

Following are the directors of the Needlework Guild:

- Mrs. E. D. Andrews.
- Mrs. Leake Bernhardt.
- Mrs. Paul Bernhardt.
- Mrs. B. D. Arey.
- Mrs. J. P. Brown.
- Mrs. P. S. Carlton.
- Mrs. Hayden Clement.
- Mrs. Chas. Coughenour.
- Mrs. Lyman Cotton.
- Mrs. Stamey Carter.
- Mrs. S. D. Crump.
- Mrs. Will H. Cauble.
- Mrs. H. C. Chilson.
- Mrs. James Davis.
- Mrs. Geo. Floyd.
- Mrs. E. C. Gregory.
- Mrs. R. E. Edwards.
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- Mrs. Hayden Holmes.
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- Mrs. Carl Horn.
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- Mrs. Ernest Hardin.
- Mrs. W. H. Hardin, Sr.
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- Mrs. R. L. Holbrook.
- Mrs. Julius Kirk.
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- Mrs. J. M. McCorkle.
- Mrs. Palmer Laughridge.
- Mrs. Horace Payne.
- Mrs. Homer Lingle.
- Mrs. Walter McCannless.
- Mrs. Spencer Murphy.
- Mrs. Murray Massey.
- Mrs. I. Michlovitz.
- Mrs. J. M. Moose.
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- Mrs. W. H. Ragland.
- Mrs. H. A. Rouzer.
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- Mrs. C. W. Smith.
- Mrs. Walter Thompson.
- Mrs. Bate Toms.
- Mrs. W. A. Shuping.
- Mrs. J. N. Prevette.
- Mrs. C. W. Windsor.
- Mrs. Rob Roy Peery.
- Mrs. Whitehead McKenzie.
- Miss Eva Peeler.
- Mrs. Geo. Willard.
- Mrs. Leo. Wallace.

BERNARDI SHOWS MAKING BIG HIT

The biggest midway ever seen at the fair grounds is operating at the local fair grounds. The Bernardi Shows have no less than thirty-five separate and distinct attractions.

If you want "thrills" they have 'em, for a thrilling race is staged between a motorist and a fully grown lioness in the confined space of a big motor-drome, with the lioness looking for motorman meat evidently by her business like appearance.

Then there is plenty of fun and frolic in the various mechanical devices and rides. The Waltzer, the lat-

est of these, is one of the most novel and at the same time sensational devices ever seen here.

To mention a few of the more prominent shows, it may be said that the monkey circus is most pleasing. Here simian actors give a real circus performance, apeing their human prototypes to the letter. At least believers in the Darwinian theory say so.

Nature's freak animal show is another that is interesting and educational. Here there are sixty or more wild and domestic animals on view, each one a freak of nature. The star of the aggregation is a fully grown bull, with skin the texture and color of human beings.

A clever negro minstrel show gives satisfaction to those who care for this form of entertainment. Twenty or more negroes strut their stuff in true Harlem fashion interspersing it with southern melodies and dances.

A "Garden of Rides," including ten of the latest and safest designs, are on the grounds so that there is plenty to engage the attention of the younger generation, and some of the older as well. Everything is in good condition and looks fine, especially at night when the Bernardi midway is transformed into a scene from the Arabian Nights with brilliant multi-colored lights and other embellishments.

FREEZE-LEAZER LEGION POST TO GIVE FISH FRY

Plans Are Also Being Made To Erect A Hut Between China Grove And Landis; To Present Play.

The Freeze-Leazer post of the American Legion of China Grove will give a fish fry Tuesday night, Oct. 27 at 7:30 o'clock in the basement of the Bostian Mercantile company in South China Grove.

Mitchell Corriher, the new post commander, requests that every member of the post, as well as all ex-service men in the community, be present. A tempting meal will be prepared.

Commander Corriher will announce several plans he has in mind for the good of the legion during the fry.

An invitation has been extended to the Kannapolis drum and bugle corps to participate in the fry.

The Freeze-Leazer post is now and has been since its organization four years ago one of the best small posts in the state. It has enrolled in its membership 95 per cent of the eligible men in its community. It has at all times attended to the needs of the ex-service men and their families. It has as its aim the betterment of the community in which it serves.

This post is at the present time in the midst of a campaign to raise money to build a hut between China Grove and Landis. Later, the post will present a play in both Landis and China Grove.

CORONER'S JURY FREES HONEYCUTT OF BOWLES DEATH

A coroner's jury last week held that the automobile accident October 8 resulting in the death of Marshall Bowles, 17-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bowles, North Clay street, was unavoidable. James Honeycutt, driver of the car, was exonerated of any blame in connection with the tragedy.

According to the witnesses examined at the inquest, the car was being driven at a speed of only 15 or 20 miles an hour. In attempting to pass a truck, the car struck a sand ridge, crashed into the bank and somersaulted.

Bowles was riding in an automobile driven by James Honeycutt, of East Liberty street, who suffered a broken shoulder; while Raymond Waggoner and Roy Fogner were other occupants. The latter two received minor scratches, while Bowles sustained serious internal injuries which brought death two days after the accident.

The jury summoned by Coroner W. L. Tatum, was composed of G. Murray Smith, Henry Leonard, Gordon Urban, C. F. Deal, J. C. Knight and Frank Gallimore.

AVERAGE The average man is one who won't admit that he's average.—Arkansas Gazette.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE COLUMN

By R. E. L. NIEL

Here is the testimony of Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court, Charles Evans Hughes as to the need of a city of a well functioning Chamber of Commerce. He says: "It is impossible adequately to promote the prosperity of our cities without the effective organization of business men into a chamber of commerce who not only understands needs and possibilities but who are most competent to give directions to municipal effort. The development of the sense of civic responsibility always follows such cooperation and the gains to the community far exceed the mere material benefits of business enterprise." The truth of this emanation from so high an authority is undoubtedly recognized but still there are right here in Salisbury a half hundred citizens who are withholding their support and cooperation from their local chamber of commerce and at a time when such an organization is needed the most.

Reference has been made repeatedly in this column of the urgent need of new booklets and literature giving description of Salisbury and its environs and asking, yea, pleading for voluntary offers from those who have not given a helping hand during the present year to come forward with the sinews necessary to provide the printed matter. Hardly a day passes without a request for information in detail of Salisbury. Just this week a request came from a large southport city asking for ten copies of the booklet "Facts on Manufacturing in Salisbury" and offering to pay for them if necessary. That it was embarrassing to have to admit that the supply was exhausted can well be imagined. Certainly there are those possessed with a sense of civic responsibility who will come to the aid of their chamber of commerce in this matter.

If there is any doubt as to an increase in out of state cars visiting Salisbury at this time over the same period last year, it is only necessary to stand on a prominent corner and watch the license tags. That this increase is directly due to the promotion of U. S. Highway No. 29, "The Main Street of the South," in which the Salisbury Chamber of Commerce has participated to a large extent, is not to be denied.

The executive committee of the Piedmont Highway Association through whose efforts the extension of U. S. No. 29 was secured, met in Danville during the past week and it was with pardonable pride that the report was made that Salisbury had raised its preliminary quota of \$300 which is to be credited against its full share of \$1,000 for the 1931-32 campaign for tourists to come through this city going and coming north and south.

The traveller passing through this section is bound to spend his money and his dollar goes into the pockets of many concerns and eventually goes to the bank, hence it is to the interest of everybody that strenuous effort be

made to attract him and to hold him.

Speaking of the depression and nearly everybody is doing it, the lamented Edison said "I have been through six depressions during my life. They are all alike. The men who, if business fell off 66 percent, increased their selling efforts 75 percent, managed to pull through as if there were no depression, and the efforts of such men tend to shorten periods of depression."

The Rowan County Fair will be just half over when this column is read and speaking for The Salisbury Chamber of Commerce a sincere plea is made for the wholehearted support of this annual event which is of vast benefit to Salisbury and this section of the Piedmont. Go out, take the whole family and besides viewing the excellent exhibits and other attractions, get an inspiration from mingling with your fellow citizens.

HOMECOMING DAY FOR CATAWBA IS SET FOR OCT. 24

Saturday, October 24, has been designated Homecoming Day at Catawba College, according to announcement by the proper officials.

On that day, the Catawba football squad will engage the strong Appalachian State team.

In previous years, Homecoming Day has been celebrated on Thanksgiving Day. This year the date has been advanced.

Hundreds of alumni and friends are expected to make Catawba College headquarters Saturday.

Obituaries

Thomas J. Shoaf

Thomas J. Shoaf, 60, a veteran employe of the Southern's Spencer shops, where he held a position in the car department, died Oct. 17 at his Caldwell street home, death being caused by heart trouble.

Surviving are his wife and four sons, Irvin Shoaf of Bronx, N. Y., James Shoaf of the navy, and Eddie Shoaf of Salisbury.

Mrs. Margaret Cress

Mrs. Margaret Josephine Cress, wife of John C. Cress, died Thursday, Oct. 15th, at the Salisbury Hospital. Mrs. Cress had been critically ill for several days.

The funeral took place Friday morning from the home on North Main street, and the interment followed in the Chestnut Hill cemetery.

Surviving are the husband, two sons, Lamont and Demont, and one daughter, Miss Pauline Cress. Six sisters and one brother also survive, Mrs. Chas. Campbell, of Morgan township, Mrs. J. C. Kesler, Mrs. Lottie Kesler, Mrs. James K. Belt, Mrs. Reginald Ramsey, Mrs. Joseph B. Kesler and John W. Kesler, all of Salisbury. Mrs. Ada B. Kesler of this city, stepmother of the deceased, also survives.

Pallbearers were J. L. Fisher, L. M. Miller, J. C. Deaton, G. M. Lyerly, R. Lee Mahaley and Henry W. Davis.

Lewis Holshouser

Lewis Holshouser, 61, China Grove, died Oct. 16, following an illness of several weeks.

The deceased, who was a native of Rowan, is survived by three brothers, William Holshouser, of Concord; Thomas Holshouser, of Baltimore, and James Holshouser, of Charlotte, and several half-brothers.

SALVATION ARMY CONDUCTING DRIVE TO RAISE FUNDS

October 22 and 23 have been designated by the local Salvation Army as campaign days to raise funds for the operation of this unit during the approaching year.

Captain and Mrs. Hoekstra, who came to Salisbury in September, will be in charge.

A number of civic, patriotic and church bodies will assist in the campaign.

During the past year, the local unit of the Salvation Army has been active, as is shown by the following record of their activities:

Meals supplied	1,285
Lodging given to	1,636
Found employment for	33
Assistance rendered to families numbering	236
Garments donated	312
Pairs of shoes donated	110
Christmas baskets and meals	581
Street meetings conducted	126
Attendance	14,450
Indoor meetings	238

A generous response to the Salvation Army appeal is anticipated. A lot of fathers are raising the deuce today because their boys are as bad as they were when they were boys.

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