

PROVIDENCE SCHOOL HAS ENTERTAINMENT

Music and Literature Had Their Devotees, Who Greatly Delighted the Large Audience Present to Hear Them—Miss Ellie Hudson's Fine Training.

Providence did itself proud Tuesday night. The rain ceased long enough for the much-delayed recital of the school to come off.

Did you all hear the choruses in Charlotte? We are going to break out in a new spot and become musical. Under Miss Ellie Hudson's patient and wise training the school sang with enthusiasm and excellent time, and we all enjoyed it.

The selections played by our young pianists showed careful work and thorough drill. But we were literary as well as musical. The fathers of our literature were brought before us in brief but comprehensive word pictures, while the more serious literary discussions were relieved by a very spirited debate on the question of Miss Katrina Van Tassel's rejection of Ichabod Crane, and the sentimental hearts in the audience were made to thrill by a "Yankee Showman's Courtship."

Miss Minnie Down's untiring work, persistent energy and wise government has made our school so popular that the roll has swelled this year to over 70 pupils, and we feel satisfied that there is no better country school in Mecklenburg, if in the state.

The following was the program: Dixie Chorus Emmett Chorus Allegro, Sonata in C... Mozart Rondo, Sonata in C... Mozart E. and J. Alexander Annie Laurie... Winthrop Mary Downs Old Folks at Home... Foster Chorus Morning Prayer... Streablogi

- Mame Matthews Cochran Eunice Riggins Gabriel Vera Valsette Leona Squires America Chorus Scandinavia Folk Song Grieg Dora Squires Qui Vive E. Rea and L. Squires The Boy That Laughs (by request) Tom Alexander The Old Kentucky Home Foster Benjamin Franklin as a Man of Letters Miller Riggins The Man Who Wrote Them Willard Grier The Father of American Prose Rosa Pearce Resolve—That Katrina Van Tassel Was Just in Her Treatment of Ichabod Crane. Affirmative Pay Delaney Negative Henry Alexander Cooper's Works David Rea Hawthorne's Style Wm. Robinson Addison W. Kuykendall Selections From Deserted Village (a) Village Preacher E. Alexander (b) Village Teacher Annie Pay Delaney Alexander Pope Lydia Grier Sir Roger De Coverley's Characteristics Leona Squires Yankee Showman's Courtship Lee Simpson The Old Black Joe Foster Chorus Dance on the Lawn Bohme Ethel Rea "Don't Be What You Ain't" Calvin Rea Mystery Jess Alexander Battle Hymn of the Republic Chorus La Fontaine Bohme Winnie Grier Farewell to the Pianoforte Beethoven Willie Kuykendall Lea Sylphs G. Bachmann E. Alexander The Red, White and Blue Shaw Chorus

SACRAMENTO REPORTS A FINE CASE

A fine example of a recovery in a case of kidney disease that was supposed to be incurable is reported from Sacramento. Mr. I. T. Gibson of 521 Ninth street, Sacramento, was in October last in a local hospital in the Capital City, swollen with dropsy that often attends the serious supposed incurable forms. As is usual in these cases the hospital treatment gave no results, when he was advised to try Fulton's Renal Compound by a friend (Charles A. Newton, the yardmaster of the S. P. R. R. Co., at Sacramento, who had himself been cured by the treatment.) Dropsy began to subside and the renal inflammation gradually abated and Gibson is now back to his employment with the S. P. R. R. Co. after recovering from a disease that is rated as incurable the world over.

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Impeachment Trial in Virginia. Richmond, Va., March 25.—This is the date fixed by the Virginia legislature for the beginning of the impeachment trial of Judge J. W. G. Blackstone, of the circuit court. Judge Blackstone is to be tried on two specific charges—one of immorality and one of neglect of official duty.

A Thousand More Dollars

Y. W. C. A. Contributions Keep Pouring in 1,365.-50 Reported To-day—Amount of Seven Days Work.

The Young Woman's Christian Association building canvass is succeeding beyond the expectation of its warmest friends and supporters. The big total of \$1,365.50 was rolled up today after what appeared to be the slowest day of the canvass. A contribution from Mr. C. M. Patterson by mail from New York raised a total of \$865.50 to \$1,265.50. Mr. Patterson's pledge of \$500.00 saved the day from one of the smallest in returns and made it one of the largest.

Indications point to a great day tomorrow. Friday of last week was a big day and tomorrow, it is expected, will be no exception. Other large gifts of the day were by the following named: Mr. E. M. Cole, \$100.00. A Friend, \$60.00. There were four gifts of \$50.00 each from the following named: Messrs. W. J. Pite, George M. Phifer, S. B. Alexander, W. S. Lee.

Gifts in lesser amounts were given by the following named: S. J. Ashbury, F. E. Alexander, J. C. Abernathy, J. H. Blake, W. M. Blanton, J. T. Compton, John R. Cathey, Miss Rose Dell, W. L. Dixon, A. Fisher, H. B. Fowler, Marion B. Green, Miss Minnie Lee Gattis, Mrs. A. D. Gilchrist, Miss Margaret Hall, Miss Ida Hand, Mrs. Lena D. Henry, G. H. Hartman, Mrs. M. G. Hunter, Miss Ethel Hayes, J. F. Jamieson, C. P. Montgomery, Mrs. J. C. McNeely, Miss Hanna McLaughlin, Mrs. Brodie Nalle, J. Moore Pharr, Mrs. J. W. Presson, Mrs. S. L. Presson, F. J. Robinson, C. H. Robinson, M. L. Rozzell, E. R. Smith, Lloyd Summerville, Miss Allie Springs, J. L. Margaret Thurmond, Miss Neta Umberger, W. S. Wearn, J. W. Ward.

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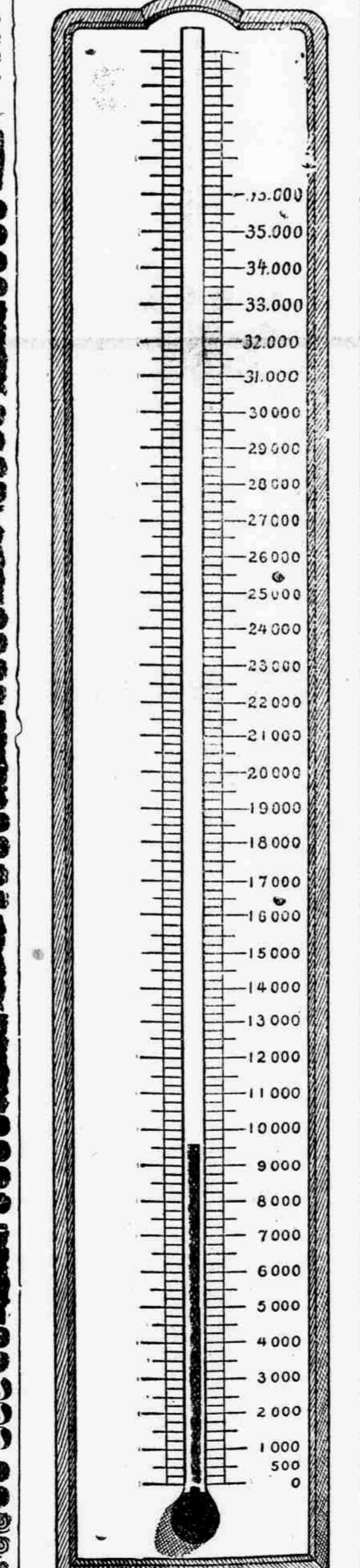


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A GENUINE NATURE LOVER. A Short Sketch of the Life of Enos A. Mills.

Enos A. Mills, the mountain guide, who talks interestingly concerning the value of trees, birds and nature, was born in Kansas and went to Alaska when a boy. For twenty years he has rambled the mountains of the west as a prospector and nature lover. He has thoroughly explored the Rockies alone, unarmed and afoot during all seasons of the year. He has scaled all the highest peaks of the Rockies, some of them in mid-winter, and many of them by moonlight. He enjoys being out in the storm and has often climbed or traveled the wilds by moonlight alone. He has scaled Long's Peak 257 times and the day of his life was the time he guided little 8-year-old Harriet Peters to the summit of this rugged peak.

For three years he held the unique and adventurous position, "State Snow Observer of Colorado." He is a trifle under medium height and weight, eats but little and has extraordinary physical endurance, notwithstanding that during his early life he was an invalid. Schooling he has had, but this chiefly from nature. He has written a little for the Youth's Companion and other eastern press, and is the author of the Estes Park, Colorado Guide Book.

His home is log cabin, 9,000 feet above sea level on the slope of Long's Peak. He does few things that conform to fashion or custom. His liking for nature, together with his intense love for birds and trees, along with appreciation of their usefulness to mankind, are worthy causes that sent him to the platform.

Mr. Mills will speak in Charlotte on April the 2nd.

A SUPPOSED MURDERER. Officers Think Bob Johnson is Wanted in Birmingham.

Bob Johnson, a negro, who works at the Standard Ice and Fuel Company, was arrested yesterday afternoon and placed in jail, the officers suspecting that he is wanted in Birmingham for murder.

Johnson answers the description sent out, and the authorities at Birmingham have been notified to send an officer to identify the prisoner.

The nature of the crime with which Johnson is charged is not known here.

CHICKENPOX AT ADVANCED AGE. Mr. Burnett Had a Seige of It With His 292 Pounds.

Mr. B. P. T. Burnett drove up in front of The News office yesterday afternoon, and, after remarking that he didn't have time to "light," he said: "I wanted you folks to know that I am 63 years old, weigh 292 pounds, and am just getting well of the chicken-pox!"

Wiley-Costler. Last evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Costler, at Gastonia, Mr. J. B. Wiley, of this city, was married to Miss Cora Costler. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. R. C. Anderson. Mr. Wiley is the popular ticket agent of the Seaboard here.

Those who attended the marriage were Misses Olla and Ida Costler, of Lincolnton and Mrs. J. B. Wiley, Miss C. W. Thompson and Mr. M. L. Warlick, of Charlotte.

KEEP STREETS CLEAN

Garbage Cans Distributed and Law Enforced. Twenty four garbage cans have been distributed in the business sections on Trade street and Tryon street, and Chief Sanitary Officer Porter calls attention to the following ordinance, which is Section 228 of the City Code: "And person, who shall deposit in any street or gutter of the city, any rubbish, broken glass, tin cuttings, or waste or loose paper, or filth of any kind, shall, on conviction, be subject to a fine \$50."

Chief Porter has placed these cans to receive trash, and he says that he will enforce the above ordinance to the letter.

FUNERAL OF MR. HOYLE.

Eloquent Tributes by Members of the Methodist Ministry. Eloquent tributes were paid the memory of Rev. M. H. Hoyle during the funeral services yesterday afternoon at the Tryon Street Methodist Church by the following of his brethren who took part in the service: Rev. Messrs. H. K. Boyer, Frank Siler, E. L. Bain, Harold Turner, W. W. Bays and J. W. Wheeler. A large concourse of people were present.

The local camp of Confederate veterans were present and marched in a body to Elmwood cemetery where the interment was.

ELK'S NEW OFFICERS

Mr. M. W. Williams Succeeds Mr. Graham as Exalted Ruler. At the regular communication last night of Charlotte Lodge No. 392 B. P. O. Elks, officers were elected for the ensuing year, as follows: Eugene B. Graham, retiring exalted ruler, grand lodge representative; T. R. Pegram, grand lodge alternate; M. W. Williams, esteemed ruler; James W. Simpson, esteemed loyal knight; Charles W. Norman, esteemed lecturing knight; R. C. Simpson, secretary; W. N. Grier, treasurer; W. C. Garibaldi, tiler; and H. A. Webber, trustee. Refreshments were passed after the meeting.

FUNERAL OF SENATOR BRYAN.

Largest Concourse Ever Assembled There on Such an Occasion. The funeral of Senator Bryan took place at Jacksonville, Fla., yesterday at St. John's Episcopal Church and was attended by the largest concourse in the history of the city. Prominent Floridians from all parts of the state were present. Every store was closed at the hour of the funeral—2 o'clock.

Rathbone Lodge. At Rathbone Pythian Lodge tonight there will be something of a special meeting. Work of a very interesting nature is on the slate and a big crowd has promised to be on hand to push it through.

Pythianism is growing rapidly in Charlotte, and all four lodges are in a flourishing condition.

Handsome Funeral Car. Z. A. Hovis & Company have added to their undertaking establishment a handsome, hand-carved funeral car, up-to-date in every way.

Mr. Moore Endorsed in Crab Orchard. At a mass meeting in Hickory Grove, Crab Orchard township, Mr. C. C. Moore was unanimously endorsed by a rising vote for commissioner of agriculture.

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