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## JULIA MAGRUDER CLUB

Met at the Home of Mrs. R. E. Gibson Thursday Night—One of Their Finest Meetings.

Contributed.

The Julia Magruder Club is to be congratulated on the success of their first evening of lectures. The elegant home of Mrs. R. E. Gibson, on Main street, was thrown open to the club and the club's guests, and the lecture room showed in its beautiful decorations of palms, ferns and soft lights, the exquisite taste of the charming hostess. It is the unanimous opinion of all present last evening that the Julia Magruder Club was wise in selecting as its first lecturer Prof. E. B. Lewis, of the Concord Graded Schools. Prof. Lewis has won for himself an enviable reputation as a scholar, lecturer and educator, both in and out of the Old North State, and it was with pleasant anticipations that his audience awaited his address. In the absence of the president of the club P. of. Lewis was introduced by the Vice President, Mrs. D. B. Coltran, in a very graceful manner.

Prof. Lewis has an ease of manner in lecturing that is charming, coupled with a full and vigorous vocabulary entirely at his command. He entertained the club with a discourse on "Books—why we read, how we should read, and how to select a book," and closed his address with a well rendered and appropriate verse, "In the land where the books come true."

Miss Magruder, for whom the club has the honor to be named, and of whom all Southland is justly proud, presented the Club with one of her books, "Realized Ideals." The book was accepted and responded to by Mrs. J. D. Arnold in a very charming and graceful manner.

The pleasure of the evening was greatly enhanced by the recitations of Miss Henderson, of Salisbury.

Concord society always welcomes Miss Henderson first for her own graceful presence and also for her remarkable talent in elocution. Her selections—a typical representation of Reubenstein's melody in "F" and "He and She," by Sir Edwin Arnold—were heartily encored.

The music furnished by Miss Harris and Messrs. Howland, Lewis and Keestler was delightfully rendered and the applause that followed each selection, showed the appreciation with which it was received.

### A Few Words From Texas.

THE STANDARD received a letter from Mr. Allen T. Boger, who is living at Vernon, Texas, and who has quite a number of relatives in Cabarrus county. Among the different things in his letters, we note the following:

"As I am not from your State, nor was ever on the Old North State's soil, I do not feel the interest that I would had I once lived there. My father was born on Rocky River at what is called Bost's Mills and was a cousin of Allen Boger, also of Martin and Daniel Boger, of your county. My people left there in about 1831 or 1832. I think we have a good many kind-folks in that section, but know very little about them. I must say, in conclusion, that the people of your county and town should stand by you, as, in my opinion, you give them a good paper."

He then ends his letter by saying "Yours for true Democracy."

### A Small Fire.

Thursday night while all were enjoying themselves at the Firemen's Hall, taking part in the festival, the people were surprised by hearing the fire bell ringing out. As usual it put the people into a fit of excitement and they were seen running in every direction. The Hose and Reel Company quickly responded and went through the streets at a fast rate, but were stopped as the fire was under control. The Hook and Ladder company also turned out.

The place of the fire was in the backyard of Dr. D. D. Johnson and was found to be the chicken house. Fortunately there was a water pipe near and in a short time the fire was put out without even a total loss of the house.

The buggy house which was standing beside the chicken house also caught but the flames were extinguished before it had burned much of it.

Dr. Johnson wishes to return his many thanks to all the volunteers who took part and especially Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Brown for their valuable assistance.

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### To Help Emmett, the Composer.

A movement is now on foot by the Confederate veterans of the South to set aside an appropriation for Dan Emmett, the composer of "Dixie." Mr. Emmett is 83 years of age and is living at Mt. Vernon, Ohio. He is not in very good circumstances, financially. For quite awhile he has been paid \$5.00 per week from an association of actors, but it seems that this appropriation is soon to be cut off.

In discussing the advisability of the Confederate veterans paying an amount towards his living, Rev. T. P. Cleveland, the chaplain of the camp at Atlanta, Ga., plead very earnestly and said that it did not matter whether the author of "Dixie" was a northern man or a southern man, the people of the South should not let him suffer in his old age, and that he believed that the Confederate veterans ought to raise a fund large enough for him to live from the interest, and at his death use the principal to erect a monument to his memory.

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### PERSONAL POINTERS.

—Mr. James F. Misenheimer is in our city today.

—Mr. W. F. Dowd, of Charlotte, was in the city this morning on bicycle business.

—Mr. Tony Taylor, one of Salisbury's finest bicycle riders, was in our city yesterday.

—Mr. C. T. Troy, of the company store at Forest Hill, is spending the afternoon in Charlotte.

—Miss Ola Hamilton returned home Thursday night from Greensboro, where she has been spending several weeks.

—Miss Alma Deaton, of Lynchburg, Va., arrived in the city Thursday night, and is visiting at the home of Mrs. M. G. Deaton, on Spring street.

## COTTON SEED

### For Cows

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### An Aged Mother Departs.

Mrs. Patsy Sprinkle, of No. 10 township, died Thursday at 3 o'clock p. m. She was a widow of nearly 82 years and it was a case of exhausted vitality, as a lamp fades away when un replenished.

Mrs. Sprinkle was familiarly known as "Aunt Patsy" and all loved her for her goodness and her kindness.

She leaves two daughters, Mrs. F. M. Hartsell and Mrs. M. L. White to mourn her departure that has been thus far delayed. Her interment took place today (Friday) at Bethel church.

### The Coming Woman

Who goes to the club while her husband tends the baby, as well as the good old-fashioned woman who looks after her home, will both at times get run down in health. They will be troubled with loss of appetite, headaches, sleeplessness, fainting or dizzy spells. The most wonderful remedy for these women is Electric Bitters. Thousands of sufferers from Lame Back and Weak Kidneys rise up and call it blessed. It is the medicine for women. Female complaints and Nervous troubles of all kinds are soon relieved by the use of Electric Bitters. Delicate women should keep this remedy on hand to build up the system. Only 50c. per bottle. For sale by P. B. Fetzer.

### Stop That Danger Hole.

Our attention has been called to a very dangerous hole in a little bridge near Mr. Dan Lipe's tenant house, beyond Little Cold Water, on the Mt. Pleasant road. If we understand the law, the supervisor of that road is risking too much to neglect that defect. Such places should be attended to before some serious accident occurs, and a negligent official pleads for mercy more apparent than that shown to innocent beasts made to pass regularly over the danger traps. A few court prosecutions will teach a wholesome lesson to keep our bridges in order.



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