

# SOCIAL & PERSONAL

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## Anniversary Exercises of Literary Society.

The following invitations have been received here:

The Members of the  
Gerhardt Literary Society  
of  
Mount Pleasant Collegiate Institute  
cordially invite you to be present  
at its  
Twenty-first Anniversary Exercises  
February twenty-third.  
Eight P. M.  
Nineteen hundred twenty-three  
Mount Pleasant, North Carolina

## Greensboro Girls Win.

The Greensboro girls high school basketball team won its fifth straight victory Friday night when the Concord high girls were defeated 42 to 6. Both teams fought hard, but quick passing, accurate passing and good guarding gave the visitors the advantage over the locals. The Greensboro girls played an unusually clean game, having only a few fouls called on them.

## Prof. Breach Heard With Interest.

Prof. William Breach, director of public school music in the schools of Winston-Salem, in his songs and address at the Concord Central School auditorium Friday evening, made a wonderful impression upon the audience.

## The talented artist in this entertainment

with his profession and possesses a fine voice perfectly trained. His talk on "music appreciation" demonstrated with the victrola records charmed the audience, the old and young showing a deep and lively interest in the in-

## Interpretation of each record.

The Fine Arts Department of the Women's Club is to be congratulated upon selecting Prof. Breach to come among us to awaken interest in the study of music in our public schools, for this successful teacher with a wide experience is a clear and convincing speaker in his profession.

Before leaving the auditorium the Music Lovers Club exacted a promise from the gifted musician to give them a return engagement.

## A Birthday Party.

Master Lee Ritchie delightfully entertained many of his little friends at his beautiful home on South Union street on Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock, the occasion being his eleventh birthday.

He was the recipient of many beautiful and useful presents, which is a token of the esteem and admiration which his friends have for him.

After playing many interesting games, delicious refreshments were served.

About seventy guests, who enjoyed the host's hospitality and generosity, returned to their homes, wishing their little friends many more happy birthdays.

## Colonial Tea at the Central Primary School.

You are cordially invited to a  
Colonial Tea Party  
at  
The Central Primary School  
Thursday, February 22nd  
at 3 o'clock  
Silver Offering.  
The patrons and friends of the Pri-

## mary school may look forward to a

most pleasant afternoon for the members of the entertainment ways and means committees and officers of the Parent-Teachers Association are putting forth every effort to assist the teachers and pupils in making this an afternoon long to be remembered.

Receiving will be the officers of the association, chairmen of all committees and all members of social and ways and means committee.

Refreshments will be served by a number of ladies.

All fathers, mothers and friends interested in the school are cordially invited to attend.

The proceeds will go to further the work of children in the school.

## Christian Reid Book Club.

A most delightful meeting of the Christian Reid Book Club was held Saturday afternoon with Mrs. E. H. Brown at her home on South Union street.

Mrs. Bernard Fetzer was the leader for the afternoon and she chose for her subject "Flowers." Little Margaret King and Master Phillip Brown, dressed as daffodils, presented to each member a bunch of daffodils and a beautiful potted hyacinth, the gift of Mrs. Fetzer. The responses to the roll call were about flowers and papers on flowers were read by Mrs. Fetzer, Mrs. Brown and Miss Miriam Morris.

At the conclusion of the program delicious refreshments were served.

## Fine Arts Department.

The regular monthly meeting of the Fine Arts Department of the Women's Club will meet Tuesday evening at seven-thirty with Mrs. C. B. Wagoner at her home on West Depot street.

## Legion Auxiliary to Meet.

The members of the American Legion Auxiliary are invited to meet with the American Legion Tuesday evening at seven-thirty at the Legion's club rooms.

## Basketball Team Entertained.

Friday evening at the St. Cloud Hotel the Greensboro girls' basketball

## squad was entertained at dinner by

the Concord girls High School squad. Twenty-five were present.

A number of songs and yells and a few short speeches were enjoyed by the guests.

## With Our Sick.

Miss Studie Moore is again able to be out, after being confined to her home for several days with an infected foot.

Miss Beulah Ridenhour is unable to be at her work at Elford's because of illness.

Mr. George Graeber is confined to his home on South Union street on account of illness.

## Week of Prayer.

The Woman's Missionary Society of St. James Lutheran Church will observe the Week of Prayer and Self Denial, February 19-23. Services will be held every afternoon at three-thirty in the lecture room and all the women of the city are invited.

## Mr. and Mrs. Leffer Have Son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Leffer, a son, February 18th.

## Concert Thursday Evening.

Music lovers of Concord are looking forward with peculiar interest to the recital to be given here Thursday by Miss Penelope Davis, noted Canadian mezzo-soprano. The concert will be given at Central Graded School at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Woman's Club.

Miss Davis will have as her accompanist Alexander Gunn, of Montreal, Canada, a pianist of note. Miss Davis and Mr. Gunn will give a series of concerts in Charlotte this week, and music lovers here are delighted with the prospect of hearing them in concert here.

Philip Hale in the Boston Herald, says of Mr. Gunn:

"Mr. Gunn has true strength and also delicacy and charm of touch. He has the various and essential requirements of a pianist. Fortunate man, he has the gift of imagination."

## Smith-Lamour.

The following from The Lost Post, of Lott, Texas, of February 9, will be of interest here to the many friends of Mr. Smith, as he was reared here, being a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith:

"Mr. Donald P. Smith and Miss Louise Lamour, both of this city obeyed the will of Cupid and were united in marriage last Saturday evening at the home of Rev. R. E. Hardin. Mr. Smith is one of our leading young business men, and World War Veteran and well liked by all who know him. He has a growing produce business. Miss Lamour was the niece of the late Captain Gassaway, was reared here and counts her friends by all who know her. The popular young couple have the best wishes of a large circle of friends. They will be at home to their friends at Dewey Wright residence."

## George Washington Tea.

The Lizzie Odell circle of the Ladies Aid Society of Forest Hill Methodist Church will give a George Washington Tea at the home of Mrs. Will Mabry Wednesday evening from eight to ten o'clock. One of the attractive features will be the Forest Hill Orchestra. George and Martha Washington will be impersonated in proper costumes. Also colonial dances will be there. A silver offering at the door. Everybody is invited.

## Celebrate Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Craven were guests of their resident children Sunday at an elegant dinner served in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Weddington in honor of the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage. Reminiscences of romance and varied experiences in real life gave lively interest to the occasion, as well as inspiration and courage to the younger members of the company in meeting and combating adverse conditions along the pathway and overcoming obstacles in the rearing of a family to honorable life and good citizenship.

Those present besides Mr. Weddington's family were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Porter, Miss Adah Craven, Mrs. Gales Pickard, Mr. Jno. Weddington and Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Craven. Owing to sickness, Mr. B. R. Craven and family were absent.

Mr. and Mrs. Craven have been receiving congratulations and good wishes by wire, special delivery mail and flowers from the out-of-town relatives and friends during the day, and are happy and grateful for so many tokens of love and good will.

## Epworth League Entertained.

Rev. and Mrs. Johnson entertained the members of the Epworth League Society of the Methodist Church Friday evening, February 9th, at their home in Midway. After several interesting games, a business meeting was called at which time the election of officers for the society took place. During the evening tempting refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Cline. About thirty young people enjoyed the social meeting.

## Parent-Teachers Association Meeting.

The Parent-Teachers association held an enthusiastic meeting on Tuesday, February 13th, with the best attendance of the current school year.

Our president being kept away by serious illness, Miss King was in the chair.

The teachers reported a membership drive during the month, by which 81 new members had been added to our roll.

The milk and lunch committee reported 18 1/2 pints of milk and 15 lunches distributed daily; so much sickness among the children having made it necessary to increase the number receiving milk.

Miss Means then told about the interesting plans underway for the George Washington tea to be given on the 22nd at the Primary School by the teachers for the purpose of raising money for our work. A wide awake canvas for refreshments has been made among the merchants of the city and these had responded most liberally and graciously.

The secretary read letters from the National Biscuit Co., and the Chapin-Sacks Co., makers of the "Velvet

## Kind" ice cream, who contributed

lavishly of cakes and ice cream and these showed a splendid spirit of co-operation.

At the various committees for the help of the various committees for the help of many members promised their services.

It was announced that a meeting would be held on the 14th at Central School for the purpose of organizing Parent-Teachers associations for the High School and Central grammar school and our presence and earnest co-operation was desired by Mrs. Rankin and Mr. Webb.

Miss King, as president of the Library association made an eloquent appeal to the Parent-Teachers association for help and co-operation, stressing the importance of the library as an aid to the mental and moral development of the school children.

We were made to feel anew the importance of the library as an asset to our schools.

Then followed the report of the playground committee; the estimated cost per swing, made entirely of wood with concrete base, being \$8.00, and these are said to last indefinitely.

This being the last meeting we could have Miss Stockton, our beloved county nurse, with us Miss King expressed for us all our deep appreciation of her services; she never having failed us in any of our calls for aid, but ever standing by to help in the best and most efficient way.

The association gave Miss Stockton a rising vote of thanks for all she has done for us and wished her God speed wherever she may go in the future. Miss Stockton responded in a few well chosen words of affectionate farewell.

Mrs. Charles Wagoner delighted the members with two charming songs and her lovely voice was never sweeter nor more tenderly modulated.

As a fitting end to a most interesting program the Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co. served delicious coffee, giving a social touch to an interesting afternoon.

## Union Prayer Service.

The union prayer service held by the various auxiliaries of the city at St. James Lutheran Church Friday afternoon was well attended. The program was splendidly rendered; members from each church taking part in it. Mrs. John M. Cook, of the St. James Church, was in charge of the program. Solos, sweet and inspiring, were rendered by Miss Elizabeth Lovell, of the faculty of Sutherland and Miss Mary MacLaughlin, of the high school faculty. The address of the afternoon was given by Miss Van Dure, of Scotia, a returned missionary from China, who made a very earnest appeal to the women of the city to give their time, prayer and gifts to the great missionary cause. The meeting was characterized by a spirit of sincerity and earnestness. It was a marked fact that of the 28 ladies who were asked to take an active part in the service, everyone was there to do her part. The collection, which was taken for the Near East Relief, amounted to \$47.

## Miss Louise Webb Entertains.

Miss Louise Webb charmingly entertained a number of her friends Friday evening at her home on West Corbin street.

Dancing was enjoyed by the guests and a number of games were played, after which delicious refreshments were served.

Those enjoying Miss Webb's hospitality were: Julia Rowan, Sarah Crowell, Askins Ivey, Annie and Mary Cannon, Edna York, Virginia Reed, Millicent Ward, Mary Orchard Boger, Betsy Davis, Elizabeth McFadden, Mary Grady Parks, Annie Guffy Day-vault, Dorothy Norman, Muriel Wolfe, Francis Howard, Frances Batte, Helen Dayvault, and Jack White, Martin Cannon, Genie Hoover, Rufus Brown, John Brown, Archibald Cannon, Felix York, Hal Jarrett, David Crowell, Connor Smith, George Patterson, Dewitt Bost, Billy Moore, Jacob Stirewalt, George Batte, Burnett Lewis and Mac Howard.

## Green Dusenbery.

A marriage of interest here, which came as a surprise, was made known on Friday by a telegram from New York to Miss Elizabeth Gibson, announcing the marriage in that city Thursday at eight p. m., at the Hotel Astor of Mrs. Saidee Dusenbery of Concord, and Mr. Neils Green, of Denmark.

Mr. Green was on his way to California, when he learned that Mrs. Dusenbery was visiting in New York, and he changed his plans, and returned to New York, where the marriage was solemnized.

It is supposed by friends here that Mr. and Mrs. Green will go to California on a bridal tour. Mrs. Green is well known and popular here, where she has lived for a number of years, and has many many friends who will be interested in her marriage.

## Book Club Meeting.

A delightful meeting of the Thursday Afternoon Book Club was held Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. E. Davis at her home on West Depot street.

Following the games delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Davis besides the regular club members, had as her guests: Mrs. A. C. Wolfe, of Charlotte, Mrs. Nan Pickard, Miss Jessie Burkhead, Mrs. J. L. Cannon, Mrs. S. W. Rankin, Mrs. Bessie McConnell, Mrs. T. D. Maness, Mrs. R. L. Morrison, Mrs. P. R. MacFadyen, and Misses Mary MacLaughlin, Floy Shealey, Louise Austin and Lillian McGehee.

## Department Meeting.

The Public Welfare Department of the Woman's Club, conducted a very interesting meeting Wednesday afternoon at the Central graded school. Fifty women were present and showed much interest in this department.

The chairman, Mrs. L. D. Coltrane, opened the meeting at the hour called. The work accomplished and new business was presented clearly. The chairman announced that the money necessary to retain Dr. Foster another month in the city schools was all in sight. The department agreed to work for a trained welfare officer for Cabarrus County. All other business was quickly disposed of and the meeting turned over to Mrs. W. S. Rankin, chairman of education.

Mrs. Rankin stated that it was the wish of her department to organize three parent-teachers associations; one

## at the Central school, one at Number

2 and the high school. For this purpose she introduced Miss Katherine Albertson, of Elizabeth City, an educator of prominence and authority in the organization of these associations, once a representative of the State Parent Association.

A motion was passed to the effect that a Parent-Teacher Association be organized at the High School, Central and at No. 2 schools. It was decided to begin a model organization with the Central School because there were more parents present representing this school than the others. The following temporary officers were elected, after Miss Albertson had explained briefly the parliamentary steps to be taken:

Miss Constance Cline, chairman. Miss Janie Klutz secretary.

Miss Cline then appointed the following ladies to serve on the Constitution and By-Laws Committee:

Mrs. J. A. Cannon; chairman, Mrs. J. W. Pike, Miss Anna Schrock.

This committee is also to act as a nominating committee and will present at the next meeting nominees for president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer. The next meeting is to be held Wednesday afternoon at 3:30, February 21st, to complete the organization of a permanent Parent-Teacher Association for the Central School.

At the close of the meeting delicious coffee and water was served by the Home Economics Department.

## Miss Stockton Honored.

Miss May Stockton was the honor guest at the delightful Get-Together meeting of the Kings Daughters held at the home of Mrs. George Patterson on South Union street.

About fifty-five or sixty members gathered for the occasion, which was very informal in its nature, and preceded the rendition of the program Miss Stockton's friend were given an opportunity to visit with her for a short while.

Mrs. J. P. Cook, president of the local chapter of the Kings Daughters, in an address of welcome paid a high tribute to Miss Stockton as follows:

"Friends, it is no small honor to be in this Get-Together assemblage of fine, unselfish spirits—spirits forgetful of self, that seek out the suffering, the depressed, the embarrassed and the needy amongst us, and a spirit that never balks at the ennobling and sustaining recognition of the eternal principle of the brotherhood of man and the fatherhood of God. Therefore, as president of the local circle of King's Daughters and Sons, and speaking for the Cabarrus county Nursing committee, and by the goodness and courtesy of the delightful sister in whose home we are gathered, I bid each and all of you a glad and sincere welcome—the member of The Stonevall, The Stonevall, Jr., the Kannapolis, our dear side friends and the sons, who, though in the hopeless minority, need have no fear.

We have come together tonight to touch elbows in our service, to be common and chiefly to publicly in her presence to acknowledge the strikingly successful inauguration and establishment of a county Public Health service, that stands at the very head in the entire state, for the part that Miss May Stockton played in this achievement. She is leaving us for a larger field, not from choice, I'm assured, but by the force of uncontrollable circumstances that enter into all normal lives.

I speak for this body of representative Cabarrus citizens the low and esteem and appreciation in which the county holds Miss Stockton, and I bespeak for her the abiding wish that her future service in her new field may be attended by an equal appreciation, and that a perfect happiness may be at all times in her command.

There is none in the county that feels more keenly the loss sustained in Miss Stockton's departure from our midst than does the Nursing committee, which knows her, loves her and which has had at all times its intimate knowledge of her superior capacity, her remarkable efficiency and her winning personality.

May God bless and prosper you, Miss Stockton, and your dear old mother in all the days ahead of you, and most speedily bring to us another like unto you.

Again, I am pleased to extend a full and complete welcome, and all I. H. N. Little Miss Ida Patterson then presented to Miss Stockton a beautiful cameo, gift of the King's Daughters, as a slight token of their esteem and love for her and the members from Kannapolis presented her with several beautiful towels, the product of the "Jargest Towel Mill in the world." A pot of white hyacinths was also presented to her from Mr. G. W. Patterson and his little daughter, Ida. Mrs. H. S. Williams gave the following toast to Miss Stockton:

A toast to our friend, Miss May. I give on the parting night, She's been so faithful, may I say. Her services were just right. She's helped the suffering and the poor. She's been a friend to all. In sickness went from door to door. And heeded every call. Her cheery smile has meant so much. To sooth the fevered brow. A patient rallies to her touch. But Buncombe gets her now. Away to Asheville you must go. We'll miss you when you leave us. New friends you'll learn to know. But parting here will grieve us. Good-bye we'll think of you, Miss May. When you are serving others. We'll wish you were back our way. Within Cabarrus borders.

To all these things Miss Stockton responded in her own gracious way, thanking them not only for the gifts, but also for the co-operation and help of all the Kings' Daughters given her in the two years that she has been in Concord.

The members of the Music Lovers club gave a musical program which was very much enjoyed and at the conclusion of this ice cream and cake were served by a number of the local members.

Those present from Kannapolis were: Medames Troutman, Powell, Walter, Scott, Allison, Norfield, Rutledge, Fry, Halstead, Cline, Dural, Ridenhour, and Misses McQueen and Winnie Freeze.

## With Our Sick.

Miss Ida Blume is again able to be out after a severe illness of more than a week.

Miss Studie Moore is confined to her home on account of an infected foot.

The condition of Mrs. J. M. Bates, who recently underwent an operation at the Concord Hospital, continues to improve favorably.

## Cabarrus-Rowan Co-operative Demonstration a Success.

Regardless of the very cold weather, there gathered at the farm of Mr. L. Klutz 20 farmers from Rowan and Cabarrus Counties for the Practical Demonstration conducted by the agents of the two counties.

The different methods of pruning apple and peach trees was demonstrated and a number of questions were asked as to diseases, insects, varieties, propagation, age of trees to plant and time of planting, as well as spraying and the different mixtures.

A very fine picnic dinner was served by the ladies, which all enjoyed and after the demonstration, Mr. Klutz brought out a peck of "Tom" apples and proved to the satisfaction of those present that this apple can be kept for home use if it does ripen in the early fall. One was sent to The Tribune-Times Office, for display.

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## HATS

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Spring  
Introduction

# First Spring Modes

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\$3.95, \$4.95, \$5.95

\$9.95 UP

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