



**Singing School**—Spaulding — Eleanor Blume.  
 Piano solo: (a) "Playful Rondo"—Greene; (b) "The Fairy Wedding"—Turner—Mary Mosman.  
 Piano solo: "Dance of the Bears"—Heins—Catherine Ridenhour.  
 Piano duet: "Grace" (waltz)—Bobm—Catherine Ridenhour, Miss Blume.  
 Piano duet: "A Sleigh Ride"—Clark—Ruth McClure, Miss Blume.  
 Piano solo: "The Little Horseman"—Sabathio—Karl Blackwelder.  
 Piano duet: "Flying Doves"—Heins—Violet Propst, Miss Blume.  
 Piano solo: "Alpine Hut"—Lange—Lesse Griffin.  
 Piano solo: "The Herdsman's Cottage"—Heins—Katherine Craver.  
 Piano solo: "Melody of Love"—Engle—Violet Propst.  
 Piano duet (a) "Stand by the Flag"—Stults; (b) "The Merry Trumpeter"—Morrison—Mae Cook and Miss Blume.  
 Piano solo: "Invitation to the Dance"—Weber—Nola Barrier.  
 Piano solo: (a) "Evening Tolls"; (b) "Kiss Your Hand"—Heins—Milby Craver.  
 Piano solo: "Music Among the Pines"—Wyman—Evelyn Goodman.  
 Piano solo: "The Myrtles"—Wachs—Marie Barnhardt.  
 Vocal solo: (a) "June Is in My Heart" (a) "Sing Me to Sleep" (vocal obbl. by Miss Blume)—Evelyn Goodman.  
 Piano duet: "Poet and Pensive"—Suppe—Marie Barnhardt, Miss Blume.  
 Vocal solo: "Love Song"—Engelmann (vocal obbl. by Miss Blume)—Bessie Griffin.  
 Piano solo: "Springtime"—Tobaccani—Violet Propst.

**Dr. and Mrs. Rankin Parents of a Daughter**

Born to Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Rankin on September 1st, a daughter.

**Woman's Missionary Conference**

The Women's Missionary Conference of the Western Synodical Conference of the United Lutheran Synod of North Carolina will convene on Wednesday, the 5th, at 10 a. m., in St. Luke's Church, Rowan County, Rev. J. L. Yost, pastor. Everybody is welcome. A basket dinner will be had on the church grounds.  
A missionary program will be rendered. Information and inspiration from the recent state convention at Statesville, will be in evidence. Addresses will be made by Revs. N. D. Yount and John L. Morgan, also by Miss Maude Powdas and Mrs. R. B. Peery, missionaries from Japan. Departmental Secretaries will present their plans.

**Kings Daughters to Meet**

The Kings Daughters will meet tonight at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Ernest Hicks, on East Depot street. Every meeting is important so a good attendance is desired.

**Sunday School Class Entertains**

Members of the Men's Bible Class of the First Presbyterian Church were hosts at a delightful picnic held at the Cabarrus Country Club Thursday evening. In addition to the class members a number of friends enjoyed the occasion. Talks by Rev. J. C. Rowan and Mr. J. T. Hartsell were features of the evening. Mr. Hartsell talked interestingly of "The Benefits from Sunday School Attendance," and Mr. Rowan talked of "The Progressiveness of Piedmont North Carolina," pointing out what has been done in this section of the country religiously as well as industrially and agriculturally, and urging the class members to exert greater efforts for Christian work in the future.  
The sumptuous picnic supper was one of the most attractive features. Fried chicken, ham, eggs, sandwiches, and other delicacies were offered in abundance.

**Party For Miss Selater**

Misses Virginia and Annie Smoot were hostesses at three tables of bridge on Thursday evening complimentary to Miss Carolina Selater, of Richmond, Va., a guest here of Miss Elizabeth Black.  
After play refreshments were served. Those playing in addition to the hostesses and the honor guests were: Misses Elizabeth Black, Adelle and Mary Pfister, Pemberton, Margaret Virginia Ervin, Lucy Richmond, Lenz, Rebecca Dayvauld, Miss Gibbs and Miss Gazelle.

**Y. P. C. U. Enjoys Picnic**

Members of the Y. P. C. U. of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church enjoyed a picnic held Thursday afternoon and evening at Cox's Mill. A majority of the members of the society were present.  
A sumptuous supper was served, after which toasted marshmallows and watermelons were enjoyed. Various games were played during the evening, and the event proved one of unusual pleasure and interest for those present.

**Fuller-Marr**

Wedding invitations as follows have been received here:  
Mr. and Mrs. James Marr request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Frances Cecyle  
to  
Mr. William Washington Fuller on Tuesday morning the eighteenth of September at eleven o'clock  
Saint Stephen's Episcopal Church Oxford, North Carolina

**Raiford-Matthews**

Invitations as follows have been received by friends in Concord:  
Mr. and Mrs. Zachaeus Erastus Matthews request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Margaret Clute  
to  
Mr. Claude Excell Raiford on Saturday evening the fifteenth of September at half after seven o'clock  
Baptist Church  
Clinton, North Carolina

**Music Recital**

A varied and very interesting program of music was given Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cook, on South Spring street, by the pupils of Miss Ida Mizzora Blume. The following program was given:  
Piano duet: "Salute to the Colors"—Warren—Nola Barrier and Miss Blume.  
Piano solo: "Robin Waltz"—Morrison Blackwelder.  
Piano solo: "The Floral Parade"—Martin—Velga Drye.  
Piano duet: "Golden Star (Waltz)"—Streabogg—Nola and Gladys Barrier.  
Piano solo: "Contentment" (waltz)—Martin—Ruby Drye.  
Piano solo: "The Meadow Brook"—Martin—Viola Carter.  
Piano solo: "Bluebird"—Schiller—Gladys Barrier.  
Piano duet: (a) "March Militaire"—Streabogg; (b) "Through Field and Forest"—Vogel—Viola Carter.  
Cornet solo: "Home Sweet Home"—Karl Blackwelder.  
Piano solo and Song: "The Birdies"

**Miss Watts' Surprise Party**

On last Thursday evening Miss Lena Watts, in her charming manner, gave in honor of her sister, Miss Hettie, a surprise birthday party from 7:30 to 11:30 o'clock.  
Many interesting games were played, after which delicious cake, ice cream, and lemonade was served in abundance.  
Those enjoying the party were Misses Bessie Allan, Thelma Suther, Mamie Clayton, Annie Lee, Louise Mellin, May and Annie Lee Aycock, Lena, Hettie and Helen Watts; Messrs. Clifford Allan, Charlie Saffir, Art Lyerly, Edgar Clay, Tom Penn Joyner, Frank Walker, John Daniel Suther, Allan, Marvin, Herman, Baxter and Cletus Watts.

**Miss Bradford Again Entertains**

The employees of McLellan's Store once more enjoyed the hospitality of Miss Lena Bradford, on the old farm at Rocky River.  
The crowd left the store at noon and drove out to the farm, where all enjoyed their lunch in the cool shade beneath the trees.  
A pleasant afternoon was had by all and was followed by a delightful supper of fried chicken and everything to go with it.  
There was dancing, games and just a real good time had by all. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. McViney, Mr. and Mrs. Parker, Misses Eva Moore, May Ritchie, Martha Bost, Margie Troutman, Virginia Wilkinson, Virginia Moser, Lela Bradford, Maude Smith, Neal Haywood, Vardie Murph, Yates Bollif, Kenneth Goodman, Grady Bradford, Heath Harrison, Cordelle Miller, Brantes Jalbert, Robert Cline, Archie Snyder, Out-of-town guests were: Miss Irene Parker, and Mr. Edward Parker, of Durham and Mr. Ralph Huntsworth, of Rockingham.

**Family Reunion at Mr. Giles M. Moores**

The children and grand-children of Mrs. Giles M. Moores met at the home of Mrs. Moores, in No. 8 township, Thursday and had a family reunion. There were present on this happy occasion Mr. and Mrs. Dewey W. Moores, and daughter, Madge, of Concord; Mrs. H. L. Cline and daughter, Marguerite, of Spencer; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Moores and daughter, Zada Rose, of Charlotte; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Goodman and sons Ray, Victor and Carey, of Concord, and Miss Lena Moores and Mr. Hugh Moores, and Rev. Jno. B. Moores. Also Mr. C. Boger, the two latter being sisters of Mrs. Moores.  
Dr. C. A. Misener, of Charlotte, a brother of Mrs. Moores was unable to be present on account of professional duties, as was also Mr. Howard C. Spencer, in the employ of the Southern Railway, and was prevented on account of being called to go on duty that morning.

**Birthday Party Given**

Most delightful was the affair last evening when Miss Edna Williams entertained a number of her friends at a birthday party at her home on North Church Street. After the playing of numerous games a voting contest was engaged in for the best looking boy and girl. The winners were Edna Williams and William Suther. The contest was followed by a mock marriage of the winners.  
A delicious ice course was served in the dining room, which was artistically decorated with pink and white.  
The host received a number of useful presents, and the evening was enjoyed by all.  
Those enjoying Miss Williams' hospitality were Misses Irene Childers, Allene Moores, Katherine Linker, Hilliard Tanker, Irene Suther, Hazel Rogers, Grace Dellinger, Pearl Cook, Hilda Cook, Edna Taylor, Janie Collett, and Mae Hatley; Messrs. Jerry Potts, Glenn and Virgil Rollins, Herman Misener, Marvin Wingate, Leonard Suther, William Suther, Brown and Kennitt Morgan, Joe Nye, Ernest and Ee Hanes, and Willie Gray.

**Pythian Musical and Reception**

Several hundred Pythians, with their wives and lady friends, were present last evening at the musical and reception given in their lodge room. Short and spicy talks were made by Messrs. J. C. Fink, Buford Blackwelder, and F. C. Niblock on various phases of Pythianism. Mr. A. F. Hartsell made an interesting talk about the Pythian Home, after which he introduced three children from the home, who are visiting their grand-mother here, Mrs. McGraw. They were Masters James and George and Miss Elmetta Little. Miss Elmetta captivated her audience with a recitation, after which Mr. Hartsell announced that she had been adopted by the Rocky Mount Lodge and would be given a full course at college.  
Miss Elizabeth Blackwelder also gave an interesting reading.  
The musical numbers were thoroughly enjoyed. Miss Dorothy Wolfe played Bacharach's Prelude No. 2. Mr. Sam Goodman sang "Homing" and a negro spirituelle. Misses Adeline and Mary Morrison charmed the audience with several duets. Miss Mary Hiller, of Jacksonville, Fla., made a decided hit with her singing of Nusetta's waltz song and several encore numbers.  
Mr. C. Blackwelder acted as master of ceremonies.

**First Meeting of Woman's Club**

The first meeting of the Woman's Club will be held at Central Graded School on Thursday, October 4th, at 4 p. m. The departments for the year are as follows:  
Mrs. J. B. Womble, chairman of Music Department.  
Miss Margaret Bell, chairman of the Fine Arts Department. This department includes the study of art and literature. A lecture on paintings of the masters will be given under the Fine Arts Department, and plays of the drama in the Literary Department.  
Miss Rosa Mudd, chairman of Citizenship, will hold her class as she did last year.  
Miss Mary Spurgeon, of Economics, will have a new program of special interest this year in the study of a course called "Planning and Furnishing a Home."  
The recent resignation of Mrs. L. D. Coltrane calls for a new chairman of the Welfare Department. The election will be made at the first meeting of the club

**W. Morrison and B. E. Harris spent Sunday at Cleveland Springs.**

Mr. Roy Bost has gone to Richmond, Va., where he will enter the Smithdeal business College.  
Mrs. W. D. Taylor, of Bessemer, Ala., Mr. W. K. Pelzer, of Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Moore, of Montgomery, and Mrs. D. H. Foster, of New Orleans, are the guests here of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Cannon.

**Mr. John G. Parks and son, Charles, left Sunday morning in their car for Black Mountain.**

Mr. Ernest Hicks will leave tonight for Asheville, where he will spend several days attending the meeting of the American Pharmaceutical Association.  
Mr. and Mrs. Chase E. Lambeth and little son, Harvey, are guests at the home of Mrs. Lambeth's mother, Mr. J. W. Cannon, Sr.

**Mrs. J. S. Carr, Jr., and daughter Margaret Louise, of Durham, are guests of Mrs. J. W. Cannon.**

Mr. and Mrs. Price Doyle, of Maryville, Mo., have arrived in the city and are making their home with Mr. J. A. Kennet, on Grove street. Mr. Doyle comes to take charge of the music in the public schools of the city.  
Mooreville Enterprise: Miss Ada White left Monday for Concord and Rocky River, where she will spend a vacation of several weeks.  
Mrs. A. J. Dayvault and daughter, Miss Virginia, spent Monday in Mooreville the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Turner.

**Messrs. C. S. Smart and W. M. Sherman left Friday morning for Black Mountain and Asheville, respectively.**

Mr. C. W. Byrd and Mr. R. P. Gibson will spend the week-end in Black Mountain with Mrs. Byrd and Mrs. Gibson, who will accompany them home Sunday afternoon.  
Mr. Ray Cline, of the Parks-Belk Co., who is enjoying a vacation this week, has been visiting relatives and friends in townships Nos. 6 and 7.  
Messrs. Jones Yorke and Bill Morris are spending several days in Raleigh.

**Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caton, of New York City, arrived in Concord Friday to spend some time with Mr. Caton's mother, Mrs. W. C. J. Caton.**

Mr. F. J. Haywood is spending the week-end in Black Mountain. His family will return to Concord with him next Tuesday, after spending the summer at Black Mountain.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Moore are visiting at the home of Mrs. Everett F. Mull, of Morganton.

**Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Norman and family have returned from their camping trip to the Chattooga river valley in the mountains of North Georgia and the Sapphire country in western North Carolina.**

Mr. Frank Misener, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Misener, of McGill street, left this morning for Raleigh where he will enter the State College.  
Mr. John M. Oglesby spent Thursday in Laurinburg on business.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Foil of Mt. Pleasant, were guests last Friday evening of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hicks.

**Miss Martha Barringer left Saturday morning for Newman, Georgia, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. M. Crowe for about ten days.**

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Joyner are spending the week end in York, South Carolina with friends.  
Mr. P. B. Fetzer has returned from a two weeks trip to western North Carolina.  
Mrs. James L. Brown has returned from Lake Junaluska where she has been spending several weeks.  
Mrs. Cora Williams, of Newton, is the guest of Mrs. Clarence H. Barrier on Kerr Street.

**Mrs. W. H. Scarborough and Capt John A. Lisk, of Mt. Gilboa, and Mr. John A. Scarborough of Wadesboro were guests of friends here Friday.**

Mr. John W. Propost has returned from a trip of several days to western North Carolina.  
Miss Lillian Morris and Mr. Zeb Morris, Jr., attended the Black Cat Club dance at the Charlotte Country Club on Friday evening.  
Mr. A. B. Pounds, Miss Emily Pounds and Mr. Carl Pounce left Friday for Washington where they will spend several days.  
Mr. R. K. Black returned last Friday from a trip to Northern markets where he has been purchasing goods for the Parks-Belk Company.

**Miss Ruth Crowell has returned from western North Carolina where she has been spending the summer.**

Misses Dorothy Black and Eleanor Crowell have returned home from Camp Yanahossee, where they have been spending several weeks.  
Miss Josephine Moore, of Gastonia, is the week end guest of Miss Mary Donnell Smoot.  
Mrs. J. E. Smoot is spending the week end in Salisbury with relatives.  
Miss Helen Moore, of Kannapolis, is the guest of Miss Hillard Linker for several days.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Maulden have returned from a ten days' trip spent in various parts of the North Carolina mountains.  
Misses Ruth Overcash, Della Green and Ethel Robinson left Friday night for

**Washington, Baltimore and other northern cities, to spend about a week.**

Mr. Gillon Fisher has gone to Richmond to enter the Smithdeal Business College.  
Misses Theo, Morrison and Sadie Morrison are spending the week-end in Salisbury with Miss Virginia Simpson.  
Mrs. J. F. Hurley has returned to Salisbury, after spending a week here with Mrs. Richmond Reed.  
Mr. and Mrs. I. I. Davis and daughter, Misses Betsy and Minnie Hill, returned Friday from a two weeks visit to Morganton.

**BUSINESS TO REMAIN GOOD**

This is the belief of Belk Buyer, Just Back from Northern Trip.  
Charlotte News.  
Business prospects for the fall months, as reflected by that usually accepted barometer, the number of merchants from all parts of the country assembled in New York for the buying of fall goods are good according to B. Frank Matthews of Belk Brothers department store who has just returned from New York.  
Mr. Matthews and sixty other buyers from the 32 Belk department stores and W. H. Belk, head of the Belk system, were in New York at the same time.

There is no frantic rush for fall goods on the part of merchants who were in New York during the past two weeks to lay in their fall stocks of goods but the buying is steady. Mr. Matthews said. Merchants from the west and Middle West showed more hesitancy about buying than merchants from other parts of the country, probably because a partial failure of the grain crop in that part of the country makes conditions there somewhat more depressing than they are in other parts of the country, he said.

"Although there was a disposition on the part of buyers to use discrimination and not to rush in to buying goods without careful consideration, there was a great deal of buying and my impression was that the buyers were all optimists as the the business outlook for the coming season.  
In this part of the country there has been a notable continuance of business activity during the summer months. For example in the months of July and August, which are usually very dull months, the tide of business has remained good. As to the outlook for the fall months I am distinctly an optimist."

**DEATH ON YESTERDAY OF JOHN McINNIS**

Was Oldest Mason in Concord.—Funeral Services Held This Afternoon.  
John McInnis, well known citizen of Concord for many years, died here yesterday morning about 7 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs. S. A. Perkins, on Kerr street. He had been ill for some time.  
Funeral services were held this afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Perkins, and interment was made in Oakwood cemetery.

Mr. McInnis was 76 years of age and was engaged in business here for many years. He was the oldest Mason in Concord, having joined that organization as soon as he became 21 years of age. Lodge No. 32 A. F. & A. M. had charge of the funeral services.  
Surviving are five children and a number of grand-children. The children are: Mrs. Will White, of Salisbury; John C. McInnis, of this city; Mrs. R. L. Gaddy, of Roanoke Rapids; and Mrs. R. H. Cook and Mrs. Perkins, of this city. The grand-children are: Mrs. Will Harris, Cincinnati; Mrs. Paul Hamick, Richmond; Mrs. Denny Smith, Salisbury; Sam. Frank and Fay Perkins, of this city; Aniel, Mary, John E. and Grace McInnis, of this city; Edgar White, of Salisbury; Craig, Bryant and Gilbert Gaddy, of Roanoke Rapids.

The deceased was a member of McKinnon Presbyterian Church.  
Eight hundred thousand ladybugs valued at \$5,000 were recently distributed to the orchardists of the Rogue River Valley, Oregon. They are to be used to clear the orchards of scale and aphids.  
Gossip in Minneapolis has it that the Cleveland Indians would like to obtain Carl East, the veteran outfielder and former pitcher now with the Millers.

**AMERICAN LABORER BETTER OFF THAN ANY OTHER**

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first time in our history, called the vice president into the councils of the executive branch of the government, and Calvin Coolidge comes to his task knowing in detail the problems which confront him. He has been from the first, part and part of the administrative machinery of the government, and he has constantly during his more than two of service as vice president.

America will find in him not alone brain and conscience to lead, but a kindly heart to help. He will be a true friend of the American workman, for he has known hard work all his life. He will follow no wild phantasies in search for the millennium, no will-of-the-wisp of thoughtless experiment. He will move forward step by step, guided by the light of progress, by experience and by studious reasoning. He preaches the gospel of the square deal, and in whatever lies before him he can be depended upon to be just fair and kindly.

**Luther League to Entertain**

The Luther League of St. James Lutheran Church will entertain the congregation on Tuesday night in honor of the new members and of the boys and girls who are leaving for school. A live, snappy program is being worked out, one that will be enjoyed by a person of any temperament and age. Miss Nina Norman and Mr. Sam Goodman will furnish special music. Every member and friend will find a most hearty welcome and a most enjoyable evening. The reception will be held on the church and parsonage lawn.

**Famous Picture September 7th.**

Mr. J. L. Burgess, of the State Agricultural Department, will be the principal speaker at the farmers picnic to be held on Thursday, September 6th, at Poplar Grove. The public is invited to attend the picnic, and enjoy the fine program which has been arranged. Mr. Burgess will speak at 11 o'clock and other speakers will be heard during the day.

Woodrow Wilson recently wrote, "Capitalists have often seemed to regard the men whom they used as mere instruments of profit, whose physical and mental powers it was legitimate to exploit with as slight cost to themselves as possible, either of money or of sympathy."  
A difficult job requires a somebody; an easy job, an anybody.

**NEGROES LURED NORTH FLOCKING HOME AGAIN**

Employment Officials Having Appeals From Many Who Went Away Cold Weather in the North.  
Many of the negroes who went flocking North at the beginning of the season are flocking home again at the present time. They are arriving back in employment bureaus here to help them find jobs.  
The local bureau could have placed 20 negroes last week, according to P. Pearson, assistant manager of the office and in charge of it during the summer vacation of Manager W. Vanuse. There are still many vacancies from this class of labor which are being placed with negroes on the side of Charlotte.

In spite of the lateness of the season, there are still calls for labor in the North Carolina mountain region, which are having the most successful year in their history, it is said.  
The local employment officials believe there will be in a few weeks a wholesale migration of negroes back South with promises of many other jobs that have not been realized here. The negroes from the South arrived at their northern destination, Charlotte, to get their share of this returning migration and the prospect of there being no shortage of labor for this vicinity during the fall and winter months.  
A firm in London makes a business of supplying dog attendants, who are called upon by society women to take their pets for an airing in the park.

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