

Society News

LITTLE BROWN DOG.

By Marie Sprague.
He was a brown mutt, with nose black as coal,
And a tail that curled up and around—
With beady black eyes, that could not disguise
Their love for each playmate he found.

He played with the cat with never a spat,
Chasing her up and down through the hall;
When she'd show her claws, he'd just tick her paws—
Happy-go-lucky—that's all!

But late yesterday I laid him away—
He was poisoned by some brutal hand;
How such an end could come to man's best friend
Is something I can't understand.

The cat's plaintive meow is all I hear now,
And gone is her once playful strut;
She's missing their fun—Tin missing the one
And only little brown shaggy mutt.

Visit to Wellons

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Reid, of Winston-Salem, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Weldon.

To Oak Ridge

T. H. Weldon, Jr., returned to Oak Ridge Military Institute last evening after spending several days with his parents at Epsom.

Visit in Durham

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Richards and children went to Durham Sunday to spend the day with Mrs. Richards' sister, Miss Lillian Minor.

At Washington Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Clayton, A. D. Parker and Miss Helen Stone have returned from Washington, D. C., where they attended the wedding of David T. Clayton and Miss Fay Heard.

Visit Minors

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Minor Sunday included Mrs. Baymond and little Elsie Falkner, of Durham; Mr. and Mrs. Richard of Nightdale; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Minor and family; and J. W. Carron.

Week-End in Columbia

Mrs. A. H. Cheatham and Mr. R. G. S. Davis spent last weekend in Columbia, S. C., where A. H. Cheatham, Jr., and John W. Davis are assistant cadets of the Navy Flight Preparatory School of the University of South Carolina.

P-T-A Meeting

Zeta Gamma P-T-A will hold its regular monthly meeting in the school auditorium Thursday, October 13, at 8 p. m. Mrs. Clara Mae Ayers will speak to the evening with "Juvenile Delinquency" as her subject. All parents are urged to be present.

Band Boosters Meet

A meeting of the Band Boosters will be held Wednesday evening, October 13, at 7:30 o'clock in room 101 of High school. A cordial invitation is extended to the marching members of our band. All regular members to be present at this meeting, and it is hoped that there will be a good attendance. W. T. Headrick, director of the band, will place before the members plans for the year's work.



Birth of Son

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ruggan announce the birth of a son, Jerry Wayne Ruggan, at Marine Hospital hospital on Friday, October 3.

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Epsom Lodge Has Barbecue Supper

John H. Mills Lodge of Epsom entertained their wives and the members of Wellons chapter O.E.S. at a barbecue supper on Friday evening. Nearly a hundred were present to enjoy the occasion.

Following the supper the group went to the Masonic hall where W. J. Bowen, master of the lodge, presided. After the singing of "America" by the group and prayer by H. A. Falkner, Mr. Bowen recognized James Rogers, master of the Henderson lodge, and Mrs. Nellie D. Bridgworth, matron of Wellons chapter. Both responded with appropriate messages. Other visitors from Louisville and Henderson made short talks. Mr. Rooker, of Warrenton district deputy grand master, was presented and made a speech on obligations telling of the Masonic and Eastern Star home at Greensboro and the Masonic orphanage at Oxford. J. Edward Allen, also of Warrenton, past grand master and past grand patron of the O.E.S., spoke of the relationship of the Masons and Eastern Star from the Biblical standpoint. His talk was both interesting and instructive.

An offering was taken for the Oxford orphanage and also for a family who lost their home recently by fire.

Girl Scouting Needs Discussed at Meet

On October 10 a small group met informally to discuss the need of Girl Scouting in Vance county and the means by which they could assist in this program.

The fact was brought out that according to surveys made in the latest of Scouting a conservative estimate of the number of girls in Vance county who would like to be Girl Scouts if given the opportunity is approximately 1,000. Even to partially meet this challenge requires much adult leadership.

The group decided to attend the Boy Scout leadership training course to be held in the Presbyterian church, beginning October 19, and to which the public is invited.

Mrs. Joel Cheatham, a member of the personnel committee of the Girl Scout council, was present.

A meeting will be called in the near future for organizing a group to assist the Girl Scout council in furthering Scouting in Vance county.

Mission Group of New Bethel Meets

The New Bethel Woman's Missionary Society met Sunday evening with Mrs. Ralph Starback and Mrs. Garner Brexter. Mrs. W. J. Bowen, the president, gave the devotions and prayer was led by Mrs. George Ayers.

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Business Girls in Meeting on Monday

The Business Girls circle of the First Baptist church met in the home of Mrs. Graham Wheeler on Monday night with Mrs. Vernon Perry and Mrs. Mildred Hughes as assistant hostesses.

The meeting was called to order by Miss Hattie Frank Mills, chairman, and twenty members answered to roll call. The treasurer and personal service chairman gave reports on collections made and the amount on hand.

After the business session the meeting was turned over to Miss Athene Perry, who led the program on "Witnesses of the Word". The discussions were conducted by Miss Louise Nelson. Discussions on the topic were given by Mrs. Douglas Pierpoint, Mrs. Richard Davis, Mrs. James Early, Mrs. Robert Boyd, and Miss Dorothy Woodfill.

The program was in charge of Billy Mitchell.

At Hi-Y Meeting

Dr. L. H. Hegle gave a very interesting talk before the members of the Hi-Y club at their regular weekly meeting Monday evening. He discussed the medical corps in relation to the fighting front.

Morton Miles led the devotional program. Prof. S. M. Crowder presented the group a Bible gift of a former president Billy Daniel.

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Tri-County Union To Be Held Friday Evening in Oxford

The quarterly meeting of the Tri-County Baraca-Philathaea Union will be held in Oxford Friday night of this week, at seven o'clock at the Woman's Club building, according to notice from B. D. Dunn, of Oxford, in charge of arrangements. The group consists of affiliated Bible class workers in the three counties of Vance, Granville and Warren. Each class is to make a report at the meeting on its activities.

The sessions of the union are held in rotation between Henderson, Oxford and Warrenton each three months. The program was not received here.

Tickets may be had from Mrs. Marvin Davis at Davis' store up to noon Wednesday. It is expected that a large delegation will attend from Baraca and Philathaea classes of the First Baptist church and other churches of the city and county.

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Transferred to Portland.

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Club Night Friday At West End Club

Club Night will be observed at West End County Club Friday evening from 9 to 12 o'clock, at which time members of the club and their out-of-town guests will assemble for an evening's pleasure and entertainment.

This feature of the club has proved to be very popular since it was begun in the early summer, and it is hoped that a large number of members will attend Friday evening.

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