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Society

Miss Amy Sellers was hostess yesterday afternoon to the Entre Nous Club. After a pleasant hour the hostess served delicious sandwiches and hot chocolate.

Entertains Junior Musicians

The Vivo Music Club was entertained Saturday afternoon by Master Glen Eink at his home near Lenoir College, a full attendance being reported. The children gave recitations, sang and played solos without notes and otherwise had a merry time. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Entertain

Mrs. E. Bryan Jones won the ladies' prize and Mr. Hugh S. D'Anna the gentlemen's prize last evening when Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Henderson entertained the members of the Owl club and several others. Five tables were arranged for cards. A delicious salad course was served after the game. Mr. and Mrs. Henderson's guests were Mr. and Mrs. James C. Shuford, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lyerly, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh S. D'Anna, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bryan Jones, Mr. and Mrs. A. Shuford, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Walker Lyerly, Mrs. Bascom Blackwelder, Mrs. H. C. Menzies, Mrs. C. M. Sherrill, Mr. W. X. Reid, Mr. R. E. Martin, Captain T. A. Mott.

A Birthday Party

Little Eva, the invalid daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Craig, on yesterday, March 26, 1917, at their home on Eighth street, from 3:30 to 6:00 p. m., celebrated her eleventh birthday.

Twenty-four of her little neighbors and friends invited, were present. They were: Marie and Rose Allen, Gladys, Margaret and Julia Heffner, Ila and Moreen Starnes, Ruby Lytle, Josie Cline, Mary, Ruth and Grace Miller, Catharine and Johnnie Eckard, Catherine and Johnnie Regan, Hilda Locke, Willie Click, Christine Shell, Mary Joy, and Stewart, Georgia and Sadie Isenhower.

Little Eva received many nice presents. And for her amusement the children played many games out in the yard, they sang and played the piano for her. They were then invited to the dining room where delicious refreshments were served, such as ice cream, four kinds of cake, pickles, candies, apples and bananas. The dining room was tastefully decorated with potted plants and beautiful flowers.

Besides the children, the following neighbors were present: Mrs. W. C. Shell, Mrs. J. F. Click, Mrs. Dan Miller, and Mrs. John Regan.

It was indeed a delightful occasion. All enjoyed it, but little Eva was the happiest one in the group. On taking their leave, every one leaving went to their little invalid hostess, and wished her many more happy birthdays.

WEST HICKORY ITEMS

West Hickory, March 27.—The West Hickory Band went to East Hickory Saturday to play for the Buchanan land sale.

Messrs. Ben Berry and Green Matherly have bought out Mr. Will Talbot's restaurant and the firm is now Berry and Matherly.

Mr. James Hartzoe is having a nice new dwelling house built on the lot where his house was burned several months ago. Mr. Will Shook is doing the work.

Mrs. Wiley Jones was taken to the Richard Baker hospital last Friday for an operation. She is getting along fine and will be able to return home in a few days.

Mr. G. W. Branch, after working at the Ivey mill a few days returned to Brookford.

Messrs. Claud and Baxter Griffin of Charlotte were here several days the past week attending the burial of their father, Rev. J. W. Griffin.

Mr. Oje Mace of Morganton was here Saturday and Sunday visiting his brother, Mr. Bryant Mace.

Mrs. D. C. Leonard and daughter Lillian of Charlotte are spending several days with Mr. Leonard's father-in-law and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Leonard.

Mrs. Alex Butler is very sick at present.

Mr. Joe Mace of Morganton was here from Brookford one day last week.

Mrs. B. T. Huffman and wife of Danville are visiting the family of Mr. J. P. Huffman. T. J. L.

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OLYMPIC GAMES IN TOKIO MAY 8

(By the Associated Press) Tien-Tsin.—Twenty-five Chinese athletes will participate in the Far Eastern Olympic games to be held in Tokio on May 8. The participants are to be selected at a final meet to be held Tien-tsin about April 25. Teams from Tsing Hua college the institution at Peking established with the Bixer indemnity refunded to China by the United States government, Peiyang University at Tien-tsin, Pekin university and St. John's University at Shanghai, will compete in the final trial.

CHINA TO TAKE OVER COPPER MINES

(By Associated Press.) Yunnanfu, Yunnan Province, China.—General Tang, the military governor of Yunnan province, has been instructed by the ministry of agriculture and commerce to take over the copper mines at Tunchuan, that the government may develop them to meet the urgent needs of the country. In 1916 these mines produced more than seven thousand tons of copper.

CHURCHILL APPOINTED ON NEW COMMITTEE

(By Associated Press) London, March 27.—Winston Churchill, former first lord of the admiralty, has been made chairman of a war office committee to systematize the promotion of officers as between the new and old British armies.

EXPERT ESTIMATE OF CZAR

By One Who Had Opportunity for Studying the Deposed Monarch Andrew D. White in His Autobiography.

I was told by a person who had known him intimately from his childhood, that, though courteous, his main characteristics was an absolute indifference to most persons and things about him, and that he never showed a spark of ambition of any sort. This was confirmed by what I afterward saw of him at court. He seemed to stand about listlessly, speaking in a good-natured way to this or that person when it was easier than not to do so, but on the whole indifferent to all which went on about him.

One of the best judges in Europe, who had many opportunities to observe him closely, said to me, "He knows nothing of his empire or of his people; he never goes out of his house, if he can help it."

What I had seen of Emperor Nicholas during my stay in Russia had not encouraged me to expect that he would have the breadth of view or the strength of purpose to carry out the vast reforms which thinking men hoped for. I recalled our conversation at my reception as minister, when to my amazement, he showed himself entirely ignorant of the starving conditions of the peasantry throughout large districts in the very heart of the empire.

That he was a kindly man, wishing in a languid way the good of his country, could not be doubted, but the indifference to everything about him evident in all his actions, his lack of force even in the simplest efforts for the improvement of his people, and, above all, his yielding to the worst elements in his treatment of the Baltic provinces and Finland, did not encourage me to believe that he would lead a movement against the enormous power of the military party in his vast empire.

Mr. W. A. Self will address the Woman's Club next Friday afternoon at 3:30 on the subject of "The Starving Conditions of the Peasantry throughout large districts in the very heart of the empire."

"POLLY PUT THE KETTLE ON"

The Pastime management is offering a pretty little program this afternoon and night with "Polly Put the Kettle On," a Red Feather feature in five acts, featuring Douglas Gerrard and Ruth Clifford. The story is builded about the old song of the same name. It is beautiful and well portrayed by these Red Feather stars.

Her father a dreamer, her mother dead, Polly is the "little mother" to her young brothers and sisters, who look to her for their daily bread. Scarcely more than a child herself, she aids them until there is no more tea, no more jam and no winter clothes for the nevertheless happy little brood.

An advertisement in a daily paper furnishes Polly an inspiration, as one of her little sisters recounts to the other, the story of a good fairy, and Polly, sitting at the kitchen table, dreams of a good womanly woman who advertises for a "companion to read to me."

Fancy her distress when she meets terrible Aunt Johanna, a spinster who has suffered from an early love's blighting. But, sweetly, uncomplainingly, she enters upon her new duties, only asking that she be permitted to go home at tea time "to put the kettle on," permission for which is reluctantly granted.

It is such a story as touches the sympathetic chords of the heart, and at the same time builds a love of romance of the kind that this little girl finds in life. It is a picture that should prove very pleasing, indeed.

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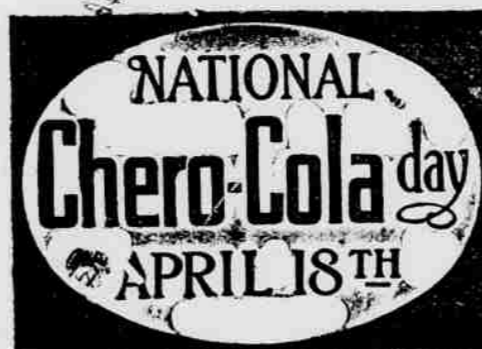
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