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Next Week Ought to be Too

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ORGANIZE FED- ERATED CLUB

MISS JULIA DAMERON HEAD
OF NEW ORGANIZATION

Plans Programs of Civic, Educa-
tional, and Social Progress;
Mrs. Waddill and Mrs. Brodie,
of Henderson, Organize Club.

Mrs. W. B. Waddill and Mrs. J. H.
Brodie, of Henderson, were in the
city Friday afternoon and at the home
of Miss Amma D. Graham addressed
a good number of Warrenton people
upon the work of Federated Women's
Clubs.

Following instructive talks twenty-
eight Warrenton women pledged mem-
bership to the Club and elected the fol-
lowing officers: Miss Julia Dameron,
president, Mrs. J. E. Rooker, vice-
president, Mrs. W. A. Connell, second
vice-president, Mrs. Howard F. Jones
and Miss Daphne Carraway, record-
ing secretaries, and Mrs. W. D. Rod-
gers, Jr., corresponding secretary and
treasurer.

The Executive committee of the
Club is to meet the middle of this week
to determine the lines of activity in
which it will work, and it is under-
stood that departments of Home Econ-
omics, Civic betterment, Social Ser-
vice, Literature, Education and Music
will be created. The departments rec-
ommended will be submitted to the
members of the Club at the general
meeting the coming Friday afternoon
at 4 o'clock at the home of Miss Amma
Graham. Upon this occasion the gen-
eral policy of the club will be adopted.

It is expected that the District meet-
ing of the Federated clubs which
meets in Oxford Thursday will have
representatives of this new club pres-
ent as delegates and among those men-
tioned are Miss Julia Dameron, Mrs.
W. R. Strickland, Mrs. Howard F.
Jones, Miss Annie Lee Rankin and
others.

The sphere of the Club is verdant
with possibilities and as is pointed
out, with its corps of efficient officers
and the live membership which will be
increased to include all women of the
town it will prove a vital factor in
social progress, education and civic
betterment.

Let's Hope So.

Mrs. C.—I wonder where in the
world the alarm clock has gone! I
saw it on the mantel yesterday.

Mr. C.—It was there yesterday, but
I heard it going off this morning.

Mrs. C.—Well, I hope it hasn't gone
where you told it to go.

In Memory Mrs. Lizzie W. Lewis

We recently had additional proof of
the old saying, "The whole world is
kin," when a venerable and saintly
woman, who had only lived with us a
few months heard the voice of the
King, whose servant she was; and
passed over to join the great company
of the blood-washed in our Father's
house. The announcement of her de-
parture provoked thoughts of sympa-
thy and tenderness in the hearts of
our people; and was followed, with-
standing a storm was raging at the
time, to her last earthly resting place
by a large company of sympathetic
friends and neighbors.

Mrs. Lewis was a daughter of Rich-
ard J. and Emily Walker. She was
born in Fredericksburg, Va., March
27th, 1845, and entered into rest
March 4th, 1919; and at the time of
her death was in the seventy-fourth
year of her age.

In November 1865 she was received
into the fellowship of the Second Bap-
tist Church of Richmond, Va.

On Oct. 28, 1886, she was united by
marriage to Captain James W. Lewis,
of Halifax County, Va. In 1872 she
moved to Milton, N. C., where she liv-
ed for many years, and made many
friends. She was a devout and conse-
crated christian and was faithful to
her church and Sunday school.

She left to mourn their loss one
daughter, Mrs. R. B. Davis, one grand-
child, two sisters, and six step-children
to whom she faithfully filled a moth-
er's place.

T. J. TAYLOR.

Pledges War War Fund Due

Durham, March 24.—In Warren
County the sum of \$9,823.91 was raised
for the boys in the service during
the United War Work Campaign. Of
this amount there remains \$537.10 yet
to be collected, according to a report
from Mr. J. Edward Allen, treasurer
for Warren county.

Of the 100 counties of the state, 16
already have reported 100 per cent.
collections. Others are nearing a per-
fect score and increased efforts are be-
ing made this month to collect as
much as possible of the outstanding
pledges. All counties are reporting
rapid progress and it is hoped that
the percentage of collections in the
State of North Carolina will exceed
other states of the Southeast.

Those who subscribed to the Cam-
paign should remember that this
money is a direct gift to the boys,
providing the home comforts and ser-
vice, recreation, education, wholesome
amusement, all amid a Christian at-
mosphere of service and help. We
have no less an authority than General
March that the American army will
not be reduced below half a million
men. At the present time the wel-
fare agencies are serving more men
in uniform than was the case when
the United War Work drive was made.
The period of demobilization cannot
be allowed to become one of demoral-
ization and the work of the welfare
agencies at this time is best able to
meet the existing conditions of unrest
and impatience. The war is over, but
the boys are not all home, and further-
more it will be a long time before they
are all back, and now is when they
need the influence of the welfare
agencies more than ever before.

Items of Interest From Creek Sec.

March breezes loud and shrill,
Stirs the dancing daffodil.

Mr. Morgton Gupton, of Henderson,
was in our community last week.

Our boys are returning from France
now. We hope they will all be home
soon.

Little Miss Frances Robinson is
spending the week with her grand
parents.

Lieut. A. B. Paschall, of Manson,
spent Sunday with his parents Mr.
and Mrs. R. D. Paschall.

Mr. O. C. King and family spent
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clark Mus-
tian, of Wise.

Mr. Walter Lambert made a busi-
ness trip to Goldleaf, Va., Tuesday.

Miss Myrtis, Alice and Lottie Pas-
chall spent the week-end with Miss
Myrtle Hayes, of Norlina.

Mrs. R. D. Paschall and daughter,
Miss Ollie, Misses Pattie Lambert and
O. J. Grissom spent Monday night in
Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Lambert and son
Mr. Perkins Lambert, and Mrs. C. N.
Robinson visited their parents Mr. and
Mrs. B. P. Lambert Sunday.

Misses Vera and Edith Hicks and
Josephine Murphy; Messrs. Leonard
Hicks, Clarence Hicks and Clarence
Edwards were pleasant visitors to
Miss Eula Paschall Sunday.

"SMILES".

MICKIE SAYS

DAUBIN' SIGNS ON FENCES,
AN' BARN AN' SIDEWALKS
MAY HAVE BEEN CONSIDERED
ADVERTISING FORE THEY WUZ
ANY NEWSPAPERS, BUT THEY'S
NO EXCUSE FER SUCH STUNTS
ANY MORE, WITH THIS HERE
GREAT FAMILY JOURNAL
COMIN' OUT REGLAR!
HEY, BOSS?

MICKIE! ARE
YOU TRYING
TO WORK ME
FOR A RAISE?



Wins the French Croix de Guerre

Lieut. Sam Palmer, Warrenton-
ian, Awarded Medal For Dis-
tinguished Conduct in Action
Last October.

COLS. JOHN AND MARION BATTLE RECOMMENDED.

Writing from Wallendorf, a short-
distant from Coblenz, First Lieuten-
ant Sam Arrington Palmer with the
15th Field Artillery, second division,
Army of Occupation along the Rhine
in a letter to his grandmother Mrs.
Hannah Arrington, one of Warren-
ton's most beloved citizens, inserts the
following most interesting paragraph
in an altogether interesting letter:

"I know you will be glad to hear
that I have been awarded a Croix de
guerre—the French War Cross, you
know. Notice was received today and
within the next week or so I will have
it pinned on by the commanding gen-
eral of the Division. I wrote you, I
think, that I had been recommended
for it for the Champagne fighting in
October. It was for work with the
infantry as Artillery Liaison officer
during that attack, and it is very nice
to have it tho' I saw many others do
things that deserve for more recogni-
tion than anything I have done and
lots of them went unnoticed. That's
the only bad part about decorations."

This information brings joy to the
people of this section and reflects
honor upon the county and the old
home town. Lieut. Palmer is well
known here and in Virginia where he
graduated in law from the State Uni-
versity. At the time of the outbreak
of the war, he was practicing law in
Petersburg. He gave this up to at-
tend the Officers' Training Camp at
Fort Myer and anxious to receive his
commission he went to Washington
and took the examination as well as
at Fort Myer. He passed both and
was commissioned a second lieuten-
ant in artillery. On December 22nd
of this year, he sailed for France
landing there among the first hundred
thousand of that barrier of nerve, bone
and sinew which later stemmed the
tide of Prussianism at Chateau-
Thierry and drove on until the world
was made safe by the victories of St.
Mihiel, Rheims and the Argonne in
all of which battles he was destined to
figure.

Arriving in France early in 1918
he was sent to the artillery school of
the French at Saumur on the Loire
river, later he was transferred to a
school for intensive training near
Paris and finally to Limoges where
the last training was instilled before
facing the enemy. He was assigned
to the second division, 15th Field Ar-
tillery, U. S. Regulars, just prior to
stemming the waves of Germany in-
fantry sweeping toward Paris and at
which time the offensive was wrested
from the hands of the Imperial staff
by the superior strategy of Marshall
Foch and the backbone of the Ameri-
can forces at Chateau Thierry never
to be regained. This marked the
turning point of the Allied cause.

It has been said by Major General
John A. Lejeune, U. S. M. C., that "to
be able to say when the war is finish-
ed, I belonged to the second division,
I fought with it at the battle of Blanc
Mont Ridge, will be the highest honor
that can come to any man." General
Pershing has also warmly commended
the division or its untiring devotion
to duty and its excellence under fire.
The division fought almost steadily
from July 19th to the signing of the
armistice and has won as well as the
plaudits of the American commanders
the esteem and love of the French
whose territory they nobly defended
and bravely redeemed.

Lieut. Palmer was last fall promot-
ed to the rank of first Lieutenant in
his unit of the second division. It
was while serving as Lieutenant with
the Infantry that he won this much
prized Croix de Guerre. He was
transferred to this branch of the ser-
vice, presumably because of the lack
of officers, and here he acquitted him-
self honorably. He went over the top

in several charges and the decoration
speaks of the manner in which he ac-
quitted himself. The Warrenton boy
speaks of Col. Marion Battle being
near him as commander of a detach-
ment of heavy artillery. Col. Battle
is also an old Warrenton boy, who has
been in the regular army for years.
He mentions also that Lt. in Aviation
William Palmer, son of Mr. and Mrs.
Horace Palmer, of Bennettsville, S. C.,
but a Warrenton boy by birth, was also
near him. Lieut. Wm. Palmer is a
member of the famous 94th Aero
Squadron and had four planes to his
credit when the armistice was signed.

In this connection the information
which has just come to light is of in-
terest that both Col. Marion and Col.
John S. Battle, former Warrentonians
and students at the Graham school
years ago, were recommended for gen-
eralship just prior to the close of the
war.

The fine spirit of the men of old
Warren has stood the test well and
especially grand is that typified by
Lieut. Palmer who volunteered early,
felt the justice of the cause, fought
nobly and hard and gives honor to
his county, his home and his name in
the greatest cause for which men have
ever engaged.

Manson News Items in Brief.

The family of Mr. L. O. Reavis at-
tended services at Flat Rock Sunday.

Mrs. W. B. Brack returned Monday
from a pleasant visit to her parents
at Franklinton.

Mr. Maurice Kimball made a busi-
ness trip to Henderson this week.

Mrs. Mary R. Miller is now on a
visit to her children in Raleigh.

Misses Lois and Myrtis Paschall
were among the visitors from Drewery
to our town a few days ago.

Miss Lorena Hayes spent the week-
end in Raleigh.

Mrs. S. G. Champion spent a day of
last week in Henderson.

Mrs. Orville Adams and Miss Agnes
Adams, of Richmond, are pleasant vis-
itors in town.

Miss Carrie Seaman and little Miss
Lelia Hayes, who have been in Rale-
igh for the past several days, are ex-
pected home this week.

Mrs. S. G. Champion, Martha
Fleming and J. W. Dowling visited
friends near Drewery Wednesday of
last week.

Miss Mary Paschall, of Richmond
is the guest of Miss Elinor Brack.

Oud Sunday School will be reorgan-
ized the first Sunday in April. We
are hoping to have a large attendance.

Mr. Van Dorch spent Sunday with
his people at Drewery.

We were glad to see Mr. F. C. Pin-
nell, of Afton, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. J. T. Champion and Mrs. Macon
Rooker spent a day recently with
friends at Oine.

Mrs. and Mrs. Arthur Stegall are
rejoicing over the arrival of a little
daughter.

We are glad to know that the
family of Mr. John Seaman, who have
been quite sick, are improving.

Mr. L. O. Reavis made a business
trip to Richmond some days ago.

Misses Mamie and Thelma Brack
spent a few days recently with their
brother Mr. Walter Brack at Durham.

Mr. Osborn Clark and family, of
Henderson, have moved to our town,
and are living on the B. F. Williams
farm.

Mystery.

"What did Rastus git married for?"
"Lawd only knows, chile. He keeps
right on working."—Boston Transcript

LOYD WOOD AND OTHERS



The above picture shows "Hickory"
Wood, formerly of Warrenton, with
three fellow soldiers, all members of
H. Company, 120 Old Hickory Division
now reported en route home. We re-
gret that our informant didn't give us
the other boys—see if you can recog-
nize them.

Mass Meeting Court House

A number of ladies and gentlemen
met in the Court House here last Fri-
day night to formulate plans for the
entertainment of the soldiers and sail-
ors of Warrenton county.

The entire spirit of the meeting vi-
brated with the desire to give a rous-
ing and loving welcome of apprecia-
tion of our men who have dared and
done. The flowing committee was
appointed, after much discussion, to
formulate plans and study the mode
of entertainment desired: W. Brodie
Jones, Miss Julia Dameron, Miss
Amma D. Graham, T. D. Peck and H.
N. Walters. This committee has ap-
pointed a township representative
from each township, and a meeting is
to be held here Saturday morning for
a general discussion of this subject.

The welcome is to be made the
greatest thing ever witnessed here
and is to be county wide and further
is to extend to those men of H. company
from Halifax who were with the local
organization over there.

Township chairmen are being noti-
fied and results are expected from the
meeting Saturday.

Local News Items From Arcola Sec.

Rev. C. A. Jones filled his regular
appointment here Sunday. A splendid
congregation was out to hear him.

Our teachers attended the Teacher's
meeting in Warrenton Saturday.

Misses Myrtle Duke, Hattie and Ethel
King have returned from Hollister
where they visited relatives and
friends and attended the meeting dur-
ing the week.

Miss Maud King spent Wednesday
night with Miss Emma Duke.

Miss Alma Scull, a Louisburg Col-
lege Student, visited her people here
during the week-end.

County Demonstrator J. W. Bason
was here Friday in the interest of his
work. He will meet with the Farmers'
Union at their next meeting which will
be Saturday before the 1st Sunday.

Mrs. Sterling Harris visited her sis-
ter, Mrs. Rome Neal here Friday.

In recent letters from Arcola boys
overseas we are glad to report all well,
in fine spirits and hoping to return to
the Homeland at an early date.

Misses Harriet and Mary Wills have
returned to their home after a pleas-
ant visit in the home of Mr. Joe Hun-
ter.

Mr. Sam King has returned to his
home to farm.

Miss Lizzie Warren and brother,
Billie, recently visited relatives here.

Miss Hattie King returned recently
from an extended visit to Miss Mary
Tharrington near Rocky Mount.

The Bright Jewels held their month-
ly meeting at the school building
Thursday, which was interesting under
the leadership of Miss Buford Hunter.

The school children gave an enjoy-
able exercise Friday afternoon which
was very well attended by patrons.

"If a woman doesn't own a mirror
she has lost all interest in life."

ENGLISH FAVOR THE LEAGUE

CLEARLY POINTS THAT ALL
NATIONS LOOK TO U. S.

World's Future Prosperity and
Happiness Depends Upon For-
mation of Covenant Between
Nations To Guarantee Peace.

London, March 20.—(British Wire-
less Service).—The league of nations
controversy in the United States as
bearing upon the English attitude is
the subject of the following comment
in the London Times:

"The English, without distinction of
party, regard a better understanding
that so many of us on both sides of
with Americans as the crowa of vic-
tory. It is unfortunate for the ideal
that so many of us on both sides of
the Atlantic have at heart that party
feeling should be running so high just
now in America and that we, who are
working with President Wilson in
Paris, should furnish the sticks with
which the Republicans are belaboring
the Democrats.

"We have no wish to take sides in
these party controversies and have
been at some pains to avoid even the
suspicion of doing so. Our sole wish
is to work with the American people
in what we believe to be as much
their ideal and interests as our own.

"Wishing that, with whom should
we work but the President of the
United States? That he is also
leader of the Democratic party is a
mere accident to our mind and if the
President had been a Republican we
should have been at exactly the same
pains to understand his point of view
and work with him."

Mediator and Interpreter.
The Times points out there were at
the opening of the conference two gen-
eral views about the kind of peace
that the world ought to have—the
French view and the American view
and adds:

"No views of settlement were so
closely identified with this country as
those two were with France and Ameri-
ca. The chief instrument of the
American view was the league of na-
tions. This ideal is in one form or
another almost as old as international
law and nearly every country in the
world has at one time or another con-
tributed to it, but its application to
the problems of this war came from
America in the first instance.

"There is therefore no question at
the conference of our imposing a pol-
icy of our own. What we have done
to seek to reconcile so far as possible
the French and American views.

"Our policy at Paris has been that
of mediator and interpreter."
League's Effect on Monroe Doctrine.

The Liverpool Post says:
"Lord Robert Cecil places the Mon-
roe doctrine in its true light with
regard to the league of nations. He
says in effect that so far from the
league being the death blow to the
capital article of American political
faith it is the application of that ar-
ticle on a universal scale.

"According to the draft of the cove-
nant, the parties to the league under-
take "to respect and preserve as
against external aggression the ter-
ritorial independence of every mem-
ber of the league. The most absolute
supporter of Monroeism could surely
desire no more than that.

"The independence of both Ameri-
cas is guaranteed by an overwhelming
majority of the powers, great and
small. The league of nations will give
America her rightful place in the van
of the forces of civilization that
henceforth are to shape the larger
purposes of our race."

We'll Fly Over!
Ain't a-goin' to study
'Bout the trouble and the loss;
Old Tribulation
Is a mighty bad boss!
Never goin' to worry
When the river is to cross—
We'll all fly over in the airship!
With the joy or the trouble
It's a slip an' a toss,
But we hope, in the life-race,
That we'll play the winnin' hoos;
If he balks for a minute
When the river is to cross,
We'll all fly over in the airship!
—Atlanta Constitution.