

SOCIETY

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Spring

She comes in her beauty bright,
The streamlets make haste to flow,
Spring comes with her rare delight!

Oh! stars, from your mystic height
Look down on the world below;
She comes in her beauty bright!

She steals through the silent night,
Her eyes with life are aglow—
Spring comes with her rare delight.

She gleams with her blossoms white,
And her step is soft and slow—
She comes in her beauty bright

The world awakens in its might
At the kiss she doth bestow—
Spring comes with her rare delight!

A vision that seems so slight,
The breath is hushed, least it go—
She comes in her beauty bright!
Oh, Spring! and Oh! Spring's de-
light!

—Clara Ophelia Bland.

Miss Annie Lee Best, of Warsaw, who has been visiting Miss Berta Cox, left yesterday for a visit with relatives at Laurinburg.

Mrs. J. B. Ward, of Darlington, S. C., is the guest of her sisters, Mrs. W. H. Andrews and Mrs. W. P. McLaughlan.

Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Grantham returned to their home at Lumberton yesterday, after a pleasant visit with friends here and Southport.

Mrs. W. C. Bigford, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. L. E. Warren, has returned to her home at East Arcadia.

Mrs. A. Taylor, who has been visiting relatives at Byrdsville, en route to her home in Hamlet.

Mrs. L. Southerland, Mrs. F. P. Powers and Misses Lila and Lizzie Reade, all of Wallace, spent yesterday in the city, shopping.

Miss Ella McCarley is spending some time with her grandmother, Mrs. E. G. Register, at Columbia, S. C.

Members of St. Agnes Guild will hold their annual spring sale tomorrow in the Housewives' League rest room, beginning at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. W. J. Murray, of Wallace, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. G. Pyner, of Charlotte, passed through the city yesterday, en route home.

Mrs. S. W. Hemby and daughter, Constance, who have been visiting relatives at Verona and Wilmington, left yesterday afternoon for Waycross, Ga.

Mrs. J. E. Shannon, who recently underwent an operation at the Tankersley-Harper sanatorium, is recovering. This will be gratifying news to her many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Carr and children, of Causey, S. C., passed through Wilmington yesterday, en route to Teachey, where they will make their home.

Mrs. R. H. Buckelew and son, Reginald, left yesterday afternoon for a visit to Mrs. Buckelew's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Sampson, at Thomasville, Ga.

Mrs. C. L. Chesson and son, Andrew Long, who have been visiting Mrs. Chesson's sister, Mrs. Pigford, 310 Church street, have returned to their home at New Bern.

Mrs. Inez Daniel, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. P. McLaughlan, left for Whiteville yesterday, where she will visit her sister, before returning to her home at Darlington, S. C.

and cream together. Add beaten egg and milk. Add the sifted dry ingredients and the raisins. Pour into a shallow greased pan and bake about 20 minutes.

AT WINTER PARK SCHOOL.
The senior class of the Winter Park school will give an interesting program at the schoolhouse, Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. The parents and friends of the school are urged to attend and are assured of a nice time.

MEETING TOMORROW NIGHT.
South Wilmington and Sunset Park will hold a joint patriotic meeting tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the South Wilmington schoolhouse. The meeting will be held in the interest of war savings societies, and Mr. W. A. McGirt will be the principal speaker for the evening. War savings societies will be organized among the men and women. The ladies will serve war time bread and cake. All interested are urged to attend.

RED CROSS BULLETIN.

The public is cordially invited to come and inspect our Red Cross work room. It is quite worth a trip to the Murchison Bank Building to see the business like aspect of the workers, all dressed in white with the white veils.

Our attendance has increased since the stricter regulations regarding silence and the wearing of veils and aprons went into effect; and all workers seem inspired to a more serious devotion to the work. Every woman—old or young, rich or poor—is invited to come and work with us if only for an hour—every minute counts, and no matter if your clothes are old or new the white apron covers all and protects both the surgical dressings and your own dress.

The Red Cross knows no class or creed, and all are welcome who wish to serve.
Report of the work room: Attendance, 343; wipes, 2x2, 730; Compresses, 100; paper back pads, 29; oakum pads, 20; wipes, 4x4, 5,244.

Falcon Red Cross Unit: A wonderful box was sent in by the Falcon Unit and the work represented is greatly appreciated by the chapter. The box contained: 98 pillows; 97 pillow cases; 90 abdominal bandages; 20 "T" bandages; 35 shirts; 6 pajamas. St. John's Unit: 6 aprons.

Winter Park Unit: 26 pairs bed socks; 2 bed shirts; 5 napkins. Carolina Place Unit: 19 Shirts; 2 wrappers; 2 spreads; 11 pillow cases.

The following donations are very gratefully received: Magazines for the fort, sent in by the following ladies, Mrs. Theo. Empie, Mrs. J. B. Rice, Miss M. Hatch, Mrs. Lena Goldman, Mrs. M. L. Bolles, Miss Josephine Smith, Mrs. W. H. Sprunt, Mrs. John Rankin, 1 knitted wipe; Miss Kraft, 1 knitted square; Mrs. J. B. Rice, old linen and sweater donated; a friend, 1 pair socks donated; Mrs. Walter Sprunt, 2 sweaters donated; Mrs. John Yates, donated 1 sweater; Mrs. Graham Kenan, donated 20 skeins of wool; Miss Solomon, 1 sweater and pair wristlets; Mrs. J. D. Smith, wrapping material; Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Lippitt, \$200; Red Cross banks on work room tables, \$4.46; Mrs. Lina Goodman, \$2; Mr. I. M. Savage, \$1; Mr. Isham Black, \$1; Mrs. Brock, 25c; Mrs. J. D. Smith, \$1; A donation, 60c; a friend, register; Mr. Huttaff, twine.

Report of Knitting Chairman.
Miss N. Northam's Unit: Mrs. L. A. Blue, sweater; Mrs. E. C. Craft, helmet; Miss N. Northam, helmet; Mrs. N. Northam, helmet donated.
Mrs. Richard Meares' Unit: Mrs. Kate Maffit, 1 pair socks; Mrs. James Sears, 1 pair socks; Miss Mary Meares, helmet.

Mrs. A. C. Kenly's Unit: Miss Nan Humphrey, sweater.
Mrs. E. Baltzer's Unit: Mrs. E. C. Shepard, 2 pair socks.
Miss Hester Struthers' Unit, Cerro Gordo, N. C.: Mrs. J. W. Griffin, 3 pair socks; Mrs. J. L. Williamson, 4 pair socks; Mrs. W. P. Williamson, 4 pair socks; Miss Tillie Yates, 2 pair socks; Mrs. J. H. Williamson, 1 pair socks.

Mrs. Geo. Thomas, 2 pair socks donated; Mrs. W. C. Thompson, Bristol, Maine, 7 pair socks; Miss L. Haile 3 pair socks donated; Miss Vaughn, 1 pair socks; Mrs. John Hardin, sweater donated; Miss Perkins, sweater; Miss W. Gregg, sweater; Mrs. W. A. Wright, 1 pair socks. Mrs. J. Solky, helmet; Mrs. W. J. Hardin, sweater.

Hearing in Goldsoll Case.
Washington, D. C., March 19.—Charged with the embezzlement of French government in dealings with



Have You A Suit that looks the part for Easter?

Men often overlook the importance of this "Dress-Up Occasion," and when they find themselves in company with and in contrast to the freshly fashionably dressed lady-of-their-choice, on Easter Sunday, they discover that their clothing is a bit "seedy" and that it doesn't give just that feeling of satisfaction which belongs to the well dressed man.

If you haven't prepared yourself with an Easter suit, you'd better see us now. Our stock is full of smart looking, value giving suits that are sure to please. Come in today and look them over. You'll be under no obligation to buy.

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| How Many Thrift Stamps Today? | Belk-Williams Co. | How Many Thrift Stamps Today? |
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American motor truck manufacturers, Frank J. Goldsoll, wealthy retired French soldier, is to have a hearing in court today in the extradition proceedings in his case. Goldsoll is accused by the French government of having appropriated to his own use huge commissions on war contracts which he was sent to the United States to execute for his government.

AFTER EFFECTS OF MEASLES

Mother, Who Lives in Tennessee Mounts Where Black-Draught is Relied On in Many Troubles, Says it Made Her Boy Sound and Well.

Coal Creek, Tenn.—Up in the mountains, quite some distance from town, lives Mrs. U. S. Fritts, who relates her experience with Theford's Black-Draught as follows:
"My little boy, James, took sick with diarrhea, about five years ago, and was badly swollen. He had the measles and this was, no doubt, an after-effect. I made him well by giving him Theford's Black-Draught. I gave it to him three times a day for a month. I firmly believe it saved his life.

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Over There and Over Here

Over there on the fighting front, and behind the lines, the telephone is as indispensable as it is here at home.

Over there troops are moved and battles fought, the movements of the enemy reported and supplies and munitions brought up by means of telephone communication.

Over here more than 12,000 long-line operators have been specially trained for Government service, and the Government at Washington keeps in close touch with every phase of war preparation and directs the work of a vast number of industries upon which the success of our armies will depend.

Over there and over here the great war captains and the captains of industry depend upon telephone communication to carry out their plans successfully.

The Bell System is devoting all its great resources to the end that the work of preparing our armies for battle and of sustaining them in the field, shall go on systematically and efficiently, so that over here and over there, there may be coordinated and sustained effort which alone will bring the final victory.

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