



Social Activities



Birthday Party
James Stallings, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stallings, gave a birthday and Halloween party Friday evening at the offices of the Southern Gas Improvement Company on South Pointexter street. Halloween decorations were used. Games were played and candy, cream and cakes, in Halloween colors, were served.

Lucky Thirteen Club
Miss Dorothy Hicks entertained the Lucky Thirteen Club Saturday evening at the home of her aunt, Mrs. E. S. Chessen, Jr., on West Church street, at a delightful Halloween party. The Halloween idea was carried out in the decorations, and in the refreshments which were goblin sandwiches and pineapples with pimento eyes, nose and mouth. Games were played and fortune telling was enjoyed. The guests were: Misses Suzanne M. Dick, Margaret Winder, Ruth Lane, Renée Williams, Ruth Ferebee, Sarah Dillon and Augusta Walker, Mary Louise White, Clara Thompson, Glenn Glover, Pauline Dean and Dora Wells.

Birthday Surprise
A birthday surprise party was given E. W. Cox at his home, City Route Five, Tuesday evening in honor of his forty-fourth birthday by friends and relatives. Many useful gifts were received and delicious refreshments were served.

Personals
Mrs. Claudia Lamb has returned from Newport News, where she spent two weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Zubank. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Zubank who will be her guest for several days.

Mrs. Calvin H. Twiddy returned Tuesday from Cape Charles, Virginia, where she was the guest of her mother, Mrs. W. J. Warren, and Philadelphia, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Harry Condon. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Warren, who will be her guest for several days.

J. C. Perry of Willoughby Beach is visiting his brother, W. M. Perry, 308 North Road street.

Mrs. Frank Weeks spent Friday in Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Gilbert and Mrs. William Bartlett have returned from New York City, where Mr. Gilbert has been purchasing new goods for his stores for the last week.

Mrs. Flossie Baum of Norfolk has accepted a position with Pritchard's Beauty Parlor here.

Mrs. Jarvis Seelye, Sr., is visiting relatives in Norfolk and Newport News.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Galther motored to Norfolk Wednesday to see "The Student Prince" at the Academy.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sawyer of Okisko Saturday, October 31, a son.

Edward Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hughes, is ill at his home on West Main street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bell, November 2, a daughter, Nitalia Louise.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kramer and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Plumer motored to Norfolk Wednesday to see "The Student Prince" at the Academy.

Mrs. Miles Scott of Weeksville was the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. J. White, Tuesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Alex Armstrong, 212 Pearl street, Wednesday, October 28, a son.

Hold-Up Men Specialize Now On Petting Parties

By BEN G. KLINE
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San Francisco, Nov. 5.—This is the day of specialization, and San Francisco hold-up men, ever on the alert for some new source of revenue are just now specializing in raids on petting parties. Just as Uncle Sam doesn't scorn to collect income taxes from men of small means, and chain stores reap rich harvests from small purchases, so the hold-up men are finding it profitable to collect the surplus cash on hand from modest young men who take their lady loves out for an evening's ride and park with dimmed lights in a secluded section of the highway. Some fishermen prefer to catch a large number of small fry rather than work hard for the possibility of landing a big one. Sunday night the victims were found in wooded nooks in the Presidio, an army reservation where parking as well as sparking at night is prohibited. A search by a police shot squad after nearly a dozen couples had

been held up failed to reveal the motorized and armed hold-up artists. This was so successful that on Monday night it was repeated on Twin Peaks Boulevard, where city motorists drive in the evening for a panoramic view of the lighted city. Fourteen cars, either parked by the roadside, or proceeding slowly up the steep incline, were victimized in quick succession. A dollar forty-five, here, a watch and 10 or 12 dollars there, with keys confiscated and thrown away to make the victims helpless—then a clash with some stubborn customer several shots, a police alarm and a speedy getaway.

Whether vigorous youth will rise up and fight for freedom for petting or the police will manage to check this newest outbreak of crime is hard to say, but anxious mothers are finding little consolation in this new development which adds to the hazards of daughter's evening joy rides and petting parties.

When every square foot of this mountain park tract, which covers approximately 649 square miles, has been photographed from Lieutenant Williams' airplane, the negatives will be developed, and the pictures so fitted that they will make an immense topographic picture of the proposed national park.

Lieutenant Williams has been at work about five weeks, but the favorable days for his task have been few and far between. It is necessary for his purposes that the air be free from fog and smoke, although it is possible by means of intricate photographic devices to penetrate the haze that is so common in the mountains. The most favorable time of day to obtain satisfactory pictures, which are taken from a level of 12,500 feet above the earth, is between 9:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. (eastern standard time).

Both Lieutenant Williams, who pilots the airplane, and his aide, Sergeant Sam Houston, who takes the photographs, wear parachutes strapped to their backs while in the plane, and are prepared to leap for their lives if the engine should fail while they are flying over the rough and heavily timbered confines of the park. It has not yet been necessary for them to use these extreme devices. Once, however, while flying

PIETRO LA VERDI AT WEEKSVILLE

Musician, Artist and Humorist Presents Program Friday Night

Weeksville, Nov. 5.—The Piedmont Lyceum Bureau will present Pietro La Verdi on Friday evening at eight o'clock at the Weeksville High School auditorium. Mr. La Verdi, "the man of many talents," is a musician of rare accomplishment, it is said. With a violin bow he performs an old hand saw with as much ease as upon the piano accordion. He is also a lightning crayon artist and a ventriloquist and in the latter role he makes an especial appeal to the young people. His dialect songs are varied and humorous.

This is the first of a series of entertainments under the auspices of the local lyceum committee.

high over one of the mountain peaks, the gasoline supply was accidentally shut off, and the engine stalled. Just as the pilot was about to give the command to leap, he relates, the engine started.

Conditions for airplane photography are best, Lieutenant Williams says, on clear, cold days, because in more temperate weather clouds form so near the earth that the visibility is greatly impaired. At an altitude of 12,500 feet, even on mild days, it becomes bitterly cold, and on one occasion this fall the oil spattering from the engine froze on Sergeant Houston's camera.

Lieutenant Williams was assigned to the task of mapping the confines of the Great Smoky Mountains proposed national park after he had completed an airplane map of the Shenandoah National Park in Virginia, which, it is planned, will be a sister park of the one in the Great Smokies.

The assignment was made by the War Department, at the request of the Federal park commission, appointed by Secretary of Interior Work, to define the boundaries of the Great Smokies park. Once the boundaries were photographed, Lieutenant Williams was authorized to continue his work and map the interior. This is the task on which he is now occupied, and which he will complete as rapidly as the weather allows.

BEGIN RAISING FUND FOR PARK

Two Organizations Working for Money to Set Aside National Park in Western North Carolina

Asheville, Nov. 5.—With the two state organizations whose purpose is the creation of a national park in the Great Smoky Mountains working hand in hand, a campaign for funds for the purchase of the park are under way in North Carolina and Tennessee. The organizations, the North Carolina Park Commission, headed by State Senator Mark Squires, of Lenoir, and the Great Smoky Mountain Conservation Association of Tennessee, are jointly at work to raise one million dollars to acquire this park area, which a Federal commission has found worthy of setting aside as one of the two great national parks in the eastern part of the United States.

Active work toward raising this fund, which will be in the nature of popular subscription, will begin in North Carolina later in November. Headquarters for the campaign have already been opened in rooms of the Asheville Chamber of Commerce.

The sponsors of the movement decided to press their efforts for the establishment of a Great Smoky Mountains national park when it was shown that unless the mountain ridges of Eastern Tennessee were soon set aside for park purposes, the timber interests owning the land would begin logging operations in the virgin forests in this region.

Clear weather is all that is needed to insure the completion of the great task of photographing from an airplane of the lengths and breadth of the proposed Great Smoky Mountains National Park in Western North Carolina and Eastern Tennessee.

Charles L. Williams, United States Army aviator, who has completed the photographing of

the boundaries of the park area, is at work on the photographic mapping of the interior of the park. At least nine more days of clear, and for his purpose, cold weather is needed to finish his work.

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SEEKING SOLACE FOR A 'BRUISED' HEART WHICH FOLLOWED THE BREAKING OFF OF HER ENGAGEMENT, MRS. TWEED'S NICE HAS DRIPPED IN FOR A PROLONGED VISIT.

WE JUST COULDN'T GET ALONG TOGETHER—HE NEVER DANCED OR BOUGHT ME CANDY OR FLOWERS AND WHENEVER WE WENT OUT TOGETHER HE MADE ME RIDE ON THE STREET CAR INSTEAD OF HIRING A TAXI.

YOU EXPECT TOO MUCH OF A FELLOW WHEN I WAS COURTING YOUR AUNT SHE NEVER WANTED SUCH LAVISH THINGS—HOWEVER, I DID BUY HER SUN DROPS NOW AND THEN.

AND HE WAS A BRUTE IN HIS WAYS—HE USED TO SCOLD ME TERRIBLY IF I LOOKED AT ANOTHER MAN—HE HAD NO COMPASSION FOR MY TENDER FEELINGS.

WELL, I'M GLAD TO KNOW HE WAS A MAN INSTEAD OF A CAKE EATING SHEEP.

Be Careful What You Say, Henry

BY TAYLOR

TEN DOLLARS A WEEK—HE WAS A SODA FOUNTAIN CLERK.

YE GOOS! I THOUGHT YOU'D HAVE MORE SENSE THAN TO GO WITH A DUMB BELL LIKE THAT!

I'LL HAVE YOU UNDERSTAND HE'S NO DUMB BELL—IT'S REMARKABLE THE WAY HE CAN PLAY A UKELELE AND HE WRITES THE MOST ROMANTIC LOVE LETTERS—YOU'VE GOT A LOT OF NERVE TO CALL HIM A DUMB BELL.