75 Attend District Music Club Meeting

The eleventh annual meeting of the western district of the North Carolina Federation of Music clubs, was held on Thursday in the First Baptist church here as all day session. Mrs. Grover Dykes, of Sylva, district director, presided over the morning meeting and Mrs. Walter C. Johnson, of Weaverville, district counselor, in the afternoon. The local adult and junior music clubs were hostesses of the day.

Around seventy-five persons, from towns from the following towns, were in attendance: Rutherfordton, Union Mills, Asheville, Bryson City, Hendersonville, Sylva, Cullowhee, Weaverville, and Morganton, with a large number of state chairmen and other officials from a distance.

The principal address of the day was made by Mrs. J. S. Carrell, of Raleigh, state president of the music federation, who told of the work of the state and of the high standing North Carolina has in the national organization.

For the opening session invocation was given by the Rev. H. W. Baucom, pastor of the church. Mrs. Robert H. Stretcher, president of the Waynesville Music Club, extended a welcome and the response was made by Mrs. Forrest B. Wood, president of the Bel Canto Club, of Asheville.

Reports of the various clubs were given by the presidents. The following distinguished guests were introduced and spoke briefly: Mrs. Cora Coxe Lucas, of Greensboro, national board member and chairman of library extension; Mrs. Norman Wills, of Greensboro, honorary president and state chairman of the McDowell Fund; Mrs. W. H. Davis, of Asheville, state treasurer; Mrs. H. M. McAllister, of Lumberton, chairman of competitive festivals.

Mrs. Charles Gulley, of Western Carolina Teachers College, state chairman of public school music, Mrs. E. R. Butler, of Lumberton, state chairman of the national magazine; Mrs. J. J. Schilthuis, of Enka, chairman of artists bureau, Mrs. Katheryn Goggans, of Charlotte, state junior chairman, and Mrs. Hugh A. Love, state chairman of religious music.

At intervals the program was featurned by the musical numbers of great merit.

Mrs. W. H. Davis lead the discussion of the feasibility of all the clubs joining with the Asheville groups in the entertainment of the state convention. After a lengthy discussion it was decided to take the matter up with the individual clubs, at their first fall meetings. A motion was made to release the college and student clubs from any financial support of the convention.

Following luncheon served in the adjoining Welch Memorial Sunday school building, the juniors had charge of the program. Invocation was given by Dr. R. P. Walker, pastor of the Presbyterian church. Marion Morgan, president of the local junior club, presided and gave welcome to which Ray Reiger, of Hendersonville, responded. Others on the propram from Waynesville included Jane Wyche and Bebe Medford.

The following courtesies committee gave their report at the close of the session, chairman Mrs. Reuben Roberson, of Asheville, Mrs. George Wing, Jr., of Hendersonville, and Mrs. Charles Gulley.

The flowers for the auditorium, which were magnificent specimen dahlias, in shades of yellow, bronze and red, were donated by J. B. Ivey and W. T. Shelton.

HERE *and* THERE

By Hilda Way Gwyn

I don't wonder that poets burst forth in song and poetry in the spring and the fall . . . even those of us who deal in plain speech find ourselves struggling with sentiments . . . that are too big for our prosaic expression . . . at this season when we get our first breath of crystalline weather . . . and we have cool mornings . . . with everything drenched in the heavy dews of autumn . . . and the house in the evening suddenly seems the most inviting place . . . we have encountered in months . . . and the crickets are singing their swan song . . and "mellow fruitfulness" lies upon the land . . . it must be a queer individual . . . who does not feel the homeing instincts astirring . . . (the creatures of nature do) . . and the thought of winter ahead makes us feel a bit nearer to the four walls we call home.

You note that Mr. Daniels says he felt at home in France on his recent pilgrimage . . . . I believe that Josephus Daniels would have felt at home in France . . . even if he had not met so many North Carolinians . . anyone who has walked and talked with the great of this earth and the powers that be . . and has likewise mingled with the lowly . with the ease and grace that Mr. Daniels has . would feel at home anywhere . . . and also make others feel that way . . for he possesses that rare gift of perfect comradship . . . that puts all his relations with others on a friendly basis . . . that has nothing to do with race, creed, color, position or station. . . . .

Even with the flower shows and their exhibits here for many years . . . and with numerous persons in town who arrange flowers with such artistry . . . I have never seen a more beautiful blending of the colors of flowers with their surroundings than the large arrangement sent by J. B. Ivey to the Baptist church for the district music meeting here on Saturday. . . To say that the effect was perfect is, indeed, no exaggeration . . . the flowers covered the table in front of the pulpit . . they were yellow, bronze, and red, of all types of dahlias . . . they caught the light from the large chandelier, almost directly above them . . . and were bathed in the soft glow that came through the stained glass windows . . . and the background of the mellow oak woodwork of the church . . all contributed to make the effect a glowing, living thing. . . .

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Briefs . . we honor at this time Debrayda Fisher Liner . . . who was presented to the court last week, having been admitted to the state bar in August . . . when she was introduced by Claude Love, her teacher, he said, "She has one of the best minds I have taught in 21 years of teaching law . . . Martha Mock says there is no justice . . . the very idea of Caroline Miller not being content with winning the Pulitzer prize . . . then seeking further laurels . . . and winning Clyde Ray as a husband . . . my deepest sympathy to the little two-year-old who lost his mother on our Main Street Saturday. . . .

Mrs. J. Howel Way telling of the distinct honor she recently had in an invitation to ride with the widows of three congressmen, Mrs. W. T. Crawford, Mrs. Charles R. Thomas, and Mrs. Ed Pou. . and the car was driven by the son of the first, Captain Harry Crawford . . . overheard at the music meet here . . . "isn't that Mrs. Stretcher, president of the Waynesville club, the most capable person? . . and isn't she pretty? . . if all the school cafeterias are up to that of East Waynesville, the mothers need not worry about food . . . Oak Ridge Military Academy must be a splendid school to send a boy . . . Henry Tuttle writes that it is the dullest place he ever saw . . . . "there is nothing to do but study." . . .

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Norwood Robeson, of Newport News, Va., announce the birth of a son, Linton Burnett, on September the 23rd. The young arrival is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Robeson. His parents have often visited here.

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Mrs. Anna V. Thomas and Mrs. Edith A. Sutton, of Miami, who have occupied the home of Mrs. Emma Willis on Main street, and who have enjoyed a successful season, leave tomorrow for their home. Mrs. Willis, who has spent the summer with her nieces, Miss Jessie Herren and Mrs. Lucile Foy, will move into her own home, which she will occupy through the late fall season.

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Mr. Frederick Marsh has gone to Deland, Fla., where he will enter Stetson University.

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Mr. Harry Rotha arrived on Saturday from a weeks' business trip to New York.

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Mr. B. S. Marsh, who is located at West Jefferson, joined his family here for a week-end visit.

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Miss Mary McMae, of Rocky Mount, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. T. Huff.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rotha had as their guests during the week, Mr. Derrick Webb, of New York City, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Knight, of Lenoir.

Mrs. Carl Cooper and Mrs. Robert Kelly and children, of Canton, were the guests of Mrs. Lloyd Phillips on Thursday.

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Mr. P. L. Frazier, of Salem, Oregon, who formerly resided in this county, is the guest of his brother, Mr. W. H. Frazier, at his home in the Ratcliff Cove. Mr. Frazier has lived for many years in the West and this is his first visit in sometime to this section.

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Mr. W. R. Burnette, of Flat Rock, is visiting his deaughters, Mrs. M. A. Poteat and Mrs. E. B. McClure.

There are some people in the world who want free food, free clothes, free lodging and everything else free, but they are not as numerous as you might think.

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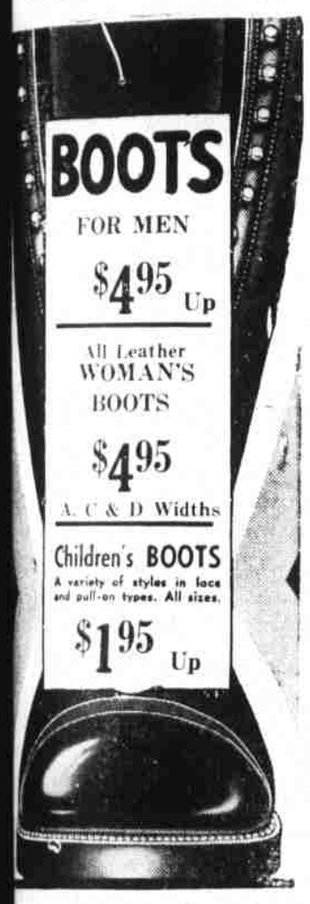

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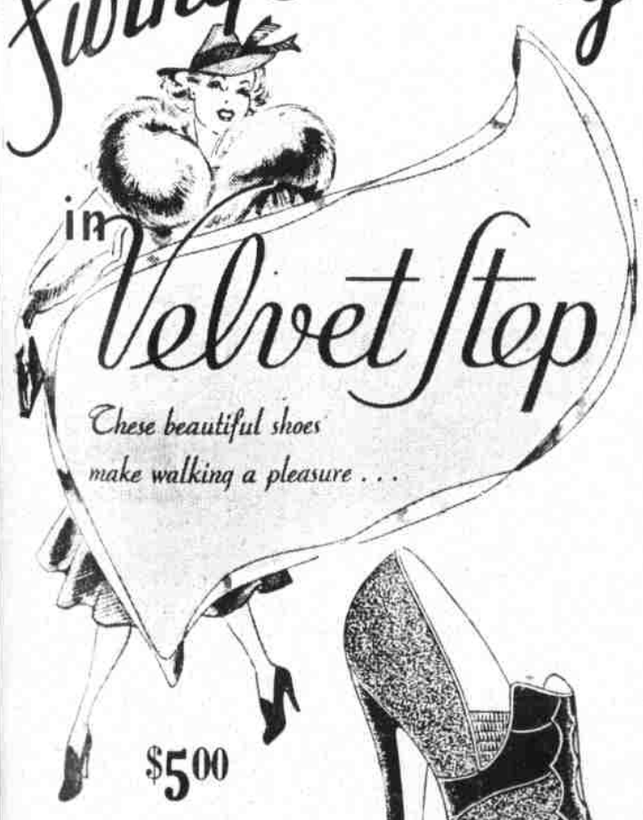

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