

High School Girl Hit With Bullet

Lincoln County News. Miss Mary Hines, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hines, who lives on their farm across Clark's Creek from Lincolnton, had a narrow escape from death about 7:40 o'clock last Saturday morning when she was struck in the right eye by a bullet from 22 calibre rifle. She was carried to the Lincolnton hospital and physicians found the eye ball had been penetrated by the bullet and the sight in that eye destroyed. The bullet, a 22 calibre long, was located two inches behind the eyeball and was removed by the physicians. Miss Mary, who is a pupil in the Lincolnton High School, is reported today as getting along nicely at the hospital.

Where the bullet came from that inflicted the serious injury to Miss Hines is problematical. At the time of the shooting she was in the hallway alone; two smaller children of the family were in another part of the house but Mr. and Mrs. Hines and other children were at the barn. She was walking in the hall the front door and screen being open and was almost in the act of reaching for an umbrella at the end of the hall when the bullet struck her in the eye, and she rushed out in front of the home, crying in pain; the family rushed to her aid and summoning medical aid, began an investigation as to where the bullet came from, but thus far it is all a mystery. Various theories have been advanced, one is that it was a stray bullet from the rifle of some one, possibly in the hands of a boy. The bullet, according to physicians, had spent its force when it struck or it would have gone through the skull and caused instant death. The family and community is distressed by the accident, and while Mr. and Mrs. Hines sorrowfully regret the loss of their daughter's eye, they and the entire community nevertheless are glad that her life is spared and that hopes of recovery are good.

OTEN NURSE IS SEEKING BROTHERS

Cincinnati, April 29.—Clues furnish the chief of police here as to the location of Edgar and Leslie Lail, mysteriously missing residents of Cincinnati, are being investigated tonight at the request of Miss Cora E. Lail, of North Carolina town. Miss Lail, who is a nurse at the United States veteran's hospital at Oteen, directed the police to 530 West Fourth street, this city, but the missing men had temporarily, it stated, left that address and failed to notify relatives. Traces of the men, it is understood, have been found but no police statement in the case will be issued until the probe now being made is completed as the men are supposed to have had considerable cash on their persons when last seen, and certain persons known as acquaintances are under surveillance.

MRS. COLEY'S SISTER DIES AT LINCOLTON HOME

Lincoln County News. Miss Sue Carpenter, age 29 years, died Saturday, April 26, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Carpenter, on Sherrill street, this city, following an illness of long duration. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Carpenter of Lincolnton and two sisters, Mrs. M. P. Coley of Shelby, and Miss Ina Carpenter of Lincolnton.

The funeral services were conducted Sunday at the home of the parents, by Rev. V. C. Ridenhour, assisted by Rev. Walter B. West of this city and Rev. A. L. Stanford of Shelby. The burial was made in Hollybrook cemetery. The pall bearers were Landon Setzer, Wm. McCutchin, Zeb Haynes, Tom Sherrill, J. D. Haynes and Clarence Bost.

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Miss Buena Sperling Weds Mr. Carpenter

Member of Shelby Vulcanizing Plant is Married to Young Lady of Waco.

Special to The Star. A marriage of much interest to their many friends throughout the county was that of Miss Buena Sperling and Mr. Andrew A. Carpenter which was solemnized Friday evening at 8 o'clock April 25th at the home of the bride's parents. Only the intimate members of the two families were present the marriage being a very quiet affair owing to the recent illness of the bride's father.

The home was simply yet beautifully decorated with lilacs, apple blossoms and ferns. To the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding march, played by Miss Blanche Wilson of Shelby the bride and groom entered alone there being no attendants. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. M. Brown pastor of the bride in his quiet and impressive manner.

The bride was handsomely gowned in dark blue satin-faced crepe with tan accessories and carried a shower bouquet of brides roses and valley lilies. Mrs. Carpenter is the third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Sperling and by her personal charm and unflinching good nature has won many friends throughout the county. Mr. Carpenter is the son of Mr and Mrs. J. H. Carpenter and is a prosperous young business man, being connected with the Shelby Vulcanizing Co. After a short bridal tour they will be at the home of the grooms parents Cherryville R-2.

Handsomely engraved announcements have been issued as follows: Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Sperling announce the marriage of their daughter Buena Mae to Mr. Andrew Abernethy Carpenter, Friday night April 25th, nineteen hundred twentyfour, Waco, North Carolina.

Reception By Senior Class Of Rutherford

Rutherford College, April 27.—Annual event the Senior class of this college held its graduating reception last evening. Although the weather was unfavorable the seniors braved the storm and trooped to the Weaver hall dining room in their best attire expecting an interesting and joyful hour.

The program began with an opening address by the president, D. D. Holt, followed by the invocation by Professor Bennett. The first course was then brought forward which was followed by a recitation "My Sister's Beau" by Miss Mary Green. The next number was a vocal solo "A Summer Love Dream" by J. F. Klutz, accompanied by Miss Annie Belle Goode, pianist. During the courses a lively interest was kept up by the toastmaster, Professor Reep. The tables were moved back and a series of live-line games were introduced by the entertainment committee, composed of Miss Dare Wyatt, C. B. Falls, jr., and W. W. Taylor. At a late hour the reception was closed by a song from the girls, then one from the boys.

DENTIST GOES TO ROADS FOR DISORDERLY CONDUCT

Dr. H. D. Stenbridge, of Greensboro and High Point, was convicted in Guilford superior court at Greensboro of drunkenness and disorderly conduct and sentenced to serve six months on the county roads. The conflicts of the dentist with the law have been numerous, since he came here from Virginia about a year ago, his antics while in his cups having caused him to serve part of one sentence on the roads, cut short by commutation on the part of Governor Morrison.

In the good old days, the head of the house could generally be found in the parlor on Sunday. Now, look for him in the garage.

Pay Final Tribute To Dead Tammany Chief

One Hundred Thousand Persons, Rich and Poor Alike, Pass by His Coffin.

One hundred thousand persons, high and low, rich and poor Tuesday paid their final tribute of respects to Chas. F. Murphy, for two decades chieftain of Tammany Hall New York city. Not in many years has the metropolis witnessed a funeral of such magnitude.

The impressive silence of the immense throng was the dominant note. Early in the morning such a crowd had gathered in front of his modest old fashioned home in East 17th street that a hundred policemen were necessary to keep the crowd moving.

For hours there was a steady stream of men, women and children—the majority from the lower East side—into the parlor where the body lay. Laborers, with lunch boxes under their arms, shop girls, silk hatted dignitaries; women in costly clothes knelt for a moment of silent prayer before the coffin.

When the body was taken to stately St. Patrick's cathedral on Fifth avenue, the cortege passed through streets packed with people, with heads bared. Here and there the silence was broken by the sobbing of a woman.

More than 8,000 persons crowded into the cathedral where Bishop John J. Dunn celebrated the impressive solemn high mass of requiem. Outside the edifice, five thousand bowed their heads, while the ceremonies were in progress.

When the services were concluded and the cortege started for Calvary cemetery in Queens, where interment was made, fully 50,000 hushed persons were packed along Fifth avenue. A thousand blue-coats lined the route to the cemetery.

The widow, who for two days had been in bed, prostrated, bore the ordeal bravely. Several times her feet faltered, but relatives assisted her.

Governor Alfred E. Smith, an old time friend of the leader, headed the honorary pall bearers. The governor plainly showed his grief. He was flanked by Mayor John F. Hylan. Other honorary pall bearers included United States Senator Royal S. Copeland; Norman E. Mack, Democratic national committeeman; George E. Brennan, Democratic leader of Illinois; James W. Gerard, former ambassador to Germany; Bernard M. Baruch, William H. Kelley, Democratic leader of Syracuse; Samuel S. Koenig, Republican county chairman; Herbert Bayard Swope, of the New York World; and close political associates of Mr. Murphy.

FIRST BOLL WEEVILS FOUND FOR THE YEAR

The first boll weevils of the year have been found, according to Franklin Sherman, chief in entomology for the experiment station and extension service, who is in receipt of two specimens, one from a correspondent near Fayetteville, the other from the field station at Aerdeen. The first was said to have been taken from the man's back while he was in the field supervising the planting of cotton, the latter was reported to have been found by the workers of the experiment station while they were jarring insects from a peach tree. Fourteen other specimens, thought to have been boll weevils, have been previously received this year, it was stated, but so far these last two were the first real boll weevils.

MISS WILLMETTO FITE WEDS MR. CARPENTER

Special to The Star.

A wedding of much interest and surprise to the people of Cleveland and Rutherford counties was that of Miss Willmetto Fite and Mr. Everett Carpenter, both of Rutherford county.

The wedding was solemnized at the home of the groom's pastor Rev. Mr. Smith of Bostic, on the 23rd of April at 10 o'clock. The bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fite, while the groom is the highly esteemed son of Mr. and Mrs. David Carpenter. Their many friends wish them much happiness and success.

That periodic touch of biliousness. —W. L. Hand.

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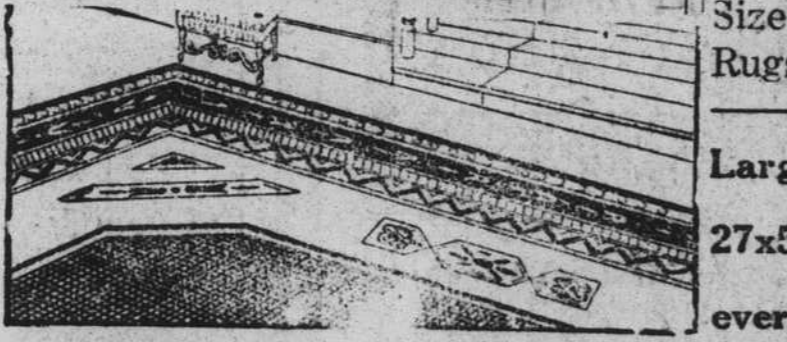
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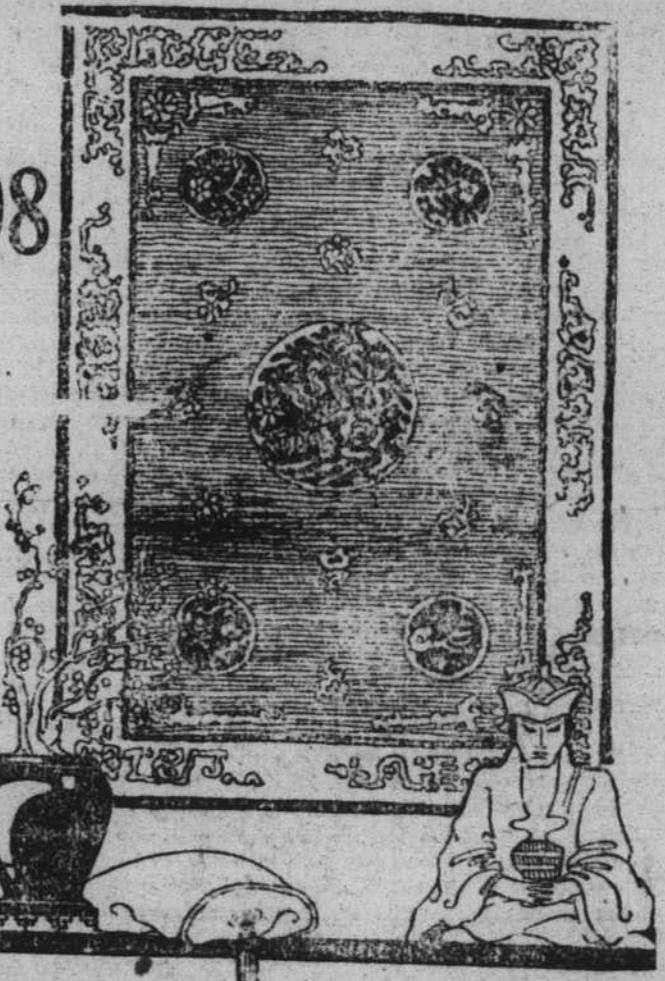
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