

# Boiling Springs News Of Interest

Honor Roll of Public School. Mrs. Green Hostess. R. D. Hord III. Personals.

Boiling Springs, Mar. 12.—Mrs. Garland Green was a most delightful hostess to the members of the Philomathean book club and several invited guests Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Her attractive home was a scene of beauty. It was most beautifully arranged with a profusion of lovely spring flowers and potted plants. The business meeting was held and the routine affairs were attended to. The following program was most ably rendered. The South African Territory, by Mrs. F. B. Hamrick. Piano duet, Miss Gertrude Green and Mrs. F. B. Hamrick. At the conclusion of the business meeting a social hour was enjoyed. The hostess assisted by Mrs. Ruth Hamrick, Mrs. Ladd Hamrick and Mrs. Clifford Hamrick served most delicious refreshments in which a color note of green and pink was cleverly carried out. Unique favors, a basket of mints with lovely flowers were given each guest.

Mrs. Untie Hamrick and Mrs. Rosina Grigg charmingly entertained the members of the Tongues and Needles club Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

The home was attractively arranged with baskets and vases of beautiful spring flowers.

The business meeting was held. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Rosina Grigg and several matters were attended to. A program for the next meeting which will be held with Mrs. Z. O. Holland was planned. An interesting "Riddle Me-See" contest was enjoyed by the guests. Mrs. Tom Ledford was presented with a lovely glass basket as the prize. The hostess assisted by Mrs. John Mintz and Miss Johnnie Mae McBrayer served a delicious salad course.

### School Honor Roll

The honor roll for the past month at the public school is as follows:

First grade: David Lipscomb, Durham Ledbetter, Lee Roy Pitts, Joyce Parris, Maida Greene, Louise Hamrick, Ella McMill Jenkins, Bonnie Greene, Hessie Ree Bridges, Jimmy McBrayer, Jack Hawnes, Odus Lee, Jr., Carl McSwain, Wade Hamrick, and Robert Hamrick.

Second grade: Haden Mills, Eloise Greene, Evelyn Greene, J. Y. Blanton, Ben Snipes, Doris Barnes.

Third grade: James Oliver Hamrick, Dan Watson Jones, George Carroll Moore, Bertha Lee Blanton, Geraldine McCraw, Dorothy Sue Hamrick.

Fourth grade: Mary Sue Hord, Marjorie Hamrick, Willie Sue Hamrick, Nancy Carroll Moore, Catherine Jenkins, Beatrice Phillips, Lyman Bridges, Boyd Blanton, A. G. Melton.

Fifth grade: Lillian Childress, Laura Mae Wilson, John Paul Byars, Monte Bridges, J. R. Greene, Maxwell Hamrick, J. Y. Hamrick, Willie Hamrick, Foche McKee, Carl Wood Wilson.

Fifth grade, section A: Vaughn Summerlin, Carl Blanton, Howard McKee, Annie Mae McSwain, Sadie Hamrick.

Sixth grade: Paul Hamrick, Jr. Clement Bridges, Clarence Bridges, Jack Holland, Louise McCraw, Mary Biddle Whisnant, Ruth Morrow, Adelle Greene, Ruth Wifin, Ethel Andrews, Mary Sue Bridges, Edith Hamrick, Virginia Bridges, Laura Dixon Greene, Rachel Huggins.

Seventh grade: Catherine Hamrick, Sarah Hamrick, Aileen Wright, D. W. Moore, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Kelly of Goldsboro and Mrs. Charles Jolley of Raleigh are visiting relatives here and in Greenville, S. C.

Mr. Bray Jolley and Mr. Linwood Kendrick made a trip to Virginia last week. They returned home Monday.

Mrs. Dewey Petty of Chilhowie, W. Va., and Mr. Ben Jolley arrived here last Monday. Mrs. Petty visited her mother, Mrs. Galina Jolley a few days before returning home.

Messrs. E. D. Hamrick, Elton Green and Jimmy Hill Hamrick went to Columbia, S. C. Wednesday on a business trip.

Mrs. Ida McBrayer spent last week in No. 1 town-ship with Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jones, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Jenkins accompanied Mr. Rush Hamrick of Shelby to Charlotte last Tuesday evening to attend Dr. Truett's service.

Rev. J. L. Jenkins and son, James, and Rev. J. M. Goode attended Dr. Truett's service Wednesday evening at Charlotte.

Mr. Charlie Landis of Hickory spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Summerlin.

Messrs. Clyde and I. V. Moore of Gaffney, S. C. are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Greene this week.

Miss Elizabeth Hamrick of N. C. university is expected home this week to spend the spring holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hamrick.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bridges, Mrs. Elam Lovelace, Mr. Marvin Bridges and Mr. Rex Bridges were en route to Hickory Saturday to visit Miss Estelle Bridges who is in the Hickory hospital when they were delayed by another car. Mr. C. J. Bridges was painfully hurt, but the others escaped injuries.

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# Modern Girl a 'Savage,' Says Explorer

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CENTRAL AMERICAN SAVAGE



FA MITCHELL-HEDGES



HER CIVILIZED SISTER

(By ALICE ALDEN.)

New York.—Is woman gradually returning to a primitive state. Are her clothes, her bobbed hair, her costume jewelry with its large vividly colored necklaces, her facial make-up but indications of her reversal to savagery?

Of course there are a great many carping critics who will loudly declare that woman is as savage today as she ever was, even in primeval days. But there is one man who claims to have completed a striking analogy between modern woman and her primitive sister and who offers plenty of proofs for his assertions. He is Frederick A. Mitchell-Hedges, noted British explorer and student of the American Indian. His explorations and adventures are noted not only among laymen but among scientists the world over and even the most modern of modern women must listen to him with respect if not with interest.

Mitchell-Hedges very wisely reserves judgment on his findings. He is vastly interested, however, about his discovery that highly civilized women are quite plainly reverting to the habits of primitive women. He paints a picture in vivid colors of the present lay woman with her bobbed and often fuzzy hair, cupid's bow lips and cheeks in glowing carnine, exposed knees... well they were until a year ago, anyway... Intensely vain, athletic, and few clothes to hamper her movements. And now listen to the specifications of a primitive girl: Dusky—remember when we too had the sun-tan last year?—bobbed hair, sometimes fuzzy, face painted, lips reddened, few if any clothes to hamper running and dancing. And vain, just as vain as any beautiful showgirl. Quite a shock, isn't it, this deadly parallel.

The explorer cites the Indian women to further annotate his contention that modern woman is reverting back to a savage state. When the Indian woman is at the transition state between girlhood and womanhood, she has her hair cropped close to her head.

Thus her world knows that Miss Indian is of marriageable age—our counterpart of a debutante, as it were. Incidentally, the close-cropped style of hairdress is ultra popular with the college girl and the professional woman.

The primitive woman discarded clothing, her nudeness was evidence of her primitive state, just as it is among savage races today. And civilized woman is going back to the self-same idea, wearing as few clothes as she possibly can. Having emerged from the swaddling clothes of the fashions that typified the Victorian era, it doesn't look as though she will ever thus burden herself again, even if she has returned to longish skirts. When she wants to, she will again ask for freedom of the knees.

And now comes the most striking analogy of all, the demand of the civilized woman for complete emancipation. Mitchell-Hedges tells of many Indian tribes, whose women choose their own mates. These women take their chosen husband to their home and he is never allowed to do a thing unless wife gives the order. There are lots of highly civilized women—who although they would not admit it—would regard such a marriage as ideal.

Soon Mitchell-Hedges is going back to Central America, when he hopes to find still further evidence linking Miss Modernity with her primitive sister; perhaps, after his utterances, he will feel safer there, although, who knows, some of the more primitive women might take violent exception at being compared to their up-to-date sisters, especially if they are ever shown pictures of a night club.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Summerlin and family spent Saturday in Hickory and Lenor visiting relatives.

Mr. Harold Honeycutt who has been spending several days at New Dale visiting relatives returned home Sunday.

## Here's a Challenge



It looks as if Father Knickerbocker would have to admit defeat unless some of his charming daughters quickly step forward to accept the challenge of Miss Leneta Lane (above), Washington's perfect girl, who is ready and anxious to match her physique and features against New York's fairest on Broadway for the title of "Best Formed and Healthiest Show Girl."

## Honor Roll For The Beams Mill School

The honor roll list of Beams Mill school for February is as follows:

First grade: Mary Belle Cornwell, Norma Divine, Ladney Stell, Lane Wilkins, W. A. Hamrick, Gerald Cline, Lounez Spangler, Monnie Riley, John Hendrick, Milbern Hendrick.

Second grade: Ruth Hamrick, A. D. Hendrick, Cloe Sanders, Clarence Wright, Marietta Wright.

Third grade: James Lutz, Alton Divine, Louise Williams, John Wilkins, William Hamrick, Georgie Bell Howard.

Fourth grade: Floyd Howard.

Fifth grade: Thera Costner, O. V. Ledford, Vernie Mae Wright.

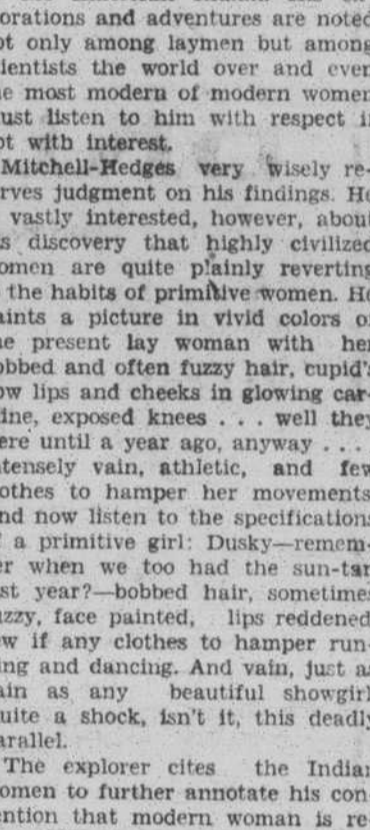
Sixth grade: Willard Dixon, Maggie Lou Wright, Otha Williams, Ada Kendrick, Pansy Hamrick, Corene Costner, Glenn Hamrick, Louise Hamrick, Opal Ledford.

Seventh grade: Namon Hamrick, C. S. Hendrick, Inez Cornwell, Fred Kendrick.

present time. He has been confined to his bed for several days.

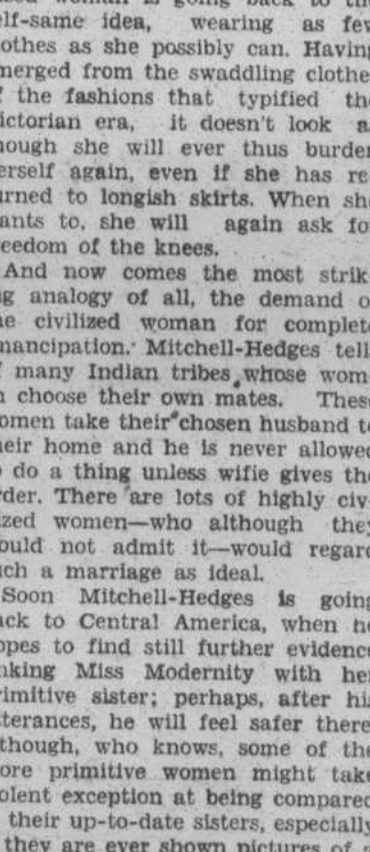
Mr. G. T. McSwain and Mr. Chuff McSwain were on a trip in S. C. purchasing pigs last week. When they were en route home their truck turned over. Several of their pigs were killed and other crippled.

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# Beaver Dam Events Of Week

Young People With Mr. and Mrs. McSwain. Study Course To Start Next Week.

(Special to The Star.)

Beaver Dam, Mar. 12.—We had a very large attendance at Sunday school and preaching services Sunday morning. Our pastor brought us a wonderful message. We will take our study course, "The Plan of Salvation" next week, as our pastor Rev. D. F. Putnam who is to teach it for us is attending some of Dr. Truett's services in Charlotte this week.

Miss Mertice Bridges spent part of last week at Dover mill with her sister, Mrs. Ernest Navy and Mr. Navy.

Friends of Mrs. Yates McGinnis, formerly Miss Margaret Queen will be sorry to hear of her having an operation on Wednesday of this week for appendicitis in the Shelby hospital. Mrs. McGinnis is getting along as well as could be expected.

Misses Libby, Zola and little brother, Dan McCurry, visited their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Threatt in Lattimore Sunday afternoon.

Mr. R. L. Short and nephew, Mr. Hoyt McCurry, went over to Roanoke, Va. on last Saturday on business. Miss Pearl Short who has been working out there accompanied them home on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Faye Glascoe is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Street of near Shelby.

Miss Audrey McSwain of near York is visiting her cousin, Mrs. E. D. Humphries and other relatives this week and next.

Mrs. R. B. Autry and son, Claton Richard, from Bessemer, Ala., and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harris of Madison, Georgia, visited Mrs. J. B. Pyron and children last week.

Misses Ruby McSwain and Nell Wilkie of Shelby were week-end guests of Miss Nannie Jones.

There are still a few cases of roseola and flu in the community.

Mr. Jim Jenkins of Hendersonville spent Wednesday night with his sister, Mrs. A. B. Humphries.

Mr. R. W. McCurry and children visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. E. L. McDaniel and Mr. McDaniel Tuesday night while.

Miss Selma Jones spent Saturday night with her cousin, Miss Corine McSwain, of South Shelby.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bridges and Miss Terry McSwain were spend-the-day guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Cleatus McSwain.

Prof. and Mrs. F. Y. Blanton of Carthage came up Friday night and spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Blanton. They were accompanied home by their little daughters, Betty Jo and Nancy Broach, who have been spending sometime with their grandparents.

Miss Mary Lou McCurry was a dinner guest of Messrs Pearl and Bryce Glascoe Sunday.

Miss Nannie Jones is visiting relatives in Shelby this week.

Friends of Mrs. J. L. McCurry will be glad to know she is much improved after being sick for several days.

It is thought that maybe little Betty Pyron will be able to return from the Shelby hospital one day this week.

The senior B. Y. P. U. was delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Broadus McSwain on Wednesday night, March 11. The party was in honor of our senior B. Y. P. U. male quartet composed of Messrs. Albert and Gilbert McGinnis, Ralph Callahan and Truman Bridges. Their birthdays all being in March. Miss Ola Lee Glascoe, our former president, made a speech to the boys, following that, as an appreciation to the boys she presented each one of the boys a useful present. Then all the union sang to the boys, "Happy Birthday to You." They in turn rendered us several selections. The living room and dining room was beautifully decorated.

## Scientists Subject To Diseases, Said

Atlanta, Ga.—Thinkers and leaders of modern civilization are more subject to diseases of the body than are other classes. Dr. George W. Crile, of Cleveland, told the South-eastern Surgical Congress here.

"The Kinetic System and its Control" was the subject of Dr. Crile, who aroused interest in the scientific world recently by an announcement that he had been able to develop living cell tissue artificially.

"Our leaders and thinkers are driven to more activity by a highly developed frontal lobe and are subject to high blood pressure, goiter and other ailments. Man is in a sense the victim of his own civilization," the scientist said.

"Man's superiority over beings of the lower order is in the development of this higher organ. The animals are superior to us in sight, smell, strength, fleetness and in many other respects. The frontal lobe is the dominating part of the entire kinetic system and the rise of this relative new comer in the physical make-up of man has driven him to incessant activity."

# From House to Home

Demise of the Seventy-first Congress Marks Exit of the House's Most Interesting Trio.



MRS. RUTH HANNA MCCORMICK

Washington.—Will this be the next chapter in the lives of three interesting women who have just finished their terms as members of the house of representatives? Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick, Mrs. Pearl Oldfield and Mrs. Katherine Langley have closed their political desks, thus leaving the field to but six women representatives.

For two of them, at least, it can be prophesied that they have spoken their exit lines in the strange show that is congress. Mrs. Pearl Oldfield, petite, gentle, intensely feminine, is grateful to the people of Arkansas who elected her to fill the unexpired term of her husband, the late William Oldfield. In her work, she has sought surcease from the grief that his death brought her.

Besides a desire to return to her home and take up the domestic duties that are still important to some women, Mrs. Oldfield has evidenced a dislike for the publicity that women in congress invariably receive.

Mrs. Langley, who was defeated for re-election to congress in the tenth Kentucky district, played quite a part in political Washington. She was the first woman member of congress to be appointed to the committee on committees, and in this position succeeded Congressman John M. Robinson, who was elected to the senate. It has been intimated that Mrs. Langley is quietly laying her plans for a re-election campaign. And it is easy to believe that parting from her mahogany desk was, for her, a wistful moment.

What will be the political future of the dynamic, vivid, forceful Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick? As Illinois congresswoman-at-large, she was an interesting figure in political Washington. The recent dramatic campaign she waged for senatorial honors against "Ham" Lewis will not be soon forgotten.

Now Mrs. McCormick says that she plans to go back to her Illinois farm with her two daughters, but no one for a moment can imagine

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# Take Drastic Step To Slash Expenses

Rushville, Ill.—The board of supervisors took the following drastic steps to cut county expenses:

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