

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

YESTERDAY. Annual meeting of board of managers, Retreat for the Sick, at 12 M. Meeting of Church Hill Auxiliary, Retreat for the Sick, at 4:30 P. M. Monthly meeting of the board of Founding Hospital. Silver tea in Rosemary Library from 5 to 7 P. M. Birthday celebration of Mrs. George Troxler, of Fairmount, from 4 to 6 P. M. TO-DAY. Meeting of Commonwealth Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, at No. 300 West Grace Street, at 12 M. Silver tea for Children's Circle, Second Baptist Church, at No. 325 South Third Street, from 4 to 7 P. M.

Mrs. Starke Entertained. Mrs. Ashton Starke, of this city, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. John D. Little, in Atlanta, Ga., for several weeks, has been charmingly entertained on several occasions during her visit.

On Tuesday evening last Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Beck entertained at supper with bridge afterward in her honor. In the dining-room the table held a centerpiece of Killarney roses, and pink-shaded candelabra were at each end. Smilax and pink azaleas further elaborated the decorative scheme. In the drawing room pink roses and ferns were used. The guests of honor wore a Parisian toilet of Irish lace over white satin.

Mrs. Little wore a white arde crepe gown, embroidered in gardenias and trimmed with rose point. The hostess was handsomely gowned in hand-embroidered chiffon, over pink satin.

Mrs. and Mrs. Frank S. Ellis entertained at dinner Wednesday evening complimentary to Mrs. Starke and Mr. and Mrs. John D. Little. Invited to meet them were: Colonel and Mrs. Lowry, Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Maddox, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jackson, Miss Ada Butler, of Buffalo; Miss Mary Thomas, Miss Isma Dooley, Mr. Charles W. Crinkshaw, Mr. E. H. Butler, of Buffalo; Mr. Carroll Baldwin, of New York, and Mr. Ralph Easley, of New York. Mrs. Starke is expected to arrive home to-day.

Mrs. Crump Honored. Mrs. Crump, of this city, is also receiving much attention in Atlanta, where she is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. Landrum.

On Tuesday Mrs. John F. Pursey was hostess in her honor. Yesterday Mrs. J. Greenfield entertained at a luncheon for her; to-day Mrs. J. A. Morris and an afternoon reception at Mrs. A. P. Stewart's are on the schedule. Mrs. Beaumont Davison will entertain her at an informal luncheon on Saturday.

Charming Luncheon. Miss Mary Williams, of No. 824 West Franklin Street, entertained at a beautiful pink and white luncheon Wednesday, in honor of Miss Nora Langhorne, of "Mirador," Albemarle county, who is the guest in Richmond of her sister, Mrs. Moncure Perkins. In accordance with the color scheme, the decorations were of these favorites occupying the centre of the tables.

Covers were laid for twelve, and the guests were Mrs. T. Moncure Perkins, Misses Julia Osterlin, Brent Witt, Roberta Smith, Caroline Reynolds, Page Royall, Elsie Lindsey, Roberta Trigg, and Miss Cameron.

Silver Tea. A silver tea will be given this afternoon from 4 to 7 o'clock, in the home of Miss Jessie Jones, No. 325 South Third Street.

Covers for the Second Baptist Church Building Fund Association will be in charge, and will serve delicious refreshments. They are Misses Sarah Blackie, Elizabeth Montgomery, Mary McKee, Frances Woodson, Elise Watkins, Marion Spicer, Mary Covington Evans, Lila Smith, Ethel Long, Fern Kellan, Nannie West, and Kathleen Sloan.

A musical program in which Miss Grace Greenwood, Miss Mal Green and Miss Mary Covington Evans will take part, will be rendered this afternoon promises to be very enjoyable.

Kate Wheelock Whist. The Kate Wheelock Whist Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Willard Craig at No. 210 North Lombardy Street.

Top score was made by Mrs. Basil Spaulding and Mrs. Craig, playing north and south; and by Mrs. H. K. Franklin and Mrs. David T. Williams, playing east and west.

The club will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. H. K. Franklin, of No. 1510 West Avenue.

Auxiliary Meeting. The Church Hill Auxiliary, Retreat for the Sick, held a very interesting meeting yesterday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Oscar Parrish, No. 509 North Twenty-fifth Street.

Announcement was made of a very unique entertainment, to be given early in April, entitled "An Evening in Africa." The program will consist of negro melodies by a negro quartet, a cake-walk and similar interesting numbers.

The reception committee and the young girls who serve will wear white dresses, with large gingham aprons and kerchiefs and bandana head-dresses.

Decorations and refreshments will correspond with the general scheme of things. Native foods, such as coconuts, black coffee and sandwiches, will be served to those who care for such "dainties," and English fare will be provided for others.

A mysterious feature of the affair will be the presence of a friend from Africa, whose name will not be disclosed, but who will hold a reception for one hour during the evening.

All details have not yet been perfected, but the entertainment promises to be full of amusement. Ladies in charge are Mrs. Mark

Poems You Ought to Know

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.—Prof. Charles Elliot Norton.

No. 1112.

Song.

By THOMAS HEYWOOD.

Other selections from this author, his portrait, autograph and biographical sketch, have already been printed in this series.

Pack, clouds, away, and welcome day, With night we banish sorrow; Sweet air, blow soft; mount, larks, aloft To give my love good-morrow! Wings from the wind to please her mind, Notes from the lark I'll borrow; Bird, prune thy wing; nightingale, sing, To give my love good-morrow; To give my love good-morrow Notes from them both I'll borrow.

Wake from thy nest, Robin-red-breast; Sing, birds, in every furrow; And from each hill, let music shrill Give my fair love good-morrow! Blackbird and thrush in every bush, Stare, linnet and cock-sparrow! You pretty elves, amongst yourselves Sing my fair love good-morrow; To give my love good-morrow Sing, birds, in every furrow!

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Poys, Mrs. Charles Billups, Mrs. W. A. Cheatwood, Mrs. H. New, Mrs. Sallio Harbaugh and Mrs. C. W. Massie.

Annual Meeting. The annual meeting of the board of managers, Retreat for the Sick, was held at noon yesterday.

The annual reports showed a very gratifying amount of work accomplished. One hundred and fifty-one charity patients have been cared for during the past year, and over thirty-five hundred days of free treatment given. The board hopes to add many improvements to the equipment during the coming year.

Officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. A. E. Warren; Vice-Presidents—from the Baptist Church, Mrs. H. W. Shelton; Episcopal, Mrs. Anna P. Rahm; Presbyterian, Mrs. W. J. Blunt; Methodist, Mrs. W. P. Richardson; Hebrew, Mrs. I. J. Marcuse; Christian, Mrs. D. W. Moseley; Recording Secretary, Mrs. W. N. Hamlett; Assistant Recording Secretary, Mrs. W. S. Murray; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. W. P. Mathews; Assistant Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Austin P. Spotts; Treasurer, Mrs. John Temple.

Chapter Meeting. The Roanoke Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, are making elaborate plans for the coming of the Hon. William Jennings Bryan, who will lecture under their auspices on April 12th in the Academy of Music in that city. At a meeting of the chapter held Wednesday, committees on tickets, notices, advertisements, decorations and badges for the occasion were appointed.

The academy will be elaborately decorated with Confederate and national emblems, and the boxes will probably bear the colors of Hollins, Virginia College, the United Daughters of the Confederacy and the B.K.s. Mrs. John H. Morris, first vice-president of the chapter, was given an ovation and received many congratulations on her appointment as hostess to represent the chapter at the Jamestown Building.

Among out-of-town ladies present were Mrs. Vandegrift, of the Dabney H. Maury Chapter, Philadelphia, and Mrs. T. W. Crozier, of Christiansburg, Va.

Eight new members were received into the chapter.

Commonwealth Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will hold its monthly meeting at noon to-day in No. 300 West Grace Street.

Committee to Meet. The Central Committee of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities, will meet Tuesday next at noon in the assembly room of the Virginia Historical Society.

Board Meeting. The board of managers of the Infants' Home met yesterday afternoon in the home, at Thirty-second and Clay Streets, with Mrs. A. C. Stevenson, presiding and a large number of ladies present.

Routine business only was transacted. Much interest was manifested in the benefit to be given at Bostock's Arena on Monday next, and a number of ladies expressed their intention of taking tickets to sell.

Personal Mention. Miss Pauline Johnson, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mrs. T. L. Alfriend.

Miss Elizabeth Willingham is visiting her brother, Dr. B. J. Willingham at Hope Mills, N. C.

Mrs. Alice Baskerville Finch and her daughter, Mrs. Ashton Smith, left yesterday for a visit to relatives in Boydton, Va.

Mrs. George Warren, of Philadelphia, is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. T. L. Alfriend.

The Flora Stuart Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, of Park, Va., has appointed Mrs. James Macgill and Miss Julia Leache to act as hostesses at the Virginia Daughters' building at Jamestown Exposition, on June 14th, 15th and 16th. Officers of this chapter are Mrs. James Macgill, president; Mrs. J. R. K. Bell, vice-president; Mrs. E. D. Calfee, secretary, and Miss Maud Darst, treasurer.

Mrs. H. O. Mosher has returned to her home in Roanoke, after visiting her sister here.

The Girls' Society of the Grace Street Baptist Church will give a Japanese tea at the residence of Mrs. Van Buren.

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ENGLISH MILL GIRLS HAD LONG THIRST

Threatened to Jump from Car Windows to Get Beer—Many to Remain.

GREENSBORO, N. C., March 14.—United States Marshal Millikan returned this morning from Baltimore, where he had been to carry the seventy English mill girls for deportation to England. He reports a lively trip. The girls were in a special car, and gave no trouble until they reached Washington. Here they had to wait two hours, and insisted on getting off, seeing the sights of the city, and getting some beer, of which they had been so long deprived in the dry cities of Charlotte and Greensboro. Knowing it would never do to let them have the run of Washington with only himself and Deputy Huffines to chaperon them, he could only refuse the request. This was not sufficient. The doors were locked and policemen placed on the side of the coach to keep the girls from jumping out of the windows. Had they not gotten in a verdy riot among themselves on the car and forgot the desire to go up the city, it is probable they would have had their way anyway. Baltimore was reached at midnight, and the women were quartered at the National Hotel, going quietly to their rooms on a solemn promise of beer next morning. Marshal Millikan kept his word next morning, and escorted every one of the girls, he in front and Deputy Huffines in the rear, to a beer garden. He said it was worth walking miles to see how happy they were to once more quaff a foaming flagon of beer or ale. At noon they were placed in charge of the United States immigration agent. Before this formally occurred over half of the girls had decided they did not wish to go back to the old country, but desired to return with Marshal Millikan and Deputy Huffines. The marshal slipped off so they could not do it. They had plenty of money to pay their way back, and the matter of their remaining in this country is being considered by the Attorney-General. Their ship is due to sail for Liverpool Saturday. If it is decided to let them stay in this country, it need not surprise some people in Charlotte and Greensboro to see a few familiar faces and hear some of the same old songs around the firemen's quarters Saturday, at latest.

Mr. Charles Adams has returned to Hinton, after spending several days here.

Miss Katherine Kelly, who has been visiting relatives here for the past week, has returned to her home in Newport News.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Dillard have returned from Bristol, where he has courted, after spending a week here.

Miss Adele Williams is the guest of the Misses Roper, in Norfolk.

Dr. G. A. Sprinkel has returned to Staunton.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Harrell are in Roanoke for a few days.

Mr. William H. Price, Jr., has returned from Bristol, where he has been visiting his brother, Judge John W. Price.

Mrs. L. B. Thomas, of Clifton Forge, who has been visiting friends here, is now spending some time in Gordonsville.

Miss Jones, of this city, is the guest of Mrs. J. B. Whitehead, in Atlanta, Ga.

Colonel William J. Perry, of Staunton, is here for a brief visit.

The Rev. C. R. Cruikshank, of Singers Glen, Va., is undergoing treatment here.

Mr. Lucien H. Cocks, of Roanoke, is in the city.

Mr. T. A. Luck, of Caroline county, is the guest of his brother, Mr. C. J. Luck, in this city.

Vaughan—Bradshaw. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) SUFFOLK, VA., March 14.—At the bride's home in Nurneyville, Va., this afternoon, Wilbur J. Vaughan, of Portsmouth Va., was married to Miss Florine Bradshaw, daughter of Nathaniel Bradshaw, Miss Mary Vaughan, a sister of the bridegroom, was maid of honor, and Mr. Floyd Bradshaw, who is the bride's brother, was best man. There was ante-nuptial luncheon.

Milby—Thrift. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) URHANN, VA., March 14.—This afternoon at the residence of Lubbard Thrift, near Locust Hill, in Middlesex county, Mr. Clyde Milby, of Gloucester county, was married to Miss Julia Thrift, of Middlesex. Rev. H. J. Goodwin, of the Baptist Church, officiating.

Martin—Wheeler. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) FREDERICKSBURG, VA., March 14.—Jonathan L. Martin and Miss Maud Wheeler, both of Spotsylvania county, were married to-day at Spotsylvania Courthouse, by Rev. J. P. H. Crismond.

OPPOSE BOND ISSUE.

Some of Chatham's Citizens Not Favoring School Propositon. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CHATHAM, VA., March 14.—The proposed bond issue of \$2,000 additional for the high school building recently decided upon by the Town Council, is meeting with some opposition, but the friends of the issue will have no stone thrown to carry the issue, which means so much to the children of this place and the surrounding community. Vote of the election has not yet been decided upon, but will be at an early date.

Miss Blanche Fitzgerald recently returned from visiting relatives in Albemarle, N. C.

A local council of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics will be organized here Friday night. The Masonic hall will be used, in which to conduct the initiatory degrees.

LORD NEVILL IN THE TOLLS AGAIN

Disgraced Nobleman Accused of Stealing Jewelry from Pawnbroker by a Trick.

HE IS HELD IN \$25,000 BAIL

Charged with Substituting Box Containing Lumps of Coal for One with Valuables.

LONDON, March 14.—Lord William Beauchamp Nevill, fourth son of the Marquis of Abergavenny, is again in the hands of the authorities, and this afternoon was remanded in \$25,000 bail at a police court on a charge of stealing jewelry by means of a trick. Lord Nevill was sentenced to five years' penal servitude at the Old Bailey on February 15th, 1898, for fraud in connection with a promissory note, the prosecutor being Captain Spender-Clay, who, in 1904, married Pauline, daughter of William Waldorf Astor. In the present case the prisoner is charged with stealing a box containing \$2,000 worth of pearl and diamond jewelry by exchanging it for a similar box, apparently containing the jewels, but which, when opened, was found to contain two pieces of coal wrapped in tissue paper.

According to the testimony, Lord Nevill pawned articles of jewelry at different times, and subsequently requested the pawnbroker to bring the jewels to his house, with a new contract covering all the transactions. After the contract had been signed, the nobleman produced a green leather box, in which the pawnbroker placed the jewels. The box was then tied up and sealed. Lord Nevill then diverted the pawnbroker's attention to a bureau in another part of the room. The man turned away for a moment to examine the bureau, and Lord Nevill shortly afterward joined his visitor and handed him a box which, the pawnbroker supposed, still contained the jewels. On examining it a couple of months later, however, he found that it had been changed while his back was turned.

Lord Nevill was released from Parkhurst Prison on ticket of leave on November 8, 1901, having spent most of his time during his incarceration in wheeling a barrow on the prison farm. The suit which terminated in his conviction in 1898, was a great sensation among the English nobility. During almost the entire trial, particularly on the day of the conviction, the court was crowded with fashionable people, including many women.

The case grew out of a suit instituted by the late "Sam" Lewis, the noted London money lender, against Captain H. H. Spender-Clay, then an officer of the Guards. The suit was dismissed, and a warrant for the arrest of Lord Nevill was issued. It was subsequently brought out in court that Lord Nevill, who needed money badly, had met young Captain Spender-Clay, who had money and who was attracted by Lord Nevill's attention. On the pretense that he wanted Spender-Clay's signature to a couple of family papers of a private nature, Lord Nevill obtained the signature of Spender-Clay to two promissory notes for \$11,113. The two men, it was said, had been drinking on the evening in question, and Spender-Clay, out of considerations of honor did not insist upon knowing the nature of the papers he was signing.

Lord Nevill was born in 1860, was educated at Eton, and formerly was an aide-de-camp to the viceroys of Ireland (the Duke of Marlborough), and a lieutenant in the Third Battalion of the Royal West Kent Regiment in 1889. He married Louisa Maria Carmen de Murrieta, eldest daughter of Jose de Murrieta, Marquis de Santurce.

GOES TO JURY.

Shooting of Colored Woman at Dance Was Not Accidental.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CHARLOTTE, N. C., March 14.—A colored, charged with shooting Eddy Hairston, a negro, near Venon, da last Sunday morning at a negro dance, was given a preliminary hearing Tuesday, and remanded to the county jail to await action of the grand jury at the regular term of Circuit Court, which convenes on the third Monday in April. Several witnesses for the prosecution were examined at the trial, and it was developed that the shooting was not accidental, as claimed by Hairston, who states he was drunk at the time.

Latest reports from the wounded woman are that she is resting quietly, but nothing definite as to her condition can be arrived at for several days.

Ford Hednett, colored, was on Tuesday afternoon, fined \$10 and cost by Justice Hurt, for shooting Mercer Clark.

Hospital at Asheville.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) ASHEVILLE, N. C., March 14.—A charter has been granted by the legislature to the Asheville-Biltmore Sanitarium Company, Dr. Paul Paquin, Roger Grant, and J. W. Brunson, Jr., incorporators, with a capital stock of \$50,000. Dr. Paquin recently purchased a tract of land on Biltmore road, near Kenilworth Inn, at a cost of \$20,000. On this land it is proposed to erect a modern hospital building. The Asheville-Biltmore Sanitarium Company was struck by a train to-day at Burke and instantly killed.

Train Strikes and Kills.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) BLUEFIELD, W. VA., March 14.—Counts Crown, stable boss of the Allega Coal and Coke Company, was struck by a train to-day at Burke and instantly killed.

Metcalf at Charleston.

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 14.—Secretary of the Navy Metcalfe, given by the Southern B. & O. to embark on the Dolphin for a visit to naval stations in the West Indies. The party was met by Mayor Elliott and others, and taken to the navy-yard here for an inspection.

Richmonders in New York.

NEW YORK, March 14.—The following Richmond people were registered to-day at New York hotels: Waldorf—H. Fitzgerald; Hamilton—W. S. Freeman; S. S. Nakamura; York—A. A. Gleason; Imperial—B. H. Ford; W. N. Gregory; Grand—C. Garrett; S. Road; Victoria—C. C. Leake.

Book Tea Party.

Quite a novelty in the way of an entertainment was given by the Southern B. & O. Workingmen this afternoon and evening from 4 to 11 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Coulter, 309 South Third Street. Delightful refreshments will be served. The proceeds will be for the benefit of Brook Road Mission.

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