

SOCIETY

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ple sent up and divided generously with his friends.

Mrs. Arthur M. Crooke left Saturday for an extended visit with friends and relatives in Kansas City.

The members of the W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. J. A. Madden Monday at three o'clock. Every one is urged to be present.

Miss Nettie Hardy left Saturday for Knoxville, Tenn., where she will enter the summer normal and after its adjournment will visit friends and relatives in Kentucky.

A delightful theater party Friday evening was that given by Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Guillot complimentary to the Misses Short, Miss Duffy, Miss Carhart, Miss Maude Ard, and Misses Gladys and Ernestine Guillot. After the performance at the opera house refreshments were served at the cafe.

Miss Myrtle Steakley pleasantly entertained with a masquerade party Thursday evening. Games were enjoyed and a delicious refreshment course served. The guests were—

Pauline Pace, rainbow; May Roberts, society belle; Vivian Riner, ghost; Anna Moorland, butterfly; Mattie Chaney, evening breeze; Laura Steakley, ghost; Maggie Galt, morning breeze; Gusie McGee, Indian maiden; Bettie Wiggins, Myrtle Steakley and Edna Bowman assisted the hostess in entertaining. Boys—Coleman Humes, dude; A. Musgrave, sport; Robert Ledbetter, mountain boy; Eugene Ledbetter, sailor boy; Arthur Randolph, dude; Ian Chaney, brownie; Hollie Passmore, dude; Joe Frank Williams, city school boy; Geo. Cox, admiral; Harry Noble, brownie; Miss Kate Galt, ghost.

The Red and Gun Club, the social recreating ground of the city, was the scene last evening of a gathering of friends of Mrs. S. T. Hedson, whom she invited with their husbands to a six o'clock dinner. It was a merry crowd and yet there was sorrow with their merriment for in a few days this couple with their family will leave for Guthrie their future home. There are no citizens of Ardmore whose loss will be felt more than these, Mr. Hedson having resided here since the early days and has helped in everything that stood for the betterment of the town.

The club house was profitably set in field flowers and rambling about over the grounds, roasting and fishing were enjoyed and at six o'clock dinner was announced—which was served in eight courses.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Guillot, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wall, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Crace, Mr. and Mrs. George Walker, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Edwards, Judge and Mrs. C. M. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Max Westheimer, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hedson, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Vandenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Crace, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Poland, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Poland, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Dings, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Agnes, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Porter, and Mrs. Mark Kirkpatrick, Judge and Mrs. Housa Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pfeiffer. The host and hostess, T. H. Sturgeon and wife.

Mrs. Jack Harris of Fort Worth is a pleasant guest of Mrs. Elmer Wright and Mrs. Elmer Woodward.

The Bible Class will meet Wednesday at three o'clock with Mrs. G. A. Ramsey.

Mr. Harry Ross who has recently come to the city and will have charge of the violin class in the Landon Conservatory, will give a musicale in the Broadway Methodist church Monday evening. All lovers of music are cordially invited. This gentleman is pronounced as the best who has ever appeared in the city.

A matinee dance will be given the children of the dancing class Saturday afternoon, June 27, at Redmen's hall on South Washington. All the members and their little friends are invited. This will close a most pleasant term and all, both old and young, will regret to give up Mrs. Haines, who has so faithfully taught here the past two months and endeavored herself to all who have met her.

A SOUTHERN DEMOCRAT

LUKE E. WRIGHT OF MEMPHIS WILL SUCCEED TAFT.

AS SECRETARY OF WAR

President Roosevelt Holds Mr. Wright in Highest Esteem—As a Young Man He Was a Captain in the Confederate Army.

Washington, June 20.—Secretary Taft has presented to the president his resignation, to take effect June 30, and it was announced at the white house that Luke E. Wright of Tennessee will be appointed secretary of war to succeed Mr. Taft. In making this appointment the president was influenced somewhat by the desire to recognize in an emphatic way that there is no longer any dividing line between the north and the south and that all good Americans are in thought and deed one and the president was influenced still more by the fact that Governor Wright's personal attributes and experience pre-eminently fit him for this particular position.

After remaining with President Roosevelt half an hour Secretary Taft returned to his office at the war department, but came back to the white house in time for the cabinet meeting at 11 o'clock.

The correspondence between the president and Secretary Taft, relating to his resignation is very brief. Secretary Taft simply said in his resignation:

"I hereby tender my resignation as secretary of war to take effect June 30, next."

The president in his reply said:

"Your resignation is hereby accepted to take effect June 30."

The resignation was dated yesterday and the acceptance today.

It is now said at the white house that as the president so recently as yesterday had given out a formal statement concerning his high esteem for Secretary Taft, it was not deemed necessary to repeat what was then said.

The statement given out at the white house concerning Mr. Wright's appointment says:

"As Philippine commissioner and later as vice governor and governor he has won the affection and respect of the army to a high degree and many of the most distinguished men who served in the army at the time in the Philippines have urged his appointment because they feel in a peculiar way that he was their champion and in a peculiar way understood them and their needs. This is especially true as regards the men who were union veterans in the civil war as these grew to feel that he was always especially interested in their welfare."

Mr. Wright's great administrative ability, both peculiarly fit him to deal with the problems in the Philippines, Panama and Cuba for the work of the war department is such now that only a man of unusual abilities and special training is able to do justice to it. Of all men in the country the president feels best equipped to take up the work of the war department, which for the last seven years has been under the direction, first of Root and then Taft.

As a young man he was a captain in the Confederate army. He is one of the leading lawyers, not only of his state, but of the entire south. He has also been foremost in advocating and insisting upon fair treatment of the colored people. He first outspoken agreement with the administration at Memphis when he practically made himself mayor of the town and took charge of all of the relief measures, showing what may justly be called heroic devotion to duty and indifference to his own life together with the masterful qualities of a successful administrator in a

great crisis. He was himself stricken down by the plague he was fighting, but lived to see it stamped out and himself to take part in introducing into Memphis the hygienic measures which have since made it one of the model health cities of the world.

He was appointed by President McKinley as one of the Philippine commissioners and enjoyed President McKinley's heartiest confidence, being selected as one of the southerners who were in sympathy with his administration. By President Roosevelt he was promoted, first to be vice governor, and then governor of the Philippines, and afterwards made first ambassador to Japan. In all positions he served with signal fidelity and ability and has been in hearty and outspoken agreement with the administration in its main policies.

Declines to Talk.

Memphis, Tenn., June 20.—When seen by an Associated Press representative, General Luke E. Wright said he did not think it proper to discuss the announcement that he would succeed Secretary Taft in the war department until he had received further advice from Washington. General Wright, who was formerly ambassador to Japan, arrived here early last fall, having resigned his portfolio. It has been generally predicted by many of his friends that he would enter President Roosevelt's cabinet in the event of Secretary Taft's nomination for the presidency.

PROSTRATIONS IN CHICAGO

SEVEN DEATHS IN WINDY CITY FROM EXTREME HEAT OF FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

Chicago, Ill., June 20.—Ten prostrations and seven deaths were caused in part by heat as a result of yesterday's hot wave here.

NINTH STRAIGHT VICTORY.

Gainesville Baseball Team Wiping Up Earth With Opponents.

Gainesville, Texas, June 20.—The Gainesville team won the concluding game of the series of games played with Cleburne this afternoon by a score of 7 to 0. Gainesville won an exciting game from Cleburne Friday afternoon, the score being 2 to 1.

Today's victory is the ninth straight one for the local team. Since being organized this year, Gainesville has played but nine games, all of which were victories. Last week Madill was defeated three straight, and this week Greenville and Cleburne were the victims for three games each.

NEWSPAPER CHAFF.

My bank roll last week, I vow Would have choked a blindfold cow; But this week it's "coffee and— Even lost the rubber band."

—The Bohemian.

Occasionally Boston swears—even feminine Boston. Not long since things went wrong with Dorothy, aged six, and after prolonged self-control she exclaimed, with the air of one who is going to the bad and who knows it:

"Ain't! Got! Kind of! There, that's just the way I feel!"—Harper's Magazine.

Small William, whose stomach had been taking a day off, was trying to make a next morning breakfast on grapefruit.

"I wish," he said, "looking enviously at the gorgeous supply of food on his sister's plate, 'I was well enough to eat bacon and eggs, too.' 'Huh!' exclaimed the little sister, 'I wish I was sick enough to eat a grapefruit.'—Exchange.

Artist William M. Chase tells a really new one on Jimmy Whistle. It was at a Loner party, after all the guests had been seated, when Chase gently drew Whistle's attention to the fact that he had forgotten his tie. "Forgotten," shrieked Whistle. "Nothing of the kind. Why should I spoil the effect of a good linen collar with excruciating lines by sticking on a foolish little piece of lawn?" And the dinner proceeded.—Boston Herald.

Curator Dimers of the Bronx Zoo

was discussing with a reporter the strange case of "Big Mose," the fast-flying crocodile.

"Now, with Big Mose for a pet, concluded the curator, smiling. "The Arizona traveler wouldn't have been able to show his famous piece of economical ingenuity."

"You have heard, no doubt, of the feat?" "The traveler and his dog were lost and hungry on the plains. Night fell. It looked as though both must go supperless to bed."

"But the ingenious traveler cut off the dog's tail, made a nutritious soup of it, and gave the hungry animal the bone."—Exchange.

As Mr. Tippet came in and started to remove his overcoat, his wife came up eagerly. There was a look of anxiety in her eyes as she kissed him.

"Did you think, dear," she asked timidly, "to get that ribbon?" "What ribbon?"

"Why, don't you know I gave you a sample to match, this morning?" "So you did. By jove, it slipped my mind!"

"And did you step into the milliner's to ask about my hat?" "Dear me, I—I quite escaped me."

"Did you send the telegram to mother?" "Great heavens, no! You see I was so busy—"

"And see the landlord about the leak in the roof?" "No, I—"

His wife looked at him hopelessly. "Did you," she asked sadly, "do anything I asked you to do this morning?" If you didn't you are certainly the most forgetful man that I can conceive of."

The husband met her smile with one of the deepest humiliation, as he drew from his overcoat pocket a small rectangular package.

"I am, my dear," he exclaimed. "I am, indeed! I admit it! I'm getting more forgetful every day. Why, do you know?"—and he flourished the package in front of her, tear-stained eyes—"I'm getting so forgetful that I came in an ace of forgetting these cigars? And I didn't have one left in the house!"—Life.

There is a young woman reporter in Washington who could borrow money from Archie Roosevelt, borrow his shooting outfit, of which he is extremely fond, use his pony or his bicycle or his pack-knife. It came about this way:

The reporter was passing by the fountain in the white house grounds, camera in hand. There Archie was discovered, with his lure feet dangling in the water. The camera was being prepared for action while Archie ducked his head. But the woman reporter stood by. There was a good piece of luck. Seeing there was no escape, he turned to her and pleaded.

"Say," he said, "please don't. Be good. Just suppose you were a boy kid, wouldn't you like to go this? Of course you would. It's bully fun, and every day or so I manage to slip here and play."

"Father doesn't care, either, but if I were photographed this way he would raise 'sand' and forbid me from coming here any more."

"Can't you see what a fine thing you will break up if you snap me? Let me off and I'll be your friend—honest, I will."

He was let off, and he has kept his word about being her friend. When the reporter is assigned to the white house she looks up Archie and pretty soon she comes away with her story.—New York Correspondent Houston Chronicle.

PAULS VALLEY A WINNER

RECEIVED ABOUT FORTY-SIX PER CENT OF GARVIN COUNTY'S VOTE FOR COUNTY SEAT.

Pauls Valley, Okla., June 20.—The county seat election of Garvin county passed off quietly and peaceably today. Pauls Valley retains the county seat of Garvin county, receiving about 46 per cent of the vote cast.

The vote resulted as follows:
Pauls Valley 2,065
Wynnewood 1,579
Elmore 894

Total 4,539
There is much enthusiasm here as a result of this city's victory.

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It's amusing to watch the almost grown son sneaking around to admire the latest arrival, hoping all the while that nobody sees him at it.

Notice! Notice!

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By B. W. DUKE, Deputy.

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