

U. D. C. Meeting.

The U. D. C. met in the Red Cross rooms on Thursday afternoon, February 14, with the president, Mrs. E. P. Jones, in the chair. In the absence of the secretary, who was confined at home with a sick child, the minutes were read by Mrs. Agatha Woodson.

A report from the contribution for the Wade Hampton bed for the Red Cross hospital in France was given, and a note of thanks read from Mrs. McKeachin, State treasurer. Mrs. J. S. Byrd, treasurer of this fund for our chapter, was complimented and heartily thanked for the untiring zeal which resulted in a collection of \$32.00, the following persons having contributed:

Mrs. John Sheppard, \$1.00; Mrs. Lizzie Christian Smith, \$1.00; Mrs. E. J. Norris, \$1.00; Mrs. J. D. Holstein, \$1.00; Mrs. Woodson, \$1.00; Mrs. D. B. Hollingsworth, \$1.00; Mrs. Kate Butler, \$1.00; Miss Mary Butler, \$1.00; Mrs. Bettis Cantelou, 50 cents; Mrs. Morrall, 50 cents; Mrs. Arthur Tompkins, 50 cents; Mrs. Fannie Broadwater, 50 cents; Mrs. Robert Marsh, 50 cents; Mrs. James Byrd, 50 cents; Mrs. E. P. Jones, 50 cents; Mrs. Thos. Rainsford, 50 cents; Mrs. Alford, 50 cents; Mrs. Barker, 50 cents. The following gave the requested 25 cents: Mrs. J. M. Lawton, Miss H. Padgett, Mrs. James D. Vore, Miss Marie Abney, Miss Annie DeLoach, Mrs. Leila Griffin, Mrs. B. E. Niabolson, Mrs. E. S. Rives, Mrs. Hugh Nicholson, Mrs. Mamie N. Tillman, Mrs. J. L. Mims, Mrs. E. E. Adams, Mrs. M. A. Taylor, Mrs. Will Byrd, Mrs. Chas. May, Mrs. Ransom Padgett, Mrs. Lovick Mims, Mrs. Lizzie Folk, Mrs. N. G. Evans, Mrs. Mamie Darling, Miss Charlton Dozier, Mrs. Herbert Smith, Mrs. Cleora Tompkins, Mrs. John Tompkins, Mrs. Joe Cantelou, Mrs. Kate Cheatham, Mrs. W. L. Dunovant, Mrs. A. E. Padgett, Mrs. Carwile, Miss Ella Bates, Miss Sophie Dobson, Mrs. Milton Jones, Mrs. Willis Duncan, Mrs. Kate Dennis, Miss Kellah Fair, Mrs. J. B. Kennerly, Miss Sarah Collett and Mrs. Jefferson Wright. Nine dollars and two cents was contributed by Mrs. Alford for the card club. This list was read by Mrs. Woodson, and all were enthusiastic in praise of the work.

Under the head of new business Mrs. Woodson made a motion, seconded by Mrs. Lovick Mims, that the chapter be formed into a Red Cross Auxiliary. After some discussion this was carried, and Mrs. Jones will at once make application to our Red Cross Chapter for recognition.

The following women gave their names as already members of the Red Cross, and entitled to form a unit:

Mrs. E. P. Jones, Mrs. Hugh Nicholson, Mrs. James Byrd, Mrs. Alford, Mrs. B. L. Mims, Mrs. Robert Marsh, Mrs. Milton Jones, Mrs. James DeVore and Mrs. Woodson.

There are many other women in the chapter who will add their names to this list.

Mrs. Mamie Marsh and Miss Annie DeLoach were named a committee to send a flag 9x15 to any of our country boys who should die in the service of his country. So far this service has been unnecessary, as we have been so fortunate as to lose none of our boys, but it is a sad fact that death in the army is inevitable, and we do not know when the wheel may turn and our loved ones will have to "pass over the River to rest with Jackson and the host of other brave men who have given their lives for their country.

Mrs. Jones presided over the historical session in the absence of the historian.

A very interesting paper of personal reminiscences, by Mr. J. Russell Wright, was read by Mrs. M. C. Marsh, and Mrs. E. P. Jones read a very fine original paper of sketches of Generals Albert Sidney Johnston and Joseph E. Johnston.

both born in the month of February.

The march program, as prepared by our Historian General, Mrs. Anna Bachman Hyde, was read, and we decided to have our publicity committee publish this each month for the convenience of the members, who can thus familiarize themselves with the subjects. This will be given later.

The following ladies volunteered their services to the Red Cross work rooms for the week:

Monday—Mrs. Lovick Mims.
Tuesday—Mrs. R. A. Marsh.
Wednesday—Mrs. Alice Jones.
Thursday—Miss Sophie Dobson.
Friday and Saturday will be provided.

Paper by Tenth Grade Pupil Edgefield Graded School.

Mr. Editor:

Many people have been asking and complaining about the farmer of to-morrow, saying that he will have no one to help him on the farm and therefore he could have no good farm. But I think if the farmer will do his share he will have a very good farm. Why if the farmer of to-morrow does not be the most prosperous of all men it will be his own fault, and to be a prosperous farmer he must let his car rest awhile, and stay at home to see after the hands and if necessary roll up his sleeves and get behind the plow himself.

The farmer of to-morrow will be the happiest, healthiest, wealthiest and wisest of all men. Of course he will be the happiest because, who can be happier than a happy-go-lucky-farmer. He is healthy because he takes plenty of fresh air and takes plenty of vigorous exercise out in the field plowing old Mike. He is wealthy because he raises a regular "Hoove" crop of corn, potatoes, flour and everything that is good to eat. He is wise because of being a farmer.

My vision of a farmer starts with the crowing of the roosters very early in the morning. The neighbors roosters are trying to see which one can out-crow the other, and it seems as if their throat will burst in the contest. It is strange that smaller creatures have taken up the habit of their masters, by cultivating the jealous and quarrelsome feeling of rivalry, instead of a friendly feeling.

I have almost forsaken my vision of the early morning on the farm, which began with the crowing of the roosters. The farmer of to-morrow walks out on the porch early in the morning, and here it is that he looks toward the eastern hills and sees the wonderful handiwork of God in nature's beauty. The sun is just rising through the crimson fold of the skies and casting her golden rays ovehill and dale. On every sprig, on every blade of grass, the dew drops sparkle like diamonds, and as they drop from the trees, losing themselves in the grass, they shine in many colors. There is nature in its glory.

Hat on head and corn in hand the happy-go-lucky farmer whistling "My Country tis of Thee" mixed up with a little "Tipperary," proceeds to scatter corn for his quarrelsome chickens as they fly from the hen house. The old mother hen calls to her little biddies to hurry! hurry! And the rival rooster still crowing to the neighbors rooster.

Next we see him standing by the hog pasture looking at his Hoover specials as they carry the law into effect.

After his home duties are done, I see the happy farmer over on the hill still whistling his merry tune, with a every now and then a little intermission of "Come up Mike." Onward he plows in the heat of the sun. Old Mike must be deaf or he can't walk straight one, for every minute or two, the tune of har or

pee rises through the green corn field.

At the hour of twelve we see the happy farmer sitting at the dinner table by the side of his little country wife. When the meal is over a nice little chat for desert is served.

Back to the field the farmer goes to his steady work. As he passes the corn fields a deep smile comes over his face as the thoughts run through his mind of a crib overflowing with corn.

At eve-tide as the sun is quietly going to her rest behind the crimson folds of the sky, we see the happy farmer coming up the lane, still whistling his tune of "My Country tis of Thee" mixed up with the help of "Tipperary," a little wife stands at the gate waiting for his return. Thus the day closes leaving the happy couple strolling hand in hand from the barn yard, while the mighty sun kisses the world good night.

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