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**RECEPTION FOR CITY CHAUTAUQUANS**

Held in Honor of Miss Kate F. Kimball, the Executive Secretary.

**TWO INTERESTING ADDRESSES**

Delivered by Miss Kimball and Mrs. H. J. Carr—Miss Kimball Referred at Some Length to the Rapid Growth of the Chautauqua Movement—Mrs. Carr's Talk Was in the Nature of an Address of Welcome. Those Who Were Present.

One of the most enjoyable events in the history of the Young Women's Christian Association was celebrated last night, when a reception to Chautauquans, in honor of Miss Kate F. Kimball, the executive secretary of the C. L. S. C., of Buffalo, N. Y., was given by the Young Women's Christian Association circle, Mrs. H. J. Carr, president. The hall was crowded with invited guests. Mrs. Carr, Miss Kimball and the presidents of the various circles occupied seats on the platform. The programme opened with a piano solo by Miss Mabel Colvin. The rendition was excellent and elicited much applause. The artist, though deprived of beholding the beauties of nature, has a soul filled with the beauty of music. The solo was followed by prayer by Mrs. E. H. Ripple. "Last Night" was beautifully rendered by Miss Huber in a characteristic manner. Mrs. H. J. Carr then gave a graceful address presenting Miss Kimball in a pleasing manner. She said:

**MRS. CARR'S ADDRESS.**

For I well remember that one of the first statements made by Dr. Vincent in his address to the organization at Plainfield, N. J. (then headquarters of the C. L. S. C.), was the importance of a capable, efficient, secretary. And he said that he knew just such an one in the person of Miss Kate F. Kimball. That his judgment in this respect was not at fault is attested by the fact that Miss Kimball has continued as the executive head of the office work of the International C. L. S. C. for twenty years. I have now the pleasure of presenting to you Miss Kimball, whose presence with us is not only a marked favor, but also an encouraging fact of no small importance. It is certainly a pleasure to welcome so many Chautauquans at our Young Women's Christian Association rooms this evening. The organization, which was organized in 1874, and the C. L. S. C. should work together, in a united spirit, since both are interdenominational and both aim to awaken the intellectual and religious powers. The first Young Women's Christian Association in America was formed by college girls in Normal, Illinois, in 1857; and the work became a national organization at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, in 1858, with the headquarters of the national committee in Chicago. Thousands of young women in college and city associations are doing a noble and successful work in this Christian way.

The Chautauqua Handbook of December, 1877, gave the first notice of the presence of the C. L. S. C., which became a reality at Lake Chautauqua August 10, 1878. Its success was assured from the outset, the first class having an enrollment of 500 members. In Scranton, the first circle was organized in 1882, and appropriately named the C. L. S. C. Howes, was the second, and the Anthracite the third. Since then various circles have been organized; some existing for a limited season, and others to the present time.

**NOTABLE OCCASIONS.**

There have been a number of notable occasions in the history of the Chautauqua circles. Shakespeare day, April 23, 1888, was observed at the Young Women's Christian Association, January 3, 1888, Bishop Vincent lectured at the Academy of Music; after which a reception and banquet were given at the Westminster, by the Chautauquans. May 21, 1888, the circles held a union meeting with the Elm Park circle, which was a largely attended, pleasant and instructive affair. It is in this connection that various circles represented here tonight will agree to the statement, that having once become enthused with the Chautauqua idea they become students rather than mere readers of reviews of books about books.

Our Young Women's Christian Association circle has always been composed of earnest students; that fact is shown by its attendance register—some having been present 325 times out of a possible 367, since our organization in 1882. No one is admitted except when we go on geological expeditions to the Archbald hotels, or when we become students in the boxes and kill snakes is very desirable. The one circle in Scranton composed exclusively of women, feels highly honored in having as its guest tonight the one woman who has a world-wide reputation in connection with the C. L. S. C. movement.

Miss Kimball gave a most interesting address, and spoke of the fact that twenty-five years ago the summer school was unknown. The first Chautauqua assembly was held in 1874. The inspiration of the C. L. S. C. is incalculable. It has permeated every state, reaching out over the world, as found in South Africa and Japan, while in Russia circles have been formed. The course is not exacting, yet it requires a definite thing in a definite time and affords a definite selection out of a mass of literature, helping each reader to lay stress on individuality.

**HER CLOSING REMARKS.**

Miss Kimball, in closing, urged that the members be true to the work as never before, and that they persevere in having a graduate organization. The address was a great inspiration to the listeners, who will proceed with their work with added enthusiasm. All felt that much credit was due Mrs. Carr for her enterprise in securing Miss Kimball and for the able assistance of her circle in planning the entertainment. Miss Kimball is the guest of Mrs. W. D. Kennedy, while in the city. At the conclusion of the programme an informal reception was held in the parlors, Mrs. Carr, Miss Kimball and Mr. A. T. Hower receiving. The rooms were bright, with many beautiful roses from the conservatories of Mrs. H. M. Boles, who with Mrs. L. A. Watres presided at the prettily decorated table from which light refreshments were served. About the rooms were Mrs. Ripple, Mrs. L. M. Gates, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. M. H. Kaye, Mrs. J. A. Lansing, Mrs. Richard Matthews, Mrs. Fellows, Mrs. Derman, Miss Krigbaum, Miss Deacon and others. The Y. W. C. A. circle consists of Mrs. Carr, Mrs. John Fritz, Mrs. J. H. Hughes, the Misses Anna Broadbent, Alice Carlson, Lizzie Aneman, Anna Morgan, Minnie Munson, Esther Rowlands, Rachel and Sara Jones, Jessie Crawford, Anna Huber, Louise Johnson, Carrie Bonney, Katharine Phillips, Mary Runk, Libbie Doersam, Clara Long. Other circles represented were: Anthracite Circle—H. J. Fisher president; Miss Gertrude Bonslough, Miss Mary Church, Colonel and Mrs. F. L. Hilsbeck, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hurley, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kennedy, Miss Kath-

**ADDRESS BY REV. MR. HUNTINGDON**

Delivered in St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Dunmore.

**WAS THE FIRST OF A SERIES**

His Subject Was Character, and He Treated It in a Practical Manner. The Process of the Formation of a Christian Character Must Be Thought Out Individually—Habit Forms Character—The Every-Day Things Go to Shape Character.

Rev. James O. S. Huntington, the well-known head of the order of the Holy Cross, opened a brief series of meetings at St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Dunmore, last night and spoke to a large audience. He is a man of fine personal appearance and great magnetism. He speaks in a practical, forceful manner that carries conviction with its simplicity. His style is frequently almost colloquial and is most definite in its aim. He will address the noonday service in St. Mark's church today and tomorrow, while it is expected that the series of meetings will be filled with a large congregation. The subject of his talk was "Character." He emphasized the fact that the consciousness of the appreciation of character comes to all at times when they realize that not money, not popularity, not fame is most to be valued, but that the best, the highest attribute is that which we call Christian character bearing the hall mark of Christ. You feel it perhaps when you stand up before your dead and when some of your friends say he was brilliant or great in his achievements. When you know that to hear them say he was a good man, a Christian, would be the warmest comfort which could be brought to your defunct heart. The speaker then described the proposed conference. He did not ask that the people should take him as authority. He did not come in a dictatorial manner. Following on this, he asked the question, "How is Christian character formed?" People aren't born with it; they are born with red hair; they do not dream themselves into it any more than they can drift up stream.

**MUST BE THOUGHT OUT.**

There are some things which can be taken for granted without thought, but the question regarding the process of the formation of character must be thought out individually. In the first place habit forms character—the things a man does when he doesn't try to do something else. The everyday things go to shape character. Company manners are not real test. Very often the habitual nature comes out from normal accident. Habit pulls. There is a grewsome saying, "In the beginning you could stop any bad habit if you would; at all times you could stop it if you could." Thoughts are actions, and they, too, form habits. You read of a horrible crime—a daughter kills her father. You wonder how she could do it. Thought did it. A first thought came, and it was, "How could I do it if the nagging voice were out of hearing. Thus day after day comes the habit of wishing he were dead. Then the thought of how easy it would be to assist his departure, until finally the deed is done. It isn't a matter whether we choose or not; habit must be formed by our acts. If we go on in any train of thought, any line of action we form the habit. What makes the act? Behind the act is always the motive, the soul of it. We are always looking for a motive. We can't tell what the act is until we know what is the motive. Now what determines motive? There is a check on motive, and it is sometimes heard that we are not responsible for our acts because we are carried forward by motives which we cannot control. But the fact is that we can control our motives. Desires come and start in a row, but we can choose the one of pale ghosts. We look along it and choose the desire and it becomes a living, breathing thing. We are responsible for the motive for we choose the desire that forms it.

**MOTIVE DETERMINED.**

The end for which the thing is done determines the motive. There are only two possible ends. We can act for self, or we can act for God, but it must be one or the other. We attain these ends by love; we can love self, when love at last will shrivel and die, or we can love God and our love will grow through all eternity. St. Augustine says that "Good and bad loves, make good and bad lives." If we do a thing because it is right, we do it for God. If we do it for downright love—not of self—we do it for God. This is why we are given titles to make the choice for ourselves. A great deal of our lives is not determined by ourselves but by society. We are set in a groove and we trot along in it without daring to change. Public opinion often keeps us back from doing good, but public opinion may also keep us from doing wrong. The speaker then said: "You may be pretty careful about what you do in Dunmore. I can't say that you might do in the city of New York among strangers." As Rudyard Kipling says: "Down to Gehenna or up to the throne He travels the swiftest who travels alone."

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**BOARD OF CHARITIES MEETING.**

Work Done by the Agent and Committees.

At the bi-weekly meeting of the board of charities last night the agent, Mrs. Duggan, reported having investigated during the week, May Flynn, Elizabeth and Agnes Calkin, Helen Gilroy, Nellie Gillespie, Gertrude M. Cool, Anna and Beatrice Gilgallon, Anna Kelley, Katie Mullarkey, Mollie Kelly, James Collins, Patrick Tierney, Francis Kearns and Harold Mooney, Willie and James Gillespie, Willie Gilroy, Girard Lynott and Howard Phillips.

**DEATH OF WILLIAM KAUFHOLD.**

Occurred in the Hahnemann Hospital in New York City.

Word was received in the city last evening announcing the death of William Kaufhold, of 792 Electric avenue, who expired at Hahnemann hospital in New York, yesterday afternoon. Mr. Kaufhold, who had been ill for some time, went to New York to undergo an operation at the hospital. The operation was performed about ten days ago, but he never rallied from its effects.

**PERSONAL.**

Newton Jackson and family have returned from a visit at Carlisle, Pa.

Hon. Theodore Hart, editor of the Pittston Gazette, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. William Kelly and son, Bernard, will start for Old Point Comfort Tuesday next.

Mrs. August Kellerman, of North Washington avenue, is visiting her sister at Luzerne.

Andrew Rielly, of Madison avenue, leaves this morning for Boston, to pursue a course of study in the Boston college, Harrison avenue, that city.

C. H. Preuty, representative of Sawtelle's Dramatic company, is in the city arranging for the appearance of the company here next week at the Academy of Music.

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Columbia Circle—C. F. Pross, president; Mrs. K. Q. Hawley, Percy Henry, Miss Blanche Potter, Mrs. C. F. Pross, Miss Eleanor Ronoy, Miss Lizzie Wade, Miss Minnie Wade.

Elm Park Circle—A. V. Bower, president; C. B. Acker, Miss Louise V. Albro, Miss May Albro, C. J. Alexander, Miss Jennie Andrews, Mrs. A. P. Bator, J. M. Hilsbee, Mrs. A. V. Bower, Charles M. Bowman, H. D. Brown, Mrs. Buchman, Mrs. F. P. Christian, Dr. Anna Clark, Mrs. Laura Clark, W. G. Clark, Miss Letta Cloff, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Coolidge, W. M. Curry, Miss Ruth Ellen Dale, Thomas Dale, Miss Carrie Darling, W. J. Douglas, A. C. Edza Williams, Dr. M. L. Giffin, Professor W. R. Grazes, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Griffin, Isaac Huslam, Miss Josephine Hawley, Mrs. Tillie Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Jones, Mrs. L. T. Keller, John H. Kemp, Miss Margaret Leon, Captain W. A. May, Mrs. A. McDowell, W. J. Maycock, Mrs. I. E. Margargel, Mrs. M. A. Munson, Miss Marjorie Munson, Miss M. E. Munson, Miss Minnie Munson, Miss Grace Norton, Miss Alice L. Peck, Mrs. E. L. Peck, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Peck, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Porter, Miss Kate Potts, Curtis Powell, Mrs. H. M. Prendergast, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pross, Jay Reese, Miss Elizabeth Raub, Miss Frances Raub, Miss Meada Raub, Mr. and Mrs. G. Frank Reynolds, Dr. J. B. Ritz, Mrs. Ella S. Sargent, Mrs. M. S. Serine, George Serine, Mrs. C. D. Simpson, Mrs. A. Smith, Miss Helen Slavens, Mrs. Ella Strober, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Surdam, Truman Surdam, Miss Lillian Whitlock, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Whittemore, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Whittemore, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Williams, Dr. M. L. Louisa Williams, G. C. Youcm, C. W. Zimmerman.

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