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SOCIAL EVENTS

Pleasant Evening.

Mid the glimmering of the dingy moon as it shed its radiant rays through the boughs of the splendor oaks, which were tossed to and fro by the vesper breeze, spotted with electric lights here and there was the scene which overshadowed one hundred and fifty gay young people who gathered on the lawn in front of the Graded School Friday night at which time the Philathea class of the Baptist church, equal to the surroundings, majestically entertained the Baracas. The sublime and romantic intermingled the occasion when the jovial crowd joined hand in hand in playing the games of the days of their childhood and merriment ruled supreme mid shouts of laughter as the ceremony of King William was King George's son went its rounds. But this was not the finish for the spirited crowd held their breath as the handkerchief went round the ring and silently dropped behind some one who perchanced to steal a glance at his financier. The desert which is always much to be desired was watermelon.

Thus passed an evening long to be remembered by the Philatheas and Baracas of the Baptist church.

In Honor of Her Guest.

Miss Pearl Ellis, an attractive member of the younger set, gave a picnic party to certain of her friends Tuesday, August 8th, at the splendid country seat and club-house of Mr. Robert L. Holt in honor of her visitors, Misses Eloise and Belle Cannaday, of Oxford, and Miss Frances Cheatham, of Henderson, the guest of her cousin, Miss Trixie Ward. Riding out in the early morning, the young people were met at the club-house by Mr. Holt and Mr. Charles Ward. The clubhouse doors were thrown open, and the visitors made to feel at home by Mr. Holt's genial welcome. Visiting the many places of interest on the place, the fish pond, the newly constructed dam, and the pretty environs of the house. Punch was served in the big living room. The dining room was alive with the baskets of the picnickers. The party consisted of Misses Pearl Ellis, Trixie Ward, Frances Cheatham, Eloise and Belle Cannaday, Flora Garret, Carrie Willis and Anna Morgan Faucette, Messrs. Fuller Gates, George Sharpe, John Lashley, Claude Holt, Walter Storey, Ralph Holt Fleming, Paul Morgan and Erwin Montgomery.

Evening Party.

Miss Jolitte Isley delightfully entertained twenty four of her friends to an evening party at the beautiful home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jos. A. Isley on Davis Street from six to nine Thursday evening. The central feature of the evening was a contest "Mothers Workbasket" in which the prize a beautiful box of candy was awarded to Miss Mamie Guthrie and the booby a knife to Mr. Claude Holt.

Refreshments consisting of cake cream and punch were served.

After spending several jolly hours the crowd after voting Miss Isley a charming hostess returned to their homes.

Those present were: Misses Trixie Ward, Ruth Holt, Pauline Coble, Lorraine Isley, Evie and Lelia Lamb, Bessie May Walker, Hattie Walker, Sadie Trollinger, Agnes Faucett, Mamie Guthrie, Louise Murray, Blanche Thomas and Francis Cheatham of Henderson. Messrs. Claude Holt, Edward Morgan, Jennings Flemings, Ralph Holt, Hall and Chris Isley, Adrain Carroll and Erwin Montgomery.

Burlington Hosiery Mill Start.

The Burlington Hosiery Mill Co., will resume operation Monday Aug. 21st 1911 and we invite our former help back.

Yours Very Respectfully
G. W. Fogleman

Miss Edith Walker Entertains.

Miss Edith Walker entertained a number of her friends at her home on Front Street Friday night from 9 to 12 o'clock. The entertainment was in honor of her visitors, Misses Daisy and Lucy Rodgers of Durham, and Miss Lucy Jordan of Morganton. Pleasant games were the chief feature of the evening. Refreshments were very much enjoyed. Those who enjoyed the occasion were:

Misses Sadie Fonville, Maude Dixon, Mary and Beulah Foster, and Nellie Flemming. Messrs. Henry and Sipe Fleming, Vitus and Edgar Holt, J. W. Lashley Jr., and Harvey Riggins.

Picnic Outing

The annual picnic of the patrons of R. F. D. 5 and the Longs Chapel Sunday School was held Saturday at Stonewall Springs. The day was ideal for a picnic outing and the jolly crowd and picturesque scenery equal to the occasion.

Prof. W. A. Harper, President of Elon College was present and spoke to the people at some length on the subject "Conservation." J. R. Hoffman was there to assist in the eating stunt and was called on and responded in his usual good natured way with a speech which was well received by his hearers.

The dinner was there in quantity and quality and after every body had eaten, much was left to be carried home.

After spending a day of pleasure the guest dispersed declaring Mr. Hall their carrier a popular and jolly good fellow one of those kind who knows how to make people enjoy themselves and feel at home.

In Honor of Friends.

Miss Ruth Dameron was hostess to a party of friends which she entertained Thursday night at Pillowbrook pond. Boat-riding was the chief pleasure of entertainment. The party consisted of Miss Alma Clayton, of Stem, and Mrs. Annie Loue Wilson, of Raleigh, honor guest, and Misses Emma Love, Bessie and Ruth Dameron, and Kate Walker, with Messrs. Jerry Lea, L. L. Lamb, of Siler City, J. A. Sykes, of Wilson, and R. S. Pace, of Pichmond.

Mitchell—McKeel.

Mr. James C. Mitchell and Miss Blonda McKeel were married at the Reformed parsonage last Saturday evening at 8 o'clock by Rev. J. D. Andrew.

The quietude of the marriage makes it romantic, only Misses Ruby Ross and Lena Andrews and Messrs. "Tink" Horne and Carl Page being present to witness the legality and solemnity of the pleasant occasion.

Although tender in years both stand prominently among our social circles and have many favorites who hasten to extend the handshake of congratulations.

Miss McKeel is pretty and accomplished, having been one of our telephone operators during the spring and summer months, and Mr. Mitchell is to be congratulated upon winning her as his bride.

Mr. Mitchell is a carpenter and mason and is employed by his father.

Fogleman—Goss.

Mr. R. Lee Fogleman and Miss Mamie Goss were happily married in the Reformed parsonage here at 8 p. m., Sunday, August 13th by Rev. J. D. Andrew.

They begin life with the best wishes of a host of friends.

Hurdle—Rudd.

Mr. J. J. Hurdle, a farmer of Union Ridge and Miss Rosa Rudd who has been in the employ of Scott, Mebane Mfg Co. were married Thursday evening. This came as a surprise to their many friends, as not even the associates of Miss Rudd knew of the affair until it was over.

If any one wants any seed peas call on Lee Fowler.

Miss Birdie Holt Entertains.

Last night from 8:30 to 12:00 o'clock, at her home, two miles from town, Miss Birdie Holt entertained a number of her friends in honor of her guest, Miss May Parsons, of Randleman. The beautiful lawn was well lighted by Japanese lanterns, which made a beautiful scene. Although the weather was threatening, many games were played on the lawn. Instrumental music was furnished by several of the guests.

Probably the best part of the evening was when the entire party was invited to the lawn at the rear of the house. Here they found a long table loaded with those delicious fruits and melons for which Mr. Holt is famed. To say that they were enjoyed is putting it too mildly.

At a late hour the happy party dispersed, longing for many more invitations to spend an evening at the Holt home.

Among those present were: Miss May Parsons, of Randleman, guest of honor, Miss Furdle of Greensboro, Misses Mary Shoffner, Mattie and Martisha Thompson, Minnie Layton, Mamie Holt, Miss Madge Thompson of Reidsville, and Messrs. L. L. Patterson, H. E. Rauhut, Dan C. Holt, Fred Holt, H. M. Thompson, Zack Malone, Nicholson, T. T. Stafford and Walter Jones.

Birthday Party.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Mitchell gave a most delightful party at their home just west of the city last night in honor of Mrs. Mitchell's birthday. The porch and lawn were brilliantly lighted with Japanese lanterns. About thirty of their friends gathered to do honor to the occasion, and a most delightful two hours was spent in talking. At the end of that time the guest were invited to another section of the lawn, where two tables stood fairly loaded down, one with delicious cream and cake and the other with luscious watermelons. Every one did justice to this part of the program. Mrs. Mitchell received quite a large number of both pretty and useful gifts. It is the wish of the guests that this event may be celebrated in this way every year.

Garden Party.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Gant Tuesday evening was the scene of a Garden Party given in honor of their visiting guest Misses Mary, Eleanor, Josephine and Sarah Erwin of Durham and Mattie Walker of Charlotte.

With the guest seated on the beautiful shady lawn and the green grass serving as a matting the Gypsy fortune teller came into their midst which was the chief feature of amusement of the evening. The color scheme was pink and white.

Ices and other refreshments were served.

The party was much enjoyed by all present.

Last Notice as to Payment of City Taxes Before Advertisement of Property.

At the last meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Burlington the following order was passed: "Ordered, That the City tax collector be, and he is hereby authorized and empowered to collect by due process of law all outstanding tax due the City of Burlington by September 1st, 1911.

Jas. P. Montgomery, City Clerk.

This order explains itself and you see that I must collect the tax and cannot allow you longer time in which to pay. I must advertise your property if you fail to pay and you need not be surprised to see it advertised if you ask for longer time. All those who do not see me before Saturday afternoon, August 19th, will find me at that time in the Mayor's Hall for the purpose of receiving the tax. I give this last notice as a favor to those who have not paid.

Most respectfully,
A. A. Russell, Tax Collector.

DEATHS

J. D. Clendenin Passes.

Elon College, Aug. 12.—A vale of sadness has settled down over the community here by reason of the death of Mr. J. E. Clendenin, which occurred at his home Friday evening at 9 o'clock. It is true that the end had been expected since Mr. Clendenin was stricken with paralysis about two weeks ago, but he had partially regained consciousness and hope was entertained that though he might not permanently recover, he would be able to continue to live for sometime to come. Friday morning he began to fail and the progress of the failure was rapid until the end came at the hour named above.

Mr. Clendenin is survived by his widow, who is a sister of Dr. W. W. Staley of Suffolk, Va., and five children: Mesdames Eula Kirkpatrick, Pattie L. Bradshaw and Miss Nina Clendenin; Messrs. Mack and John Wesley Clendenin. All of these were present at his bedside together with many relatives.

Mr. Clendenin was in the employ of the George W. Anthony Lumber & Machine Co. where he has for sometime held the position as mechanic, a position in which he has worked faithfully and in which he has displayed excellent talent and judgment and retained the confidence implicitly of his superiors. He was a quiet peaceable citizen and Christian gentleman.

The funeral will be conducted by his brother-in-law Rev. W. W. Staley D. D., of Suffolk, Va., and the burial will take place at the Mount Herman Methodist Protestant church in southern Alamance, the community in which he was born and the church which he was a faithful member to the day of his death.

Death of Mrs. Patterson.

Mrs. Mary Alice Patterson wife of Wm. H. Patterson died at their home on Tarpley Street Sunday August 13th after a brief illness of appendicitis.

Mrs. Patterson was 31 years old and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Neese of Guilford County. She was married to Mr. Patterson about five years ago to this union were born two sons and one daughter, the daughter which was only an infant was buried at Pine Hill Cemetery last Wednesday.

Besides a heart broken husband she leaves father and mother one sister and three brothers to mourn their loss. She being the sister of Messrs Cecil and Henry Neese of this city.

While a girl she professed religion and joined the Mt. Hope Reformed Church later moving her membership to the Burlington Reformed Church. She was a good woman and lived a consecrated christian life, never for getting the parental training received in her home.

Funeral services were held in home Monday evening at five-thirty by Rev. J. D. Andrew and was attended by a large number of sorrowing friends and relatives after which the remains were laid to rest at Pine Hill Cemetery.

Death.

The remains of Mr. John Johnson of Spencer were brought here Saturday night and carried to Mt. Olive Sunday for burial. Mr. Johnson was the son-in-law of Mr. Sherman Gloss, and when in our town was a machinist at Aurora Cotton Mill.

Death of Mrs. Shaw.

Rev. J. D. Andrew was called to the Brick Church last Friday to conduct the funeral of Mrs. Jas. C. Shaw, who died on Thursday, aged 30 years and 18 days. She leaves a husband and 6 children ranging in age from 9 months to 13 years.

In Memoriam.

On the 25th day of July, 1911, there passed away Private James J. Foster, of Company E. 13th North Carolina state troops, at his home in Burlington, N. C. He enlisted in the above named Company and Regiment in the spring of 1861, and he served as a private soldier throughout the entire struggle for southern independence, being captured on the 1st day of April, 1865, near Petersburg, when the lines of Lee were broken in that last fierce struggle for the capture of Richmond.

No braver or better soldier served in that great war. Always at his post of duty, and always in the forefront of every fight his command was engaged in, he exemplified the true man and true soldier in all things. The writer served with him and knows whereof he speaks when he says that such was his record as a soldier. After the war was over, he with all other true southern soldiers, accepted the results and went to work to build up the south, and he was a good citizen, and did his duties as such in every way, rendering due obedience to all the laws of the land.

The writer visited him often during his last days, and he expressed his confidence in the religion of Jesus Christ, and his acceptance of the Saviour as his hope for salvation, and also that he was, he said, fully prepared to answer the last roll call.

To the family of my deceased friend and comrade I extend my heart-felt sympathy in this, to them, great bereavement.

William M. Andrews, First Lt. Co. E. 13th N. C. Regiment. Burlington, N. C. Aug. 12th, 1911.

Ford Model T Touring Car Record.

Mr. G. W. Fogleman carried five passengers in his car from Elon College and return, a distance of 58.2 miles, at the cost of forty-five cents. This was the cost of gasoline and lubricating oil.

In the Burlington Sunday Schools.

Sunday School Totals.		
Attendance.	Collection.	
M. E.	390	\$12.21
Baptist	222	5.65
Presbyterian	108	2.45
German Ref.	147	2.45
Christian	188	8.47
M. P.	151	2.81
Webb Ave.	97	7.00
	1248	\$32.62
MEN'S BIBLE AND BARACA CLASSES TOTALS.		
Attendance.	Collection.	
Baptist	65	2.50
Presbyterian	13	1.22
Christian	31	1.08
M. P.	32	1.58
German Ref.	28	5.50
Webb Ave.	102	5.23
Snw Camp.		
Total today	271	\$17.11

Notice to Carriers.

On account of so many picnics in the county, The Rural Carriers of Alamance County in meeting assembled Aug. 15, decided not to have a picnic.

With best wishes to all the carriers, subs. and patrons, we are, Respectfully,
Rural Letter Carriers Association of Alamance.
J. A. Lowe, Secretary.
W. J. Brooks, President.

Three Badly Scalded.

The crown plate of engine No. 904 blew out Friday evening two miles west of Method, causing a mass of steam to pour from the fire box and scalded conductor Finch, Engineer Stoger and his colored fireman John Maxey. All were immediately taken to the hospital at Raleigh. Though the condition of Mr. Finch is reported serious and not expected to recover. While all are badly scalded the others will probably recover.

STATE FAIR ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Premium List of the Fifty-first Great State Fair of North Carolina is just off the press. The Fair is to be held as usual during the third week in October, coming this year between the 16th and the 21st. The book is neatly bound in an attractive cover, well printed on good paper, and has a few more pages than usual.

Department classifications have been revised again this year and premiums further increased. In Department A (Field and Garden Crops), the policy adopted this year is to divide the big money awards into more premiums; for instance, three prizes now offered in the individual agricultural exhibit, ten in the Men's Corn Contest, twenty-four in the Boys' Corn Contest, and eleven in the Cotton Contest.

The girls are remembered this year, a Tomato Contest having been instituted, with seven prizes.

A notable increase of premiums is in the tobacco section, made possible by Mr. J. O. W. Gravelly and other citizens of Rocky Mount.

Coming to livestock, it is a significant fact that the Percheron Society of America, for the first time this year, is offering its magnificent prizes at our Great State Fair, of four Southern Fairs thus put on a plane with the greatest fairs of the United States. The Fair has also enlarged its own premiums in the Percheron class. Other great livestock associations tendering their prizes here this year are the Holstein-Friesian Association of America, American Hereford Association, Hampshire Sheep Association (increased this year), Angora Goat Association, four Fair doubles Angora premiums), American Poultry Association, American Berkshire Association, North Carolina Berkshire Association, Duroc-Jersey Association, Berkshire World Fatality Show, American Plymouth Rock Club. This Fair supplements several of these special offers.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

Two women try to show their fondness for each other with kisses; two men with kicks. The kind of girl every man wants to marry is the kind his mother does not want him to. The reason a man likes blood and thunder in novels is he's so mild and gentle in real life. The average man would rather have you think he had a fine taste about neckties than that he was a good citizen.

GOV. OF SOUTH CAROLINA SHOWS VINDICTIVE SPIRIT

Columbia, S. C., Aug. 10.—Newspaper publication of statements, with sworn affidavits, that Gov. Cole L. Blease had been rude to Miss Mary J. Rogers, railway ticket agent at Belton, S. C., was followed by the revocation by the Governor of the commissions as notary of J. R. Alexander, who made one of the affidavits that the Governor was impolite, and of J. A. Harton and J. A. Merritt, before whom the affidavits of Mr. Alexander and Miss Rogers were made. Governor Blease issued a statement saying in part:

"I have cancelled the commissions of the three notaries public taking part in this dirty transaction and so other people will feel free to take. Every one who has known me from my childhood up will testify to the fact that I have at all times and on all occasions been polite and courteous to every body, and particularly so to ladies; and I am satisfied that my friends do not believe that I was disrespectful on this occasion."

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