

ANNIHILATION OF PRICES

Bewilderment of Competition. This great sale continues in a blaze of Glorious Bargains. Every day from morning till night a steady stream of Customers

Money for Every Man, Women and Child in This Community

The clink of gold—the glingle of silver—the clink of money saved will linger in the pockets of the people long after this sale is closed and forgotten. There is pleasure and profit in trading here—every department of this big business is buzzing with purchasing chances that few can afford to miss—the great Holiday display is the live topic just now—everybody wants gifts for Xmas and the useful kind are the kind most acceptable—we can find for you just what you want and at a price that will be lower than you figured on paying.

Doils and Go-Carts

For the Dear Little Ones.
All Prices.

Umbrellas

50c values at..... 39c
75c goods at..... 50c
\$1.00 values at..... 79c

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

The Suits for Men and Boys are the best values to be had. You cannot afford to let this sale pass and not see our lines. The prices have been reduced to the lowest price.

Percales, Outings, Sheetings and Domestic at Cut Prices. Big Values

MORROW-BASS CO.

(INCORPORATED)

31-33 East Trade Street, Charlotte N. C.

Don't Forget our stock of Lace Curtains and Window Shades

The Goodness of Our Offerings Leave No Doubt in the Minds of the People as to Where They Should Buy

NEVER, NEVER, NEVER again will you have such an opportunity as this—for it is very probable that never again will the conditions be as they are today. The mighty dollar doing double duty—each and every dollar spent brings the returns that it should—you can shop here and see your dollars grow—actually grow—we mean this and we do not hesitate to make it strong that we want you to come—come only to see if you are skeptical—others have done this and when they came they could only say one thing—IT'S THE GREATEST I EVER SAW! This is the one general verdict—we want you here—many of you are waiting—fair warning—don't wait too long—the days are slipping away—soon the great sale will end.

Millinery

The price is just half (1/2) the old price. Think what you save.

Blankets and Comforts

The prices are so low that your sleep will be better.

DRY GOODS

No greater values have ever been offered to the trade than you will find on our counters, 25c goods for 19c; 50c and 60c goods at 39c and 43c. Look at the goods and you will be pleased.

Society

MRS. MALLINCKRODT IDEAL TOASTMISTRESS

In the choice of Mrs. Harris Mallinckrodt, the brilliant and popular wife of Rev. Harris Mallinckrodt, rector of St. Peter's Episcopal church, as toastmistress of the Missionary Jubilee luncheon yesterday, the committee chose wisely and well.

Her's was the duty of "saying something nice" about each of the ladies chosen to give the toasts of the occasion. That she gracefully, tactfully and cleverly did this, the public can see from the following words introducing the speakers:

"The Woman of Yesterday."

Our first speaker comes from a devoted line of church workers, zealous in the cause of Christ. She is already so well known to you for her own active interest in advancing woman's work in the Master's field that it is scarcely necessary for me to formally introduce to you Mrs. Allan who will give a toast to the "Women of Yesterday"—Mrs. Elizabeth Preston Allan.

"The Woman of Tomorrow."

Our next speaker is from an institution of learning—Davidson College. Her husband has been deeply interested in promoting the Laymen's Missionary Movement. Mrs. Martin is equally zealous for the women of the church to become so thoroughly aroused to their sense of missionary responsibility that the laggard of today may become the missionary enthusiast of tomorrow.—Mrs. W. J. Martin.

"The Women of the Church."

It has been said of her who is to give the next toast, that whenever she gives one of her inspiring talks she seems imbued with spiritual fire—may this fire enter into the hearts of all "The Women of the Church." It gives me greater pleasure to introduce to you Miss Miller of the Jubilee troupe of speakers.

"The Women Who Go."

The fame of Miss Davies as a speaker has already preceded her arrival in this city. One who has heard her—a speaker of note—has told how business men who felt that they could spare but a few minutes of their time remained for over an hour spellbound under her wonderful influence—they, as well as the women—enthralled. If she has such power to make men stay—that must be her influence when she says to women—go.—Miss Davies.

"The Women to Whom They Go."

The tongue of a ready speaker has not been vouchsafed to us all—but, this among many other delightful attributes, has been given to Mrs. C. E. Mason, and we are proud of her. She will now give the toast to "The Women to Whom They Go."

"The Women Who Wait."

This toast will be given by one whose loving devotion in the Master's service is unsurpassed in this community. Her undying zeal for the cause of missions is a lesson to each one of us. Some must go—others must work and pray while they wait. Among the women who wait in true spirit is Mrs. W. L. Nicholson.

Beautiful Tribute.

We are celebrating our Jubilee.

Terrible Suffering

Eczema All Over Baby's Body.
"When my baby was four months old his face broke out with eczema, and at sixteen months of age, his face, hands and arms were in a dreadful state. The eczema spread all over his body. We had to put a mask or cloth over his face and tie up his hands. Finally we gave him Hood's Sarsaparilla and in a few months he was entirely cured. Today he is a healthy boy." Mrs. Inez Lewis, Barling, Maine.
Hood's Sarsaparilla cures blood diseases and builds up the system.
Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets called **Sarsatabs**.

but she who is now to speak to you has for many more than fifty years untiringly labored in the cause of missions at home and abroad. She was a leader among the women of yesterday. She is a power among the women of today, and may she live long to be an inspiration to the women of tomorrow; she whom we call God's best.—Mrs. Jane Wilkes.

To Mrs. Gibbon.

An unexpected but richly deserved toast was proposed by Mrs. C. E. Mason, mistress of Jubilee ceremonies, to Mrs. Robt. L. Gibbon, to whom Charlotte was indebted for, having the Jubilee. In very happy words Mrs. Mason expressed appreciation of Mrs. Gibbon's "untiring efforts, energy and zeal," and "but for whom," as she very truthfully said, "Charlotte would not have had this glorious Jubilee." The sentiment was enthusiastically applauded.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

The gymnasium class of the Y. W. C. A. will not meet this evening at the Presbyterian College on account of the illness of the physical director, Miss Hodgkin. Class will be held on next Tuesday evening, December 19th, as usual.

The vesper service at the Y. W. C. A.

next Sunday will be in preparation for the Christmas season. Rev. R. L. Patterson, of St. Mark's Lutheran church, will give the message and a great deal of emphasis will be laid on the singing. Many Christmas carols will be sung.

MISS HUTCHISON'S EUCHRE GUESTS

The social event of the evening—a very beautiful one to be—the euchre party which Miss Susie Nye Hutchison will give at her elegant home on North Tryon street. The invited guests are:

Misses Jean Dowd, Mary Johnston, Julia Irwin, Emily Holt, Nancy Anderson, Sarah Wilson, Alma Oates, Flora Bryan, Corrie Fore, Katherine Pogram, Mary N. Mellon, Lily May Loving, Elizabeth Chambers, Margaret Houghton, Melva Carr, Lida Caldwell, Adelaide Orr, Lillian Reid, Estelle Hargrave, Helen Liddell, Anna F. Liddell, Polly Shannonhouse, Nancy Brown, Marie Thomas, Alma Maxwell, Esther Springs, Ruth Reilly, Laura Reilly, Volight, Carolina Voight, Lula Tallafra, Katherine Cramer, Sarah Brockenbrough, Minta Jones, Margaret Reese, Mary M. Myers, Ruth Lillard, Susie Cowles, Manjer Moseley, Flora Jeffries, Mary Martin, Louise Parks.

Messrs. Richard Harris, Sterling Graydon, Edgar Wohlford, Wm. Wilson, Laurie Dixon, Mangum Webb, John A. Parker, E. S. Alexander, Dr. A. Brenner, H. C. Sherrill, T. P. Nash, Sid McAden, Wm. Jones, C. Tarver, Fonville, Lynch, Geo. Wilson, John Irwin, Chas. Tillett, Tom Hayes, Wm. Bradford, G. G. Simpson, Preston Wilkes, Frank Pogram, Rufus Smith, Malcolm Bradford, Rufus M. Johnston, Rufus Hicks, Rob. Hutchison, Frank Hutchison, R. F. Dalton, Thurman Long, Tom McAden, Abner Nash, Louis Vreeland, Robt. Johnson, McBride, Horace Jonsson, Hamilton Jones, Robin Brem, Fred Nash, James Harris, Walter Lambeth, eGo. Thomas, Agnew Bahson, Griffith, Herbert Irwin, Frank Drane, Jackson Beall, Tom Moore, Geo. Barringer and Dr. Myers Hunter; Mr. and Mrs. Melvain, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Morson; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wadsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Simmons.

WOMAN'S CLUB.

The executive board of the Woman's Club will meet tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock with Miss Josephine Dillehay, on South Boulevard. A full attendance is desired.

MRS. NIBSET'S GUESTS.

Miss Annie Hardin, of Chester, S. C., arrived in the city this morning to be the guest of Mrs. W. O. Nibset for a few days at her home on North Tryon street.

Mrs. W. C. Heath and Mrs. John

Crow, of Monroe, are also guests of Mrs. W. O. Nibset.

MISS LOUISE NESBIT, of Van Wyck, S. C., who has been ill in this city for the past three weeks, is much improved. She is now the guest of Mrs. Nibset, but will return home Saturday.

MRS. ORR GIVES LUNCHEON

Among the delightful hospitalities of the week was the luncheon given this afternoon by Mrs. William S. Orr, at her attractive home on South Church street, in compliment to her charming guest, Mrs. John M. Orr, of Birmingham, Ala. Very beautiful were the Xmas colors—the red and green—combined on the richly set luncheon board.

SILVER WEDDING CELEBRATION.

color scheme that will tell a love tale of other days as well as mark an anniversary of the happy denouement, will be silver gray, at the hospitable home, tonight, of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Ross.

This is the 25th anniversary of their marriage, and they are to celebrate it in a delightful reception from 8-11 o'clock. Their main decorative effect will be green. The halls, living room and parlor will be set with potted plants, ferns and palms. In the dining room white carnations will be used with smilax and dainty ferns.

Chairman Ovens Receive Letters

Congressman Webb is Coming to The "Greater Charlotte Club Dinner" — President Finley Can not Come—Many Names Being Added.

It's coming.

The annual dinner of the Greater Charlotte Club on Dec. 28.

Chairman David Ovens is adding names to his list and dollars to his pocket, for the "Greater Dinner."

Among the acknowledgments from prominent out-of-town men, the public will be interested in these:

Congressman Webb, Washington, D. C., Dec. 12, 1911

Mr. David Ovens

Charlotte, N. C.

My dear Mr. Ovens:

I have just received your kind letter inviting me to be present at your municipal dinner on December 28th, and unless I am providentially hindered I will be with you. I thank you very much for the invitation.

With best wishes always, I am

Your friend,

E. Y. WEBB.

President Finley.

Washington, D. C.

December 12, 1911

Mr. David Ovens,

Chairman, committee on arrangements.

The Greater Charlotte Club, Charlotte, N. C.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of the 9th instant inviting me to attend your big municipal dinner to be given at the Selwyn hotel on Thursday, December 28th, has been received.

I appreciate the honor of this invitation very highly and should be delighted to attend the dinner and meet so many of the leading citizens of Charlotte if I could possibly arrange to do so. I regret very much that an important business engagement entered into prior to the receipt of your letter will make it impossible for me to be in Charlotte on that date.

If a suitable opportunity shall present itself during the progress of the dinner, please convey to your fellow citizens of Charlotte an expression of my regret at being unable to be your guest and my sincere wishes for the continued progress and prosperity of your thriving and enterprising city.

Yours truly,

W. W. PINLEY, President.

Ultimatum.

Charlotte, Dec. 14, 1911.

Dear Sir: You no doubt know our annual dollar dinner will be given at the Selwyn hotel, at 7 o'clock, on Thursday evening, December 28.

It is only possible to serve 250 guests and we are sure there will be a big demand for the tickets, which will go on sale at the Greater Charlotte Club office December 18.

We are anxious that none of our members will be disappointed in getting tickets and advise your securing yours on the 18th if possible.

The executive committee has decided to invite all men of Charlotte to the dinner, whether members of the club or not, so if you care to, bring a friend with you.

As to the dinner program, it will be one of the finest ever prepared for a similar occasion, details of which will appear in the daily papers. Since it is to say, our speaker, the Hon. Smythe DeBeze, of London, England, cannot be praised too highly as an orator and thinker.

Yours very truly,

DAVID OVENS,

Chairman Dinner Committee.

Battling Greeks Fined \$25 Each

Sam Dimas and Harry Kletto, two warring Greeks, were fined \$25 each in the recorder's court this morning for having engaged in an affray on East Trade street Monday afternoon.

Fettle Green, colored, than whom there is none more often haled before the recorder, was locked up this morning on a charge of being drunk. A white man named J. L. Easley had Fettle arrested, and charged that she and another colored woman robbed him last night on Fifth street, near the Armour Packing Company's plant, their device being to ask him to change some money for them and to skidoo with the coin, while the victim was figuring on what was coming to him. The charge fell down in the recorder's court, but Fettle was found guilty of being drunk.

—Mr. J. C. Wassau, of Statesville, and Mr. E. W. Staples, of Reidsville, are among the visitors noted on the streets today.

Mrs. I. W. Durham Is In Extremis

At the hour of going to press, Mrs. I. W. Durham is in extremis. She is unconscious and death is but a question of minutes.

These tidings will bring sorrow to many homes for Mrs. Durham is much beloved in the city. She has been in declining health since April last, her malady becoming more malignant with the passing of the days.

It has been known that she could not recover, but she has made a brave fight. Scores of friends have called at the Durham home today to inquire of the stricken wife and mother.

The Quickest Cough Cure—Cheap, But Unequaled

A Whole Pint of It for 50c. Saves You \$2. Does the Work Quickly or Money Refunded.

For quick and positive results, the pint of cough syrup that you make with a 50-cent bottle of Pinex cannot be equaled. It takes hold instantly and will usually stop the most obstinate deep-seated cough inside of 24 hours. Even croup and whooping cough yield to it quickly.

The user of Pinex mixes it with homemade sugar syrup. This gives you a full pint—a family supply—of better cough remedy than you could buy ready mixed for \$2.50. Easily prepared in 5 minutes—full directions in package.

Pinex soothes and heals the inflamed membranes with remarkable rapidity. It stimulates the appetite, is slightly laxative, and tastes good—children like it. Excellent for hoarseness, asthma, bronchitis, and other throat troubles, and has a wonderful record in cases of incipient lung trouble.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of Norway White Pine extract, rich in guaiacal and other natural healing pine elements. Simply mix with sugar syrup or strained honey, in a pint bottle, and it is ready for use. Used in many homes in the U. S. and Canada since any other cough remedy.

Pinex has often been imitated, but never successfully, for nothing else will produce the same results. The genuine is guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. Certificate of guarantee is wrapped in each package. Your druggist has Pinex or will gladly get it for you. If not, send to The Pinex Co., St. Wayne, Ind.

Excuse Me!

Drawn by M.MYER

HERE'S A GOOD ONE FOR YOU SIMON! TRY AND GUESS IT!

SURE! I'LL GUESS IT! WHAT IS IT?

HERE IT IS!

HM! LOOKS QUEER— BUT I'LL THROW IT!!!

GEE! IT DOES WANT A BIT OF DOING— DOESN'T IT?

KEEP AWAY NOW! I'VE GOT IT!!

NO! I HAVEN'T! I GIVE UP!

WELL! IT'S EASY. IT READS LIKE THIS— "THE LITTLE DIFFERENCE IN QUESTION BETWEEN US IS BENEATH NOTICE"!!!

EXCUSE ME!!

SHOP AT KRESS' IN THE DAYTIME

We Close at Six Every Evening This Week Except Saturday

EXTRA SALEPEOPLE WANTED

S. H. Kress & Co.

Only One "BROMO QUININE" that is Laxative Bromo Quinine

Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

E. W. Stearns

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