

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

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Club and Society Items Are Solicited.
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Set Back Party.

Members of the Merchants and Manufacturers Club are looking forward with unusual interest to the Progressive Set Back party, which will be held in the club rooms this evening. Play will begin at 7:30 o'clock and continue until 11 o'clock. Club members only have been invited.

Circle Meeting Today.

This afternoon at 3:30 o'clock the Fannie S. Heck Circle of the First Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. E. F. Shepherd at her home on West Corbin Street.

Mr. Yandle Moving.

Mr. Yandle, mechanic with the Motor & Tire Service Company, has moved his family into the Sloop house on Marsh Street, recently vacated by Mr. J. N. Barringer, and family.

Lenoir College Alumni Will Hold Banquet Here Tonight.

Preparatory to the rally meeting to be held tonight in the interest of Lenoir College, the alumni and ex-students of the college in this county will entertain the speakers and the Lenoir Appeal Glee Club at a 6 o'clock banquet at the Y. M. C. A.

Club Meeting Yesterday.

Mrs. J. L. Hartsell was hostess to the members of the Virginia Dare Book Club at an interesting meeting yesterday afternoon at her home on North Spring Street.

The life of Southern writers was the subject of the meeting and sketches of the lives of John Howard Payne and Joel Chandler Harris was read by Mrs. W. S. Bingham and Mrs. N. A. Archibald, respectively.

Following the completion of the business program Mrs. Hartsell served a salad course to her guests.

Auxiliary Circle Meetings Friday.

The circles of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Second Presbyterian Church will meet Friday as follows:
Circle No. 1—Mrs. C. L. White, Franklin Avenue, 3 o'clock.
Circle No. 2—Mrs. J. C. Thompson, Kerr Street, 3 o'clock.

Circle No. 3—Mrs. Nora Hopkins, Valley Street, 3 o'clock.
Circle No. 5—Mrs. J. C. Query, Crowell Street, 7:30 o'clock.

Circle No. 6—Mrs. D. S. Alexander, Kerr Street, 7:30 o'clock.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Burrage, a son, March 14, 1923.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Price, a daughter, Ernestine, Friday, March 9, 1923.

With Our Sick.

Marguerite, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, is seriously ill at her home on West Corbin street. No change was reported in her condition this morning.

A message from her home today stated that the condition of Mrs. C. T. Troy, who has been ill for some time, is slightly improved, and Mrs. Troy was reported as resting more comfortably.

Mrs. Nestor Deaton entered a Charlotte hospital several days ago for treatment and an operation.

The condition of Miss Cottrell Sherill, who has been confined to her bed for ten days, is somewhat improved today.

Miss Mary Cline is able to be at her work again after being confined to her home for several days on account of illness.

Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Fine Arts Department of the Woman's Club, scheduled to be held on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. W. M. Linker, has been postponed on account of the rehearsals this week for the N. C. Folk Play. The time of the meeting will be announced later.

In Honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stringfellow.

Misses Kate and Belle Means entertained a number of friends informally Monday evening complimenting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stringfellow, of Anniston, Ala., who are the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cannon.

Misses Means' guests were Mr. and Mrs. Stringfellow, Mr. and Mrs. Cannon, Mrs. Gaston Means, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Feizer, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron McCree, Mr. and Mrs. I. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gibson, and Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Hartsell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Gibson to Live Here.

Mrs. R. E. Ridenhour, Sr., received a telegram Tuesday morning from her daughter, Mrs. H. G. Gibson, of Tampa, Fla., stating that after April 1st Mr. and Mrs. Gibson and daughter will make their home in this city. Mr. Gibson, the message stated, will travel in North Carolina and part of Virginia for some well known manufacturing company, and will make his headquarters in this state. Mrs. Gibson and daughter left Tampa Tuesday for Quitman, Ga., to visit friends for several days and they will be joined there on the 24th by Mr. Gibson.

Director of Folk Plays Arrives.

Miss Elizabeth M. Taylor, field agent for the Bureau of Community Drama, has arrived in Concord and is busy having rehearsals of the North Carolina Folk Plays that will be given at the Central Graded School Friday night.

Miss Taylor has expressed herself pleased with the selection of the home talent, and Concord is fortunate in securing Miss Taylor, who has taught folk play and is adept in handling amateur players.

Laura Harris Circle Meeting.

Mrs. J. L. McKay and Misses Adele and Mary Phifer Pemberton were hostesses to an interesting meeting of the Laura Harris Circle of Woman's Missionary Society of Central Methodist Church at the home of Misses Pemberton Monday evening. Eighteen members of the circle were present.

In addition to a discussion of regular routine questions, instructive papers were read by Mrs. Victor A. Means and Miss Annis Smeot.

A salad course was served by the hostesses at the conclusion of the business session.

A business meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church was held in the Church Monday afternoon. As the meeting was the last of the year, the chairmen of the various circles made their reports for last year's work, and new chairmen were appointed for the ensuing year. The following are the chairmen:
Circle No. 1—Mrs. R. M. King.
Circle No. 2—Mrs. H. C. Herrington.
Circle No. 3—Mrs. M. L. Cannon.
Circle No. 4—Mrs. J. P. Goodson.
Circle No. 5—Mrs. S. W. Rankin.
Circle No. 6—Mrs. D. G. Caldwell.
Circle No. 7—Mrs. N. A. Archibald.
Circle No. 8—Miss May White.
Circle No. 9—Miss Aegerstrom.
Circle No. 10—Mrs. J. F. Cannon.

Cline-Caswell Announcements.
The following announcements have been received in this city:
Mr. and Mrs. Irving H. Caswell announce the marriage of their daughter
Glenn Morrill
to
Mr. Karl Barringer Cline
on Saturday the tenth of March one thousand nine hundred twenty-one St. Paul, Minnesota.

At Home
after April first
617 Portland Avenue.

Progressive Set Back Party.
The following invitations have been issued here:
The Merchants and Manufacturers Club will entertain at
Progressive Set Back
Thursday evening, March fifteenth seven-thirty to eleven.
Club members only.

The party will be the first of its kind the club has held, and persons who have received invitations are looking forward with much interest to the game.

Byrd's car.
Mrs. Frank Mund, Mrs. W. A. Kendrick and Mrs. E. G. Cook are spending the day in Charlotte with friends.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hartsell have returned from a motor trip to Richmond, Va.
Mrs. Lillian Homesley Botts has returned to Charlotte, after spending several days in Concord, the guest of Mrs. Ada Rogers Gorman.
Mr. and Mrs. Stringfellow, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cannon, are spending several days in Salisbury at the home of Mrs. David Cannon.
Rev. J. T. Sisk and family, who had been visiting relatives at Caroleen, have returned home.

THE PASSING OF A GOOD FAMILY
Mr. Editor:
Mr. R. W. Fleming, or Ren Fleming, as he was better known, was the last descendant by the name of Fleming of a good family.
At what time the Flemings came to this section of Mecklenburg county as it was before Cabarrus was formed, is not now definitely known. They were supposed to have come here about the middle of the eighteenth century, or 1750. They were of Scotch-Irish descent.
Whether they came direct from Ireland, or belong to the Scotch who emigrated to the north of Ireland first cannot now be known.

Rev. Joseph B. March, D. D., says there were two streams of Scotch-Irish emigration. Those who came direct from Ireland to Carolina, and those who came first to Pennsylvania and then to Carolina. I would infer that the Flemings came first to Pennsylvania and then to Carolina. The difference seems to have been this, viz.: Those from Pennsylvania had been in this country long enough to be judges of good land. See Caldwell's history of Rocky River Church. The Flemings owned one of the best plantations in upper Cabarrus when in the virgin state.

They belonged to the new side of the Presbyterians and welcomed Whitefield. I never knew a more decided man than T. A. Fleming, father of Ben. When he once formed an opinion as to the right or wrong of a question he adhered to the right with the tenacity of adamant, and spoke his convictions freely. They were strictly Presbyterians but ever charitable to other denominations. They remained on the same farm continuously for 120 to 140 years without ever moving off, something remarkable for this country. If they have ever failed to keep a contract or redeem a pledge I never heard of it and I have lived a close neighbor for 50 years.

Mitchell Fleming, great grand-father of Ben, entered his first land here in 1787 and it was registered in Mecklenburg county. The part of the farm where the Fleming home now stands was sold by John Hinson to Archibald Gilmer in 1787, and Mitchell Fleming bought it shortly after. It has been handed down from father to son ever since. It will now pass to another name. How sad!

In looking over the old papers I found over twenty-four hundred dollars of Continental money, mostly printed by James Davis, Newbern, N. C., in 1780. It is in paper and in denominations from one-sixteenth of a dollar to five hundred dollars. This was the money that was used for a frugal and prosperous people.

G. C. GOODMAN.

THE NORTH CAROLINA FEDERATION WOMEN'S CLUBS
Interesting Meeting to Begin at Winston-Salem Tomorrow.

Winston-Salem, N. C., March 13.—The formal opening of the North Carolina Federation of Music Clubs will take place here tomorrow morning, Mayor J. G. Hines, delivering the welcome address. Addresses by Howard C. Davis, director of extension, National Academy of Music, New York city, and Dr. Frank C. Brown, Trinity College, will follow during the morning session.

Greetings from the Woman's club will be extended by Mrs. F. H. Patterson, and the response will be made by Mrs. W. A. Harper, Elon College. At the afternoon session, Mrs. J. Norman Willis, president, Greensboro, will deliver her annual message, followed by a talk by Mrs. Moody Stroud, Greensboro, and an organ recital by H. A. Shirley, dean of Salem College. A concert by the Salem College orchestra will feature the evening session.

Mr. Davis' subject will be "High School Credits for Applied Music." Dr. Brown will speak on "North Carolina Folk Music."

The program for Thursday is as follows:
Session at First Presbyterian church; 9 a. m., business session; reports from club presidents and state chairmen; 10:30, group singing; 10:40, address; 1:00 luncheon. Thursday afternoon; Business session, reports of committees, reading of minutes, adjournment.

Dashed to Pavement Raising Umbrella; Dies.
Charlotte, March 13.—While attempting to raise an umbrella in the face of a high wind, Edmund C. Barto, aged 67, was dashed to the pavement, sustaining injuries to his head which resulted in his death within a few moments, here yesterday.

Mr. Barto was formerly an employe of local newspaper, having moved here about eight years ago from the middle west. Funeral arrangements are pending the arrival of a son, now a student at Carnegie Institute of Technology at Pittsburgh.

Quintet Heard With Interest.
A large and appreciative audience gathered at Westminster Church Tuesday night to hear the Bible quintet which came under the auspices of the Westminster Guild. They sang negro melodies and other choice selections. Their natural talent and careful training gave a treat of the harmony of blended voices seldom heard. While every number on the program was enjoyed, special mention might be made of the Trio Dreaming and the quartette from Rigoletto.

If you would be happy—scatter happiness.

BILL BOOSTER SAYS
LISTEN, FRIENDS! ROADS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD LEAD INTO OUR TOWN! CUSTOMERS AND HOME-SEEKERS WILL JAM THESE ROADS IF WE'RE SMART ENOUGH TO ATTRACT THEM! ARE WE? I'LL SAY WE ARE! LET'S GO!!



GREEN BUCHANAN HELD FOR HARSELL'S MURDER
No Evidence Disclosed to Connect Grady and Fonz Buchanan With Alleged Crime.

Bakersville, March 14.—Following a preliminary hearing before John L. Morgan, justice of the peace, Green Buchanan, charged with complicity in the alleged murder in March 1921 of Blaze L. Harsell, wealthy New York clubman, was bound over to superior court without bond as accessory to the slaying. Grady Buchanan and Fonz Buchanan, also held in connection with the investigation of the killing, were discharged when no evidence against them was disclosed.

Gus Miller, a resident of the Pigeon Roost section of Unaka mountains near the Tennessee line, testified at the hearing that he witnessed the murder of a stranger by "Bill" Rainwater. Miller said at the time Rainwater told him the man he had killed was Harry Shipley, but since then he has come to the belief that Shipley and Harsell was one and the same person. Part of Harsell's effects, including his revolver, coat and camera were said by Miller to have been seen in the possession of Green Buchanan.

The three Buchanans were taken into custody two weeks ago when a new investigation of the Harsell mystery was instituted by Miller, claiming that he had new evidence to disclose. Fonz and Grady were arrested and Green Buchanan, father of Fonz gave himself up and was locked up with the others.

"Bill" Rainwater was arrested in December, 1921, charged with the murder of Harsell, but was released following the hearing. He is said to want to travel to the west. At the time of his arrest efforts were made to connect the alleged murder of Shipley with that of Harsell. Authorities here are now endeavoring to learn of Rainwater's whereabouts with the hope that the Harsell case will be cleared up. A new hearing had been set before Magistrate J. B. Craigmiles, but was transferred to Magistrate Morgan by motion of the defense.

566,924 BALES OF COTTON CONSUMED LAST MONTH
Cotton Spindles Active in the South During February Numbered 16,034,713.

Washington, March 14.—Cotton consumed during February totaled 566,924 bales of lint and 47,611 of linters, compared with 610,375 of lint and 49,804 of linter in January this year, and 472,336 of lint and 42,742 of linters in February last year, the census bureau announced today.

Cotton on hand February 28, in consuming establishments, totaled 2,021,903 bales of lint and 156,074 of linters, compared with 1,986,995 of lint and 143,415 of linters on hand January 31 this year and 1,525,212 of lint and 177,656 of linters on hand February 28 last year.

On hand in public storage and at compresses 2,084,494 bales of lint and 44,167 of linters, compared with 3,481,689 of lint and 45,621 of linters on hand January 31 this year and 4,214,862 of lint and 121,357 of linters on hand February 28 last year.

Cotton spindles active during February numbered 35,207,707, compared with 35,249,862 in January this year, and 32,755,359 in February last year. Imports and exports not available. Statistics for cotton growing states follow:
Consumed during February 356,315 bales, compared with 354,019 in January and 302,020 in February last year.

On hand February 28 in consuming establishments 1,258,184 bales, compared with 1,231,460 in January and 796,789 in February last year.

On hand in public storage and at compresses 2,489,335 bales, compared with 3,474,932 in January, and 3,833,200 in February last year.

Cotton spindles active during February numbered 16,034,713, compared with 15,966,294 in January and 15,261,269 in February last year.

Survey of Spinnable Cotton Will Be Made.
Washington, March 13.—Secretary of Commerce Hoover today gave assurances to Senator Harris, of Georgia, that a survey of spinnable cotton on hand throughout the world on July 31 of this year will be made by the census bureau and the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce.

No grown costing more than twelve dollars will be worn by Waukesha, Wis., high school girls at commencement this year.

HOSIERY That Wear

It Pays to Trade at
FISHER'S
Concord's Foremost Specialists
CORSETS That Fit

EASTER

The Time For Smart New Apparel

Every Easter Parade Will Have Its Quota of Chiffon Hosiery

Collar, Callar, What Kind to Wear
Style after style! The new ones come and the old ones stay. Peter Pans eyelet embroidered! Berthas just a little narrower than before! New creations of net and lace, knotted on one shoulder like a bandanna—and that last as popular as ever! New Neckwear will give a fresh crisp look to those "not quite new" frocks.

50c Upward

The Ghey Whim
—in costume naturally calls for grey in gloves. Own a pair! Perhaps you think the old ones will do. Just visit the new Glove displays and you will know they won't. Graceful long charmesettes in colors—
16-Button, \$1.50.

All-Silk Chiffon
Three littlewords that mean a lot. They suggest new Hosiery, smart Hosiery. To say they're embroidered in clocks or 'have drop-stitch effects makes the story just a little more interesting. But to add that almond, African, Cordovan and biscuit are among the colors to be had at a very low price brings a decision. A box of six, please.
Specials From \$1.50 NOW SELLING SPECIAL \$5.95 UPWARD

Skirts Grow More Witching With Attention. The Long and Short of It in Sports Coats.
All sorts of new Skirts have won a way into Spring favor. There are plaited crepes, plain or intricately printed, to complement pretty blouses, or a comfortable Sports Coat. You can Sturdier fabrics compose Skirts for sports, straight-choose either an overplaid coat with cape sleeves or lined and jaunty. All are well-made, exquisitely textured, and assure serviceability \$4.95, \$6.95, \$9.95 up to a very moderate price, \$5.95, \$6.95, \$8.95 up.

Adorn Yourself
—with all manner of new trinkets if you would be smart. Earrings, and long ones, huge combs, necklaces, all sorts; bracelets; cut steel buckles for your dress.
Golf Sweaters Still Forge Ahead.
But neck to neck with it in the race for sports favor is the slip-on model plain in color with its front smartly contrasting. A few of the more venturesome Sweaters, to be altogether different are smartly embroidered.
\$1.50, \$1.95, \$2.50, \$3.00

Dresses—Silk—Easter Frocks Offer Much Diversity in Fabric
First there are the silks, and such silks! Taffetas, flat crepes, printed silks, silks that are corded and others that have twill-like surfaces! Of course, they fashion the dressier modes intended for afternoon wear or more festive occasion. Cloth Frocks are equally as handsome. Each model is an example of smart style and excellent tailoring—
\$9.95, \$11.95, \$16.95, \$22.50 and up

No Woman Is too Stout to Be Stylish! You Can Be Fashionably Slim!
You will be amazed and delighted with your appearance after being fitted to a "Stylish Stout" Corset. You will wonder that such straight, slender lines can be had with such utter comfort!
Your friends will say that you "look twenty pounds lighter"—"three to five inches slimmer"—and all this is due to the slenderizing designing, which you can find only in the famous "Stylish Stout" Svelt-line System Corsets.
They are made in various styles, priced from \$5.50 up, in sizes 28 to 44 waist.

Youthful Hats For Matrons, \$2.95, \$3.95 to \$6.95
Not one whit less youthful or charming than our collection of modes for the younger set, but just a wee bit more dignified.
They embrace all the season's most favored straws and fabrics, trimmed most becomingly with Ribbons, Flowers, Fruits and Jet ornaments.

Presenting the Suit Mode For the Spring, Nineteen Twenty-Three.
The first Spring Suits! What a furor follows in the wake of these first arrivals for Spring, 1923! Paris has had her skilful hand in abbreviated, chic coats—in skirts slimly straight—but you must see the new ones on display here—
\$18.95, \$24.95, \$27.50 up

Easter Handbags
Paisley Leather and Beads.
They are Beauties. The Leatherers are smart in shape and the beaded numbers in four styles.
Special Beaded \$1.95 up.

When You Go Shopping Go to Fisher's It Pays

A Superb Collection of New Millinery

A most exceptional assemblage of Parisian adaptations from the studios of New York's most illustrious creators of the mode.

Now Selling Special \$5.95 Upward

95 Cents

What's a Bandana?
It used to be a handkerchief, not very popular either, when all of a sudden, along came Bandana—everything. Now it's a drape on a hat; or a sash on a dress; a collar, a cascade. An ordinary Bandana—oh, there's no such thing so why talk about it? But when they are so attractive why own just one? Why not a bunch of Bandanas?

Like Cages
—are those veils to slip over your whole chapel. They're always good in black; but it is the light colors, of course, you'll want for Spring. If you're afraid of hiding a bit of the bonnet's charm, try a length of finely shawl, lace patterned veiling, drape it around and you may sail forth looking ever so smart.

EMPLOYMENT CONDITIONS IN NEW BERN RECOVER
Following the \$2,500,000 Fire in That City in December.

Raleigh, N. C., March 13.—Employment conditions in New Bern have shown a rapid recovery following the \$2,500,000 fire there last December. M. L. Shipman, commissioner of labor and printing, stated tonight in connection with an announcement that the federal and state employment bureau would be continued another year in the city.

Mr. Shipman said he had received the following letter from Edward Clark, mayor of New Bern: "I desire to let you know that the labor employment service, which you created here, has met with the approval and commendation of the public here, and is rendering most satisfactory service to those that need labor and to the unemployed. Under the efficient management of Mr. Gerrans, who is diligent and intensely interested in the affairs of this service here, splendid accomplishments will be obtained and the city, as a whole, will derive much good and benefit from the department."

Recent reports from the New Bern office show that the office there during the week ending February placed 43 persons in positions out of 59 applicants; week ending February 24, 56 persons out of 70 applicants, and the week ending March 3, 60 persons out of 72.

"The New Bern office, which was opened as an emergency bureau immediately after the fire in December and which rendered great service in aiding the many unemployed at that time, has just got into a position where it can keep in touch with all employment concerns," said Mr. Shipman.

"Owing to the showing the bureau has made and the apparent need of it in the New Bern section and additional funds available to this office, we have decided to keep it in operation."

Turlington Act Puts Guzzlers Up a Tree.
Wilson, March 13.—The "Turlington Act," seems to have whittled a guzzler up a tree. The first to be up before Mayor Killette were two negroes—Frank Hooker and James Parker, who admitted buying the forbidden stuff.

In disposing of these cases Mayor Killette remarked: "Boys, the Turlington act is as new to me as it is to you, and I'm not going to take any snap judgment against either of you. I'll take this chance, however, and sure I make no mistake in saying you pay a fine of \$50 and costs of \$200 the roads for four months." Parker paid his score and Hooker is in jail cogitating whether he will pay or help make good roads.

People who have the most advice to give often need it themselves.