

# SOCIAL & PERSONAL

**Mr. and Mrs. Roger Parents of Son.**  
Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Roger are being congratulated upon the birth of a son, L. E. Roger, Jr., August 21st.

**Mr. Ed. Morris Celebrates His Birthday.**  
On Saturday, August 18th, the friends and relatives of Mr. Ed. Morris gathered at his home in No. 3 township and gave him a birthday dinner. At 1 o'clock a long table in the grove was filled with many good things to eat. Every one that was present ate to their satisfaction. There were 69 present, viz.: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fisher, and family, of Mooresville; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Burrage and daughter, Ruth; Mrs. S. E. Rogers; Mr. J. S. Isehour and children, of Mt. Airy; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rogers and family; Mrs. Millard Jenkins; Mrs. Leslie Rogers and family; Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Poplin and family; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Furr and little son, Glenn; Mrs. J. W. Morris, Mrs. Mary Moss, Mr. Ed. Moss, Mr. John Morris, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Poplin and family, Mrs. Charlie Rogers and children. The evening was spent in a social way. Several games were played, after which all departed, wishing Mr. Morris many more happy birthdays.

### PERSONALS.

Dr. and Mrs. G. J. Gouger, of Gilwood, and sister, Mrs. Nannie Sloan and daughters, Misses Vivian and Ursula, of Oklahoma City, Okla., have returned from Pleasant, where they spent a few days with Mr. M. B. Gouger.

Miss Grace Hidenhour is spending several days in Lincolnton, attending a Luther League Convention.

Mr. J. B. Sherrill will leave tonight for Asheville, to spend the remainder of the week with his family.

Mrs. C. W. Byrd and Mrs. Burks Withers are spending the day in Charlotte.

Miss Kathleen Sappenfield left this morning for Kannapolis, where she joined several friends for a motor trip to Chimney Rock and other points in western Carolina.

Miss Brice Baird is spending several days with relatives and friends in York, S. C.

Miss Kate Isehour left Tuesday afternoon for Salisbury, where she will spend several days at the home of her brother, Mr. Harry Isehour.

**Attending Fashion Revue in Hendersonville.**  
Charlotte Observer.

An interesting event of the past week in Hendersonville was the Fashion Revue and final ball given by the celebrated Garber-Davis orchestra, which has been playing there throughout the season.

Among the prominent young people seen at the affair were: Miss Calvin Scott, Miss Catherine Morehead, Miss Grace Montgomery, Miss Hamlin Landis, Mr. George Wilkinson and Mr. Robert Dixon, of Charlotte; Miss Alice Yorke, Miss Catherine Goodman, Miss Adelaide Harris and Mr. Jones Yorke, of Concord; Miss Elizabeth Rountree, of Winston-Salem; Miss Elizabeth Carrigan, of Society Hill, S. C., and Miss Virginia Storr, of Raleigh.

Miss Landis, who is visiting Miss Carrigan at her summer home in Hendersonville, was one of the models on the revue.

**Birthday Dinner.**  
On last Sunday, August 19th, the children of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lyerly gathered at the home and gave Mrs. Lyerly a surprise birthday dinner. A large table was set with good things to eat. A large birthday cake was placed in the center of the table composed of 67 candles numbering the years of Mrs. Lyerly. All the children were present except one, James H. of Rosemary. The children are: Mr. David Lyerly and family, of High Point; Mr. George H. Lyerly and family, of Salisbury; Mr. Luther Blum and family, of Concord; Mr. John L. Lyerly and family, of Concord; Mr. C. I. Earnhardt and family, Mrs. G. A. Blum and children, of Concord; Mr. Shuford Tucker and family; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lyerly and Miss Josie Lyerly, all of Kannapolis; Mr. Daniel Fisher and family; Mr. John Penninger and family; Mr. Luke Fisher; Mr. Theodore Lyerly.

All enjoyed the day together. Mrs. Lyerly received many useful presents. We all wish for her many more such birthdays.

**ONE PRESENT.**  
I am a secretary. I am an unusual secretary. And I know I'd love to work for a colyum conductor. I have a sneaky feeling any colyum conductor would appreciate me. And why? Because I have a mania for speed. To illustrate: At 9 o'clock Monday morning you get a letter from a shirt manufacturer asking for your size. You read the letter and sigh. You lay the letter on top of the "litter." Nonchalantly I pick up said letter. I glance through it critically, ask a few well-directed questions, pick up the telephone, and at 10 o'clock you are wearing a size 14 1-2, 33-inch sleeve length, pure linen shirt.

**HEPSIBAH CLEMENTINA.**  
No, Hepsibah—far possibly that is how you meant to spell it—we don't want a secretary. She might have a mania for speed, such as you say you have, but, if her speed interfered with her control, as yours does, she would be more trouble than she would be worth. Before your letter went to the composing room, we had to make one correction in punctuation and one in spelling. How then, could you correct proofs for us? How could you make up the column? How would you know which letters to throw away? And you—or any other secretary—would argue. You'd say, "I think you ought to print that," or "That isn't good enough."

And where would you go at 9:55 that morning, while we were trying on the new linen shirt?

**Two Lives Saved; Two Tempers Lost.**  
A stout, determined-looking man reached the station just as the train was pulling out. He ran down the platform, seized the handrail of a coach and was about to hop aboard when some one clutched him by the coat tail. It was a brakeman, very angry and blustering.

"There, I've saved your life," the brakeman said. "Don't ever try to hop a train when she's in motion!"

Then as the train continued to gather speed the brakeman skillfully swung himself on the steps of the last coach; but the stout man caught his coat and plucked him off like a ripe peach.

"You saved my life," said the stout man, grinning. "Allow me to save yours."

And the train disappeared round the curve.

**JUMBO BARRETT**  
Being Heralded as the Best First Baseman and a Dangerous Hitter.  
(By the Associated Press.)  
Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 21.—Coming to the Raleigh Club of the Piedmont League from the semi-pro ranks of Savannah, Ga., Virgil W. Barrett, better known as "Jumbo" Barrett, is now being heralded by sports writers throughout the Branch circuit as the best first baseman and one of the most dangerous hitters in the league, although until three weeks ago when he joined the local club, he had never played professional baseball.

Barrett has been attracting the attention of several big league scouts by his mighty hitting, the last league average giving him a percentage of .364, which included 14 extra base wallops, five home runs, six triples and five doubles.

"Jumbo" until recently performed on the Seaboard shops nine of the Savannah league, playing outfield. While there he had the reputation of being one of the heaviest hitters in the league.

Both of the regular hurlers on this club were in the hospital list one day and the manager asked if any other member of the club could pitch. "Jumbo" volunteered his services and a contest was held. Two days later he repeated. The officials of the Raleigh club, who were in the market for pitchers, received word of Barrett's ability as a hurler from a person who had seen him work in those two games. The Georgian immediately was signed.

Arriving in Raleigh, Barrett was placed at first base, a position he had never filled before. The youngster played well at the initial cushion, and since that time, with the exception of two games in which he caught on account of the regular back-stopped being out on injuries, he has played first base. After performing at the sack for about two weeks the sports writers are almost unanimous in the opinion that he is among the best-looking prospects for higher company seen in the season.

Before going to Savannah, where he played three years, "Jumbo" played on the Seventh District Agricultural and Mechanical school nine at Power Springs, Ga., as an outfielder and catcher. Kellar Hasty, now a member of the Philadelphia Athletics, was his battery mate during the school days.

Barrett's home is in Rockhart, Ga. He is 24 years old, weighs 194 pounds and stands five feet, 11 inches. He bats and throws right-handed.

According to unofficial figures, Barrett holds the record for the longest hit ever recorded. A drive he made in a series with High Point August 7 sailed over the centerfield sign boards, coming down just inside the outside fence of the park. After the game the sports editor of a local paper, accompanied by two witnesses, measured the distance the sphere was hit, and according to their measurement, the ball sailed 508 feet, two inches on the fly, beating "Babe" Ruth's longest drive of 495 feet.

**The Brother of a Poet.**  
The poet John Greenleaf Whittier, writes a contributor, had a brother, Matthew Franklin Whittier, who was nearly five years younger than himself.

When at an early age the poet had been hit and according to reputation Mrs. Whittier wondered whether her younger boy also might not have literary talent; so she talked with "Frank," as he often was called, and asked him if he was sure that he could not write poetry. Matthew Franklin was quite sure there was no "spark of genius in his make-up, but he said that he was willing to try to write something if his mother would furnish a subject. That most helpful mother, Abigail Hussey Whittier, did her part, and we give below the subject and the result of the effort:

**Daniel in the Lion's Den**  
They took old Daniel by the heels  
And boldly threw him in;  
And all the lions then  
Began—to grin.  
But Daniel muttered stonily up:  
His courage did not fail;  
He scoffed the lions on the ears  
And pulled them by their tails.

The good mother did not call the attempt successful, but it is true that later in life at the time of the Civil War this brother of a poet, wrote a number of humorous letters for the press over the signature "Ethan Spike of Hornaby," satirizing the doings of the proslavery politicians.

**Eighty-five Are Missing as Jap Sub Goes Down.**  
Tokio, Aug. 21.—The newest Japanese submarine, just returned from a short trial trip, sank this morning at the Kawasaki docks at Kobe and 85 members of her crew missing, are believed to have lost their lives. The captain, chief officers, five dockyard engineers and four other naval officers were saved.

The cause of the accident has not been determined. Submarine Engineer Yanagawa, who was aboard the vessel as a representative of the builders, was among those saved. He said the submarine had completed her trial trip and come to the surface when, listing heavily, she started to sink. The captain ordered all the openings closed. Before his orders could be carried out, however, the water rushed in and the vessel sank.

**Dr. Johnson Declines.**  
Charlotte, Aug. 21.—Rev. Dr. Albert Sidney Johnson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city, who was called to one of the largest Presbyterian churches of St. Louis, Mo., today declined the call. He has been pastor of the First Presbyterian church here for five years.

Washington and Lincoln were the tallest Presidents, Cleveland and Taft the heaviest.

**BETTER COTTON PRICES QUICKENS THE DEMAND**  
Southern Cotton Mills Say the Outlook Has Improved.  
Charlotte, Aug. 21.—The upward trend in the price of raw cotton which has characterized the market since the publication of the government crop estimate has resulted in a quickening of the demand for cotton goods, according to local manufacturers and commission men. "It is almost invariably the case," declared one mill man, "that buyers held off a falling market but begin buying immediately when they see that the bottom has been reached and prices begin to rise. The steady decline in the price of cotton during the past three months or more, until the past two weeks, played havoc with the market for goods. Mills were compelled to put into effect a most drastic program of curtailment. This curtailment program is still in effect, but if cotton continues to go up the market for all classes of goods will soon become active and the mills will be able to resume full time operation."

The improvement in the cotton goods market has been noted principally in the demand for print cloth but observers believe that buyers of all classes of goods who have been waiting for prices to reach the bottom are not likely to wait much longer, with a little more notable upward turn in the price of raw cotton it is believed that the buying movement among retailers and jobbers alike became more general.

**Sleeping Powder Costs Life.**  
Toronto, Aug. 20.—Mrs. James McNally, wife of the Chicago publisher, missing in the fire which destroyed the Wawa Hotel at Lake of Bays yesterday, met her death because a sleeping powder she had taken rendered her slumber so deep that she failed to hear rescuers, it was disclosed here today.

Mrs. McIntyre, a friend of the elderly Mrs. McNally, told the story here this afternoon. Mrs. McIntyre, who arrived on the refuge train from the scene of the fire, said she had pounded vainly on Mrs. McNally's door, and finally was forced to flee before the advancing flames without being able to awaken her.

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