

Society

Miss Bertha Ramsey, of Richards, returned to her home this morning, after spending a period in the city with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lewis, of this city, left this morning for Fayetteville, where she will spend several days visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Lucy Wood and children, of this city, left this morning for Taber, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. J. D. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lundy, of this city, left this morning for Montague, where they will visit relatives and friends.

Miss Mary Murray, of Kenansville, returned to her home this morning after spending some time in the city as the guest of Mrs. C. M. Acker.

Mrs. Sudie Oats, of Clinton, returned to her home this morning after spending some time in the city as the guest of Mrs. C. M. Acker.

Miss Mary Brock, of Fayetteville, returned to her home this morning after spending several days visiting in the city with relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. E. Highsmith, of Garland, returned to her home this morning after spending some time in the city with Mrs. W. R. Hartsfield.

Miss Carrie Doshier, of Southport, arrived in the city this morning to spend the day.

Mrs. T. E. Heath, of Bolivia, spent yesterday in the city with friends.

Mrs. B. J. Coleburn, of Morehead City, passed through the city this morning en route to her home from Bolivia, where she has been spending some time among relatives and friends.

Mrs. John McFayden, of Council, has been spending several days in the city with friends.

Misses Annie Murphy and Sophie Moore, of Burgaw, were in the city attending the Corn Show yesterday.

Mrs. R. A. Kingsbury, Mr. Roger Kingsbury and Little Miss Genevieve Kingsbury have gone to Baltimore, Md., where Miss Genevieve will be examined by specialists to ascertain if an operation is necessary.

The condition of Mrs. Ed Sandlin, of No. 720 Market street, is very much improved, friends will be glad to note. Mrs. Sandlin has been seriously ill for a number of days, but is now considered out of danger.

Mr. Willie B. Sandlin, formerly a resident of this city, but now residing at San Diego, Cal., is doing nicely after an operation which was performed on October 24. Mr. Sandlin will return home as soon as he is sufficiently recovered to make the trip.

The members of the Helen Alexander League of the Y. W. C. A. will have a banquet at the association Thursday evening at 6 o'clock.

Invitations reading as follows have been received by friends in the city and elsewhere:

"Mrs. William Henry Green invites you to be present at the marriage of her daughter Mary Owen to

Mr. William Owen Sheppard Southern Wednesday evening November twenty-second nineteen hundred and sixteen at half after eight o'clock Saint James Church Wilmington, North Carolina."

Mr. W. D. McLaughlin, of Tunis, returned home this morning after spending several weeks in the city with his sons.

Cape Fear chapter, U. C. V. will hold its regular monthly meeting tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the W. L. I. armory. It is earnestly desired that every member be present.

Friends of Miss Louise Davis will regret to learn that she has been quite ill at her home, No. 501 North Fourth street. However, she is now much improved.

Miss Jennie E. Woodruff has returned to her home at Summerville, S. C., after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Waddell Watters. Miss Woodruff is to be married to Mr. Carl A. Korn, of Cape Charles, Va., November 21.

Mr. C. D. Brown, Mr. Willie Brown and Miss Maud Brown, of Jones county, are spending a period in the city as the guests of Mrs. Ella Brown and family, on South Fourth street. The trip was made here in Mr. Brown's machine.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Fifth Avenue Methodist church will be held in the lecture room at 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon. All members are urged to be present. Next week will be observed as a week of prayer.

Special services will be conducted at the Seagate Baptist church at 7:45 Sunday night by the Woman's Missionary Society and the Girls' Auxiliary. A number of the city's most talented musicians have accepted invitations and will participate in the exercises. Included on the program are the following numbers:

Reading of a paper on the Louisville Training School by Miss Annie Wells Herring. This school is supported by the W. M. S.

Mr. C. Walton Johnson will talk on the Thomasville Baptist Orphanage. A special offering will be taken for these two institutions.

Included among the musical selections will be a piano and cornet duet by Mrs. W. T. Mercer and Mrs. J. S. Canady.

Vocal solo by Mrs. Oscar Ellis. Vocal solo by Miss Jesse Batson. A number of piano selections will be rendered.

Editor S. F. Thompson, of the St. Paul's Messenger, was in the city yesterday, attending the Corn Show.

Mr. J. B. Lanier, of Alma, N. C., has returned to his home after a pleasant stay in the city with his sister, Mrs. Ed Sandlin, of No. 720 Market street.

DROWNED YESTERDAY. Fell From Castle Haynes Bridge into the Northeast River.

Julius Kirby, seventeen year old colored convict, was drowned in the Northeast river late yesterday afternoon when he fell from the Castle Haynes bridge. Kirby, together with other members of the gang, was painting the bridge at the time. The boy was standing on a scaffold under the bridge and when Foreman Orrell and Guard Todd heard the planks of the scaffold strike the water they hurried to vantage points but state that the body of the boy never reappeared. The current was running strong and they are of the opinion that the boy was carried downstream. Kirby's home was in Rose Hill and he was doing a thirty-day sentence on the roads on a charge of vagrancy.

PERSONAL MENTION.

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FRENCH WAR MINISTER AT SALONICA.



GEN. ROQUES
(General Roques.)

Important developments in the Balkans are looked for shortly as a result of the visit by Gen. Roques, French minister of war, to Salonica. Announcement of General Roques' presence in the Greek city where the Allied Balkan army is making its headquarters, has just been made in Paris. A week ago the French war office officially announced that General Roques was absent "on an important mission."

FARMERS UNION IMPORTANT MEET

Instead of Large Number of Speakers Farmers Will Discuss Matters of Interest.

Raleigh, Nov. 11.—The North Carolina Farmers' Union convention, which meets in Raleigh, Tuesday, November 14, and runs through Thursday of next week, announces instead of a crowded program of speaking attractions, measures of paramount importance which will attract a large representation here.

Of course, the speakers will be here. F. J. H. von Engelken, director of the United States Mint, Washington, is slated for a discussion of the rural credits act and this will be one of the great measures which will be up during the three days session. National President C. S. Barrett has accepted his invitation and will be on the program.

The meeting will be held in the Wake County Courthouse, Raleigh, and Dr. H. Q. Alexander, State president, will preside. The varied features of the union's business will be transacted and then something in the form of a working program will be presented. In a letter this week President Alexander declares that "the work of paramount importance in 1917 is to establish every community some form of co-operation."

This is a phase of union activity upon which Dr. Clarence Poe has written a notable work and in which the union has contributed so largely through the efforts of Prof. W. C. Crosby, educational secretary. Many communities have been organized in the State. The parent body will throw its great power behind the movement.

Secretary Failes directs attention to the meeting of the county business agents and warehouse managers for the purpose of effecting closer co-operation between the county unions in marketing and buying. This will be one of the big features.

The railroads have agreed to grant rates and a material reduction is offered. To this end Secretary Failes urges the union to purchase return trip tickets to receive this benefit. The carriers have for two years given these rates and they make the trip to the convention city much more economical. Four hundred delegates are expected here.

BIG TRAMP SAILED.

Owners of the Edilio Gave Bond in Libel Case—Valuable Cotton Cargo. Having completed loading 7,200 bales of cotton at the Champion Compress of Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son, the Italian steamer Edilio cleared and sailed for Genoa, Italy, late yesterday afternoon. In the vessel's hold also was 5,200 tons of iron loaded at Baltimore. The cotton cargo is valued at \$648,000.

Before sailing the owners of the steamer gave bond in the sum of \$100,000 for the vessel's release under the libel proceedings for salvage brought by the Fisheries Products Co., owners of the fishing steamer, John L. Lawrence, Eugene F. Price, Pocomoke, Portland, Adroit and Fannie M., which assisted the Edilio in getting off the Cape Fear river bar.

The Edilio grounded on the bar when it was making this port a few days ago and was after several attempts, gotten off by the cutter Seminole and the tug Gladiator, after part of the steamer's cargo had been lightered.

THEATRE

One of the most significant signs of a musical comedy success is to have the people leave the theatre whistling and humming the songs they have heard sung by the actors or actresses of the performance. That is one of the reasons why "Nobody Home" the musical comedy de luxe which John P. Slocum will present at the Academy on Wednesday, November 22, has been the reigning musical comedy success of the year. It has stood the test of hot weather, financial difficulties due to the war and has come out on top of the list of plays of the year. It opened in New York last season, played all through the summer in Boston, three months in Chicago and will come here with the original company headed by Chas. McNaughton, foremost English comedian, and Frisco De Vere, Leo Christy, William Blaisdell, Edna Temple, Roy Torrey, well known to the playgoers of this city, play important roles, and John Paulton, Dorothy Thomas, Vera Gillette, and Gertrude Bond all help with the funmaking.

One of the successes of the production is the special feature dancing done by Joe. O. Hess and Gertrude Bennett. These two dancers were discovered by Mr. Slocum and have been the talk of New York through their grace, youth and artistry.

The chorus girls are the most attractive seen in a musical comedy in years. Each girl has a line to say, it being Mr. Slocum's idea that this helps to retain their individuality. They wear exquisite gowns designed by Miss De Wolfe to fit each girl's personality. There will be an augmented orchestra, which will present several odd instruments seldom heard outside of the larger cities.

OPENING OF NEW YORK HORSE SHOW

New York, Nov. 11.—The National Horse Show, the event of the year for patrons of the horse in ring competition, and the first great public function of the season for fashionable New York society, had its formal opening in Madison Square Garden this afternoon, and for a week to come the reign of the horse in the metropolis will be supreme. From every indication the big annual exhibition will be much the same as in the twenty-one years of the show's earlier history, and will meet with the same generous support from wealthy and fashionable patrons with the only difference that this season there will be a little more variety in the character of the ring contests than in former years, and some few additional classes will stir to enthusiasm the horse lovers and horse owners in the boxes and around the tank arena. The prize list this year contains 152 classes for horses and ponies of almost every type reared and used in the United States. A total of \$30,000 in premiums will be distributed among the successful owners.

LATEST PHOTOGRAPH OF GENERAL VON FALKENHAYN.



GEN. VON FALKENHAYN.

This is the latest photograph of General von Falkenhayn, who is leading the Austro-German armies against the Rumanians on the Austrian frontier. It was von Falkenhayn who led the armies which drove the Rumanians out of Austria after their early victories. Von Falkenhayn formerly was chief of the great general staff, the post now filled by Field Marshal von Hindenburg.

REGULAR DINNER TWENTY-FIVE CENTS NEW YORK CAFE.

SATURDAY'S SALE OF SUITS AND COATS



It may be of interest to many of you to know that the Belk Stores keep a corps of Live Buyers in the New York Market every day in the year. They are there to look out for all the new things just as they are created and to be on the job when the manufacturers have anything to close out at a bargain.

The Suits and Coats Featured in This Saturday's Sale

Represent some of the Bargains picked up by these New York buyers and we can safely say they are wonderful. They are so great that they cannot stay here long, so be here early today and see them.

\$20.00 POPLIN SUITS \$13.75

These Suits are made from all-Wool American Poplin, Peu de Cyne lined, fur and plush trimmed; all colors and sizes \$13.75

\$30.00 VELOUR SUITS AT \$19.95

Only about four of these suits in the lot; colors are brown, Burgundy and navy; Peu de Cyne lined; newest models at \$19.95

\$6.00 to \$7.50 SPORT COATS at \$4.98

In Plaids and Mixtures; plain belt or fur trimmed models; all sizes at \$4.98

ALL WOOL VELOUR COATS, \$9.95

Made in the new flared back model 90-in. wide around the bottom; all Wool American Velour Cloth in navy, brown, Burgundy and black; all sizes \$9.95

Belk-Williams Comp'y

MOTHER & DAUGHTER IN DOUBLE WEDDING

Orange, N. J., Nov. 11.—A double marriage ceremony at which the brides were mother and daughter took place this afternoon in East Orange. Mrs. Henry Bright was married to Edward W. Ashley, the ceremony being performed by the bridegroom's son, Rev. Morgan Ashley, rector of Christ Church, Bordentown. The second ceremony united Mrs. Bright's daughter, Miss Dorothy Gale Bright, and Arthur Sanson of this city.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE

The Standard Railroad of the South
EXCURSION FARES
\$4.30 Raleigh, N. C.
Account Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union of America. Tickets will be sold Nov. 12, 13 and 14, limited returning until Nov. 18.
\$18.35 Atlanta, Ga.
Account Southern Medical Association. Tickets will be sold November 12, 13 and 14, limited returning until November 19.
\$7.95 Columbia, S. C.
Account Semi-Annual meeting Southern Textile Association. Tickets will be sold Nov. 15, 16 and 17, limited returning until November 20.
\$38.10—New Orleans, La.
Account National Farm and Live Stock Show. Tickets will be sold Nov. 10 to 13, inclusive, limited returning until Nov. 21.
\$3.00 New Bern, N. C.
Account Institution Sudan Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S. Tickets will be sold November 21 and 22, limited returning until November 24.
\$16.85 Washington, D. C.
Account National Rivers and Harbors Congress. Tickets will be sold December 3, 4 and 5, limited returning until December 12.
\$17.75 Palatka, Fla.
Account Annual Convention, National Farmers Union. Tickets will be sold November 19 and 20, limited returning until November 30.
\$7.20 Richmond, Va.
Account Thanksgiving Day Football Game—U. N. C. vs. U. V. Tickets will be sold for all trains on Nov. 29th and for the 3:40 a. m. train November 30th limited returning December 2nd.
\$4.30 Raleigh, N. C.
Account North Carolina Teachers' Assembly Tickets will be sold for all trains Nov. 27th to December 1st, inclusive, limited returning until December 3rd.
\$16.85 Washington, D. C.
Account Rivers and Harbors Congress. Tickets will be sold December 3, 4 and 5, limited returning until December 12.
\$7.55 Norfolk, Va.
Account Southern Commercial Congress. Tickets will be sold Dec. 8, 9, 10 and 11, limited returning until Dec. 13.
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Motion Picture Stars Become Aviators



OWEN MOORE AND MARGUERITE COURTOT, FAMOUS PLAYERS STARS IN PARAMOUNT PICTURES.

Owen Moore and Marguerite Courtot are beginning to take a rare interest in aviation. In fact, they read the papers every day with a view to ascertaining just which factor contributes the most to the sudden demise of the aviator on the other side—shell fire or loss of equilibrium. The point is, that Director Del Henderson is going to send these Famous Players stars up in an aeroplane in their next picture and they are trying to figure out what their chance is of ever playing in another Paramount Picture.

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