

# SOCIETY

**STICK TO IT TILL IT'S DONE.**  
Stick to it, boys; don't chuck it up  
Because there's somethin' new  
That's glimmerin' in the distance  
An' fascinatin' you.  
Why, make believe there's nothin'  
beats  
The job you've just begun,  
An' keep right at the thing you've  
got—  
Stick to it till it's done.

There's lots o' things looks mighty  
good  
When first they leave in sight;  
The rosy dawn o' mornin' don't  
Tell nothin' o' the night,  
Nor nothin' how you'll have to sweat  
Beneath the broilin' sun;  
You've got your work to do today—  
Stick to it till it's done.

If you just keep a-pluggin', boy,  
Put ev'ry ounce you've got  
O' pep an' grit an' smiles an' song  
Into your daily lot,  
An' tr' yo think your hardest job  
Is just a pite o' fun,  
You'll win, an' winnin', preach that  
text—  
"Stick to it till it's done."  
—Harold Freeman Barnes, in Farm  
Life.

**NORTHROP-WEISSBLATT.**  
The wedding of Miss Kate Cumming  
Northrop, of this city, to Lieut. Willard  
Benjamin Weissblatt will be solemnized  
in Petersburg, Va., early next  
month. A recent issue of The Richmond  
News-Leader has the following  
which will be of interest here: "Miss  
Kate Cumming Northrop, of Wilmington,  
N. C., who is spending the early winter  
in Petersburg, has been the recent  
guest of relatives at the Jefferson  
club, and has been much entertained  
at informal parties during her stay in  
Richmond. Miss Northrop will be  
married February 2 to Lieut. Willard  
Weissblatt, of Philadelphia, son of Mr.  
and Mrs. Morris Weissblatt, of that  
city, now stationed at Camp Lee. The  
wedding, which will be celebrated in  
Petersburg, will be an interesting  
event of next month, and a number of  
Richmond guests will attend the cere-

## RHEUMATISM

Physician Believes a Genuine Remedy for the Disease Has Been Found  
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remedy sold by R. R. Bellamy and all  
druggists, gives quicker and more last-  
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tism. I find Rheuma far in advance of  
the methods generally employed in the  
treatment of rheumatism, and alto-  
gether different in composition from  
the remedies usually prescribed."—Dr.  
M. C. Lyons.  
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rheumatism confidence to try Rheu-  
ma.—adv.

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mony. The groom was at the first of-  
ficers' training camp at Fort Myers  
and has a large circle of friends in  
this city." \* \* \*

**CRONLY-VALENTINE.**  
Of unusual interest to a large num-  
ber of friends in this city is the  
announcement of the marriage of  
Lieutenant John H. Cronly, son of  
Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Cronly, of this  
city, to Miss Martha Chamberlayne  
Valentine, of Richmond, Va., which  
takes place tomorrow afternoon. The  
Richmond News-Leader carries the  
following item:  
"Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock  
in St. James Episcopal church, Miss  
Martha Chamberlayne Valentine,  
daughter of Professor and Mrs. Wal-  
ter S. McNeill, of Monroe Terrace,  
will be married to Lieutenant John  
H. Cronly, stationed at Camp Greene,  
Richmond, N. C., son of Mr. and Mrs.  
R. D. Cronly, of Wilmington, N. C.  
The ceremony, which will be quietly  
celebrated, owing to recent mourning  
in the family of the bride, will be  
performed by the Right Rev. Robert  
A. Gibson, great uncle of Miss Valen-  
tine. Miss Ann Valentine, sister of  
the bride, and Miss Elizabeth Valen-  
tine, daughter of Colonel and Mrs.  
Henry Lee Valentine, also of this  
city, will attend the bride as maids  
of honor, and the groom's best man  
will be Lieutenant Bernard Meredith,  
of Richmond, stationed in Norfolk.  
The ushers, who will be officers now  
in the service, will be announced  
later. The wedding, although a  
quiet one is the most important  
event in society here for the winter  
season, as Miss Valentine has been  
a great belle and beauty in the  
younger set since her debut two win-  
ters ago." \* \* \*

Miss Vivian Mason left yesterday  
afternoon for Waycross, Ga., to visit  
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ma-  
son. She was accompanied by Mas-  
ter Horace Weaver, who went for a  
visit with his grandparents. \* \* \*

The Young Women's Association of  
the First Baptist church will meet  
this evening at 7 o'clock in the  
church. All the members are re-  
quested to be present. \* \* \*

The regular Friday and Saturday  
evening dances of the Cantwell dan-  
cing school will be held as usual this  
week in Hibernian hall, beginning at  
8:45 o'clock. \* \* \*

Miss Mary Clifford Bennett, city  
demonstration agent, has been con-  
fined to the James Walker Memorial  
Hospital for the past several days,  
having undergone a minor operation. \* \* \*

Attention is called to the need of  
more workers in the rooms of the Red  
Cross. The rooms are open each day  
from 10 in the morning until 6 in the  
afternoon. Tuesdays and Fridays con-  
tinue to be the big days in attendance,  
but there is work for all who will  
come every day. \* \* \*

Mr. J. M. McLaughlin, the uphol-  
sterer, had a severe stroke recently  
and had to be brought to his home  
on South Third street. He is still  
confined to his bed. \* \* \*

Mr. Fred Walker, formerly of Wil-  
mington, but now of Atlanta, Ga., is  
spending a few days in the city. He  
has been most pleasantly greeted by  
many friends. Mr. Walker is now  
selling automobile trucks. \* \* \*

"Tell me what you eat and I will  
tell you what you are," was once  
said a clever phrase invented to  
prove someone's set theory. Now it  
is an international war-axiom. If  
you "eat for victory" then you are  
practicing the better patriotism. If  
not, then it does not matter much  
what colors you wear—your patrio-  
tism will only be button deep.  
Little bits of bacon,  
Little grains of wheat,  
Give a soldier's body  
Energy and heat.

## CRIMINAL MATTERS IN UNITED STATES COURT COMPLETED

**Walter Russell Guilty of  
Transporting Whiskey  
Into City**

**NO RULING IS MADE  
ON REED AMENDMENT**

**The O'Dwyers Are Found Not  
Guilty of Making Whiskey  
in Their Home in the  
City**

At the direction of Judge Connor  
this morning in the United States Dis-  
trict Court the jury returned a verdict  
of guilty against Walter Russell and  
not guilty as to Columbus King, both  
of whom were charged jointly with  
violating the Reed amendment pro-  
hibiting the transportation of  
whiskey in interstate commerce where  
its sale is forbidden under State law.  
Russell when held after the pre-  
liminary hearing was unable to furnish  
the bond required, and has been con-  
fined in jail for the past 94 days.  
Judge Connor held that this was suf-  
ficient punishment, and ordered his  
discharge upon the payment of the  
costs. The latter amount to some-  
thing like \$75.

Both the defendants are negroes,  
and were employed as stewards on  
the Clyde line steamer "Chippewa."  
Special Agent Dorsey E. Phillips  
found around 75 quarts of whiskey on  
board the steamer when it docked  
here on one of its trips which was  
identified as the property of Russell.  
It was in evidence in court that the  
King boy had merely acted as an  
agent of Russell, under whom he  
served on board the ship.

All jury cases were completed this  
morning, and the jury dismissed, court  
adjourning at noon until 10 o'clock to-  
morrow morning when the civil cal-  
endar will be called. By reason of  
continuances there will be only a few  
civil cases to be heard, the most of  
these being on the motion docket.

The jury yesterday afternoon found  
Mrs. W. O. Lewis not guilty of hav-  
ing sold whiskey to soldiers stationed  
at Fort Caswell. A similar verdict  
was returned in the case of W. T. Bag-  
gett, from Sampson county, charged  
with illicit distilling.

The most interesting case yesterday  
afternoon was that against Mr. and  
Mrs. M. J. O'Dwyer, charged with  
making illicit whiskey in the city.  
Their home on South Second street  
was raided last summer and a distill-  
ing apparatus and a keg of the prod-  
uct seized at the time.

The defendants, represented by Hon.  
John D. Bellamy, stated that the ap-  
paratus in question was one for the  
manufacture of a meat preservative  
by the mixture of acids and molasses.  
The mixture being bottled for several  
hours. It was in evidence that Mr.  
O'Dwyer had been in the employ of  
Armour and Company for the past 15  
years, and that his product was large-  
ly used in the preserving of meats  
shipped to tropical countries.  
Under instructions from the court,  
a verdict of not guilty was returned  
by the jury.  
The case of the United States  
against Charles Miller, charged with  
violating the Reed amendment, was  
continued, Judge Connor not hand-  
ing down a decision on the point of law  
made in argument of counsel with re-  
gard to the question as to whether the  
"Federal statute is intended to go fur-  
ther than the State law, or merely  
confirm the latter. Upon the con-  
struction of this point depends "wheth-  
er or not it is a violation of the Fed-  
eral statute to receive in North Caro-  
lina a quart of whiskey every 15 days  
as allowed by the State law, when  
such is not received for medicinal,  
sacramental, scientific or manufactur-  
ing purposes.

## RECEPTION TO STUDENTS

**Freshmen Classes of High  
School to Be Entertained  
at Y. M. C. A.**

Invitations have been issued for a  
reception to be extended to the fresh-  
men classes of the Wilmington High  
school to be tendered at the Y. M. C.  
A. on Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock.  
Refreshments will be served and a  
splendid program is arranged for the  
evening, the reception being in charge  
of a committee composed of Messrs.  
Harry Tucker, Chas. Cavanaugh and  
Clayton Bellamy.  
The feature of the reception will be  
a talk by Dr. B. W. Spillman, of King-  
ston, one of the best speakers now on  
the lecture platform of the country,  
and an expert in Sunday school work.  
In addition, there will be a whist-  
ling solo by Mrs. Katherine Otten, a  
reading by Miss Ethel Holmes and  
selections by a male quartette.  
Refreshments will be served by the  
ladies of the faculty of the High  
school.

**Shipping Commissions in Service**  
Washington, Jan. 11.—Shipping  
Commissions at New York, Boston,  
Seattle and New Orleans, today were  
put under the civil service by Presi-  
dent Wilson on recommendation of  
Secretary Redfield. They were the  
only ones in the government service  
not in the classified list.

## SECOND GAME PLAYED BUSINESS MEN'S CLASS

**Challenge Issued to the Minis-  
ters Gymnasium Class for  
Next Game**

A number of the enthusiastic mem-  
bers of the Five-Twenty Business  
Men's Gymnasium Class met in the  
gymnasium of the Young Men's Chris-  
tian Association for a match volley  
ball game yesterday, after which the  
losers served the winners a sumptuous  
repast in the club room on the second  
floor.

Five games were played before the  
championship could be decided, and  
the last and deciding game belonged  
to either side until the last ball was  
served. Many fine plays were pulled  
off and all the players showed marked  
improvement over the class of play-  
ing in former games. The playing of  
Cockey and Wessell for the losers de-  
serves special mention as does that  
of Roache and Pickard for the win-  
ners.

The scores by games were as fol-  
lows:  
First game . . . . . Roache Green 12  
Second game . . . . . 15  
Third game . . . . . 4  
Fourth game . . . . . 8  
Fifth game . . . . . 11  
Capt. Roache won three out of five  
games.

Line-up of teams: Roache, J. F.;  
Pickard, E. R.; VanLeuvan, C.; Bo-  
nitz, H. E.; Becker, C. J.; Taylor,  
Walker, Green, Dr.; Wessell, J. C.;  
Cockey, J. H.; Rice, J. B.; Ahrens,  
Ed.; Cooper, W. B., Referee, J. B.  
Huntington.

At the close of the dinner it was  
decided to challenge the Ministers  
Gymnasium class to a match Thurs-  
day, January 17. Br. J. C. Wessell  
was elected captain and will pick his  
team at once in order to get them in  
line for the game. This game will  
be open to the public and it is hoped  
that a large number of visitors will  
be present.

**Francis Scott Key Anniversary.**  
Washington, D. C., Jan. 11.—Sev-  
enty-five years ago today occurred  
the death of Francis Scott Key, au-  
thor of "The Star Spangled Ban-  
ner," the national song which is re-  
vered by every loyal American. The  
circumstances under which "The  
Star Spangled Banner" was written,  
when the British army was march-  
ing through Maryland on its way to  
attack the national capital and the  
British fleet was bombarding the  
forts defending Baltimore, are fami-  
liar to every American school child.  
The verses were written by Key  
while confined as a prisoner on one  
of the British warships of the bom-  
barding fleet. A day or two later  
they were published in a Baltimore  
newspaper, being first modestly en-  
titled: "A New Song by a Gentle-  
man of Maryland."

**WHO'S MARRIED TO WHO  
IN MOVIE LAND.**

- Gypsy Abbot is Mrs. Henry King.
- Mignon Anderson is Mrs. Morris Foster.
- Cheney is Mrs. Benjamin P. Hickman.
- Bessie Barriscalle is Mrs. Howard Warren.
- Lucy Blak is Mrs. William Conklin.
- Billie Burke is Mrs. Florence Ziegfeld, Jr.
- Laura Burton is Mrs. Jack Mulhall.
- Pauline Bush is Mrs. Allan Dwan.
- Catherine Calhoun is Mrs. Jack Standing.
- Mrs. Leslie Carter is Mrs. W. L. Payne.
- Ethel Clayton is Mrs. Joseph Kaufman.
- Miriam Cooper is Mrs. Raoul Walsh.
- Nell Craig is Mrs. Fred Wright.
- Grace Cunard is Mrs. Joseph Moore.
- Viola Dana is Mrs. John Collins.
- Julia Dean is Mrs. Orme Caldera.
- Louise Dresser is Mrs. John Gardner.
- Lillian Drew is Mrs. E. H. Calvert.
- Geraldine Farrar is Mrs. Lou-Telia.
- Elsie Ferguson is Mrs. Thomas B. Clarke.
- Mabel Forrest is Mrs. Bryant Washburn.
- Grace George is Mrs. William A. Brady.
- Katherine Goodrich is Mrs. T. G. Lingham.
- Ethel Grandin is Mrs. Smallwood.
- Corinne Griffith is Mrs. W. Camp-  
bell.
- Ella Hall is Mrs. Emory Johnson.
- Gretchen Hartman is Mrs. Alau Hale.
- Hylda Hollis is Mrs. Edward Slo-  
man.
- Helen Holmes is Mrs. J. P. McGow-  
an.
- Louise Huff is Mrs. Edgar Jones.
- Isabel Irving is Mrs. W. H. Thomp-  
son.
- May Irwin is Mrs. Kurt Eisefeldt.
- Alice Joyce is Mrs. Tom Moore.
- Dorothy Kelly is Mrs. Harvey Hev-  
ernor.
- Virginia Kirtley is Mrs. Eddie Ly-  
ons.
- Lillie Leslie is Mrs. Joseph Smiley.
- Clara Lipman is Mrs. Louis Alau.
- Louise Lovely is Mrs. Welsh.
- Cleo Madison is Mrs. Don Peake.
- Frankie Mann is Mrs. Donald Hall.
- Adrienne Morrison is Mrs. Richard Bennett.
- Alta Nazimova is Mrs. Charles E. Bryant.
- Anna Nilsson is Mrs. Guy Coombs.
- Jane Novak is Mrs. Frank Newberg.
- Nanté O'Neil is Mrs. Alfred Hick-

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Kirkwood.  
Rena Rogers is Mrs. Frank Bor-  
zage.  
Helene Rosson is Mrs. Ashton Dear-  
holt.

Olive Thomas is Mrs. Jack Pick-  
ford.  
Ruth Sinclair is Mrs. Irving Cum-  
mings.  
Vera Sleson is Mrs. Dick Rosson.  
Mary Anderson is Mrs. Piny Good-  
friend.

Margaret Anglin is Mrs. Howard  
Hull.  
Leah Baird is Mrs. A. H. Beck.  
Ethel Barrymore is Mrs. Russell G.  
Celt.  
Dorothy Bernard is Mrs. A. H. Van  
Buren.

Dell Boone is Mrs. Hiles Welch.  
Charlotte Burton is Mrs. William  
Russell.  
May Busch is Mrs. Francis McDon-  
ald.

Marie Cahill is Mrs. Daniel V. Ar-  
thur.  
Gertrude Cameron is Mrs. H. H.  
Van Loan.  
Lina Cavalieri is Mrs. Lucien Mur-  
atore.  
Constance Collier is Mrs. Julian  
L'Estrange.

Jane Cowl is Mrs. Adolph Klausner.  
Henrietta Crossman is Mrs. Maurice  
Campbell.  
Peggy Custer is Mrs. Jack McKen-  
zie.

Dorothy Davenport is Mrs. Wallace  
Reid.  
Marie Doro is Mrs. Elliott Dexter.  
Marie Dressler is Mrs. James H.  
Dalton.  
Minta Durfee is Mrs. Roscoe Ar-  
beckle.  
Adele Farrington is Mrs. Hobert  
Boesworth.

Marguerita Fischer is Mrs. Harry  
Pollard.  
Pauline Frederick is Mrs. Willard  
Mack.  
Lulu Glaser is Mrs. Thomas D.  
Richards.

Kitty Gordon is Mrs. H. H. Bere-  
ford.  
Winifred Greenwood is Mrs. George  
Fields.  
Florence Hackett is Mrs. Arthur  
Johnson.  
Alma Halon is Mrs. Walter Kings-  
ley.

Gale Henry is Mrs. Bruno Becker.  
Gerda Holmes is Mrs. Rapley Holm-  
es.  
Warda Howard is Mrs. John Lo-

renz.  
Gladys Huletta is Mrs. William  
Farke, Jr.  
Margaret Illington is Mrs. E. J.  
Bowers.

Margaret Joslyn is Mrs. Harry  
Todd.  
Annette Kellermann is Mrs. J. R.  
Sullivan.  
Madge Kennedy is Mrs. Harold Bol-  
ster.

Adele Lane is Mrs. Burton King.  
Louise Lester is Mrs. Jack Richard-  
son.  
Anna Little is Mrs. Oscar Eagle.  
Molly Malone is Mrs. Forrest Cor-  
net.

Vivian Martin is Mrs. W. W. Jeffer-  
son.  
Mae Murray is Mrs. Jay J. O'Brien.  
Evelyn Nesbit is Mrs. Jack Cliff-  
ford.

Miriam Nesbitt is Mrs. Marc Mc-  
Dermott.  
Laura Oakley is Mrs. Milton Moore.  
Seena Owen is Mrs. George Walsh.  
Flora Parker is Mrs. Carter de Ha-  
ven.

Dorothy Phillips is Mrs. Allen Hol-  
ubar.  
Mary Pickford is Mrs. Owen Moore.  
Florence Reed is Mrs. Malcolm Wil-  
liams.  
Ruth Roland is Mrs. Lionel Kent.  
Gertrude Ryan is Mrs. Wheeler  
Oakman.  
Teddy Sampson is Mrs. Ford Ster-  
ling.

Jackie Saunders is Mrs. E. D. Hork-  
heimer.  
Marguerite Snow is Mrs. James  
Cruze.

**Women Win in England.**  
London, Jan. 11.—The House of  
Lords yesterday rejected Lord Lora-  
burn's amendment to the representa-  
tion of the people bill by which it was  
sought to exclude women from the  
suffrage. The vote against the amend-  
ment was 134 to 69.

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