



Theatrical.

graphic card game upon a young cowboy, and the consequences.

Every day at the Grand Theatre is a big day and it matters not how the weather may be on the outside it is always comfortable and cozy within the portals of this pretty little theatre.

LOCAL DOTS.

A negro known by the name of "Manzy" was taken to the hospital yesterday to be treated for what was supposed to be lead poisoning arising from a gunshot wound which he suffered many months ago.

The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church will hold the regular monthly meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the church parlors.

The congregation of Immanuel Presbyterian church, Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor, had the pleasure of hearing a splendid sermon Sunday night by Dr. W. J. Mason.

The scale of seats for "The Rose Maid" Thursday night's brilliant musical attraction at the Academy of Music, will commence at Plummer's this afternoon at 1 o'clock.

The funeral of Mrs. Julia Farrow, wife of Mr. Asa Farrow, was held from the home in Masonboro township, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, by Rev. A. C. Chaffin and interment was in the family burying ground.

At a meeting of the Foreign Mission Society of the Fifth Street Methodist church yesterday afternoon a splendid address was delivered by Mrs. W. M. Shaw on the subject of missions.

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In response to the invitation of the City Council, issued Saturday by Capt. Thos. D. Meares, clerk, to the Chamber of Commerce to appoint a committee to meet with Council for the purpose of discussing proposed legislation and other matters of civic importance relating to the welfare and prosperity of the city.

The prices for tonight are exceedingly low. Reserved seats are 50 and 75 cents, with admission to the gallery 25 cents. Only box seats are \$1.

How to Have the Best Cough Syrup. Buy the Best. Making it at Home.

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Mrs. Joe Ramsey, of Rocky Mount, has arrived in the city to spend some time and is a guest of Mrs. W. B. Thorpe.

Mr. Wallace Normont, of Lumberton, came down yesterday to witness the production of "The Merry Widow" at the Academy of Music last evening.

Mr. Hazel R. Aiken, a well known real estate man of the agency of Wilder & Metts, returned yesterday from a visit of three weeks to his parents at Hickory.

The Colonial Dames will hold a literary meeting tomorrow night at 8:30 at the home of the president, Mrs. E. F. Bailey, No. 313 Ann street. Each member is privileged to invite a guest, and it is hoped that there will be a full attendance.

A union meeting was held last night at Grace Methodist church, by the young and foreign departments of the Young People's Missionary societies, and officers were elected as follows: President, Miss Jennie Corbett; first vice president, Miss Annie Cavenaugh; second vice president, Miss Catherine Damon; third vice president, Miss Eunice Tucker; fourth vice president, Miss Margaret George; recording secretary, Miss Lydia Davis; corresponding secretary, Miss Hattie Midyette; treasurer, Miss Gladys Price.

WEDDING THIS EVENING. MUCH SOCIAL INTEREST. The wedding at St. James' Episcopal church at 5:30 o'clock this evening of Miss Helen Iredell Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams, of Columbia, S. C., is an event of much social interest in Wilmington and other places where the young couple are known.

The wedding will take place at St. James' Episcopal church at 5:30 o'clock Tuesday, the bride being attended by her two sisters as maid and dame of honor, respectively.

The ceremony will be followed by a reception for relatives and a few friends at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Arthur Williams, South Fourth street.

After their wedding trip Mr. Jones will bring his bride to Columbia, where she will be welcomed by her friends and by the wide connection of friends and kindred of the family.

A number of pre-nuptial events have been given in honor of the bride and members of the bridal party. One of the most charming of these was given at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon by Miss Jane Meares at the home of her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Thos. D. Meares, No. 408 Market street, when she entertained at a handkerchief shower in honor of the bride.

Former Wilmingtonian. CLAIMS DURHAM BRIDE. Mr. L. Mac Johnson, formerly of this city, now of Littleton, N. C., accompanied by his bride, Miss Louise Hackney, one of the most attractive young women of Durham, will arrive in the city this morning returning from their bridal tour North and for several days will be guests of the groom's sister, Mrs. F. A. Fetter, at the pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. Fetter, in Carolina Heights.

The wedding of Miss Hackney and Mr. Johnson was solemnized on last Thursday evening in St. Philip's Episcopal church and was one of the leading social events of the season in Durham. The church was thronged with friends and admirers of the young people, a programme of select music having been rendered by Mrs. Manning as the guests assembled, this being concluded with "All for You," as beautifully sung by Mrs. Yearby. The ceremony was by Rev. S. S. Bost, the pastor, and the attendants, Messrs. M. E. Newsom and Sneed Sasser, ushers, entered first, while the bridesmaids, Misses Mary Louise Manning and Willie Cox, came next after the ushers; then the groomsmen, Messrs. James Manning and Malory Hixney; then Misses Elizabeth Howard, of Tarboro; Reba Johnson, of Littleton; and Messrs. Eugene Johnson, of Littleton, and Hal Hayes, of this city.

The bridesmaids wore pink charmuse with silver trimmings. Then came the two dames of honor, Mrs. Fred Fetter, of Wilmington, sister of the groom, and Mrs. Charles Markham, sister of the bride, both wearing exquisite gowns of white charmuse with crystal trimmings and carrying white brides roses. Miss Ruth Nicholson, of Littleton, the maid of honor, came next. She was exceedingly handsome in a green charmuse, veiled in pink and carried an arm bouquet of sweet peas. The bride entered on the arm of her brother-in-law, M. Charles Markham, and was met at the altar by the groom, and his best man, Mr. Fred Fetter. In her bridal gown of white charmuse and duchess lace the bride was a dream of rare loveliness. Her veil was arranged most becomingly and her bridal bouquet of lilies of the valley made a complete costume

for the very lovely bride, who is a beautiful brunette and of especial charm and manner. Immediately after the bridal party left for the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Markham, where an elegant course supper was served from 6:30 to 10 o'clock. The home was artistically decorated in the bridal colors of white and green, the whole lower floor being thrown open, and a profusion of white roses, lilies and palms, making the entire effect most charming.

After spending a few days in Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will go to their home in Littleton, carrying with them the best wishes of a host of friends throughout the State.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. F. P. White, of Shallotte, was in the city yesterday.

Among yesterday's guests at The Orton W. Robbins, Phoenix; O. L. Hall, Currituck; E. J. Hill, Warsaw; Ben Campen, Goldsboro; Ed. N. Penny, Southport; A. E. Dannenberg, Newbern; Mrs. R. C. Carson, Charlotte; F. B. Gault, Lake Waccamaw.

Among those registered at The Orton Sunday were Frank Thompson, Jacksonville; E. W. Brown, Topsail; G. Moore, Rose Hill; D. W. H. Crowell, Whiteville; S. L. Everton, D. C. Sawyer, Gum Neck; A. B. Archbell, Castle Haynes; Chas. J. McMurray, Goldsboro; V. M. Castill, Burgaw; G. J. McMillan, Jacksonville; T. H. Buxton, Charlotte; Joseph Epstein, Laurinburg; R. S. Bond, Rowland.

GIVEN CAPACITY HOUSE.

Fourth of Number of St. Andrew's Lyceum Course Last Night.

A capacity house was present last evening to enjoy the fourth number provided by the Brotherhood of St. Andrew's church in Memorial Hall, in the person of Mr. Sydney Landon, the noted impersonator and entertainer, whose readings from Poe—Edgar W. ("Bill") Nye—Jas. Whitcomb Riley—Henry W. Longfellow and "Mark Twain" were among the best ever heard in this city. So familiar have we become with the pictures of these celebrated personages that it was almost as if the original had been suddenly transplanted to the platform. So natural did they become in his more than expert hands. Where all were so good that mention of any one number would be superfluous, it may be safely said that it was the most delightful crowding into the short space of one hour and fifteen minutes of the most satisfying, refined and elevating evening of the whole course thus far provided and many were the regrets when his final "Good Night" was said.

MUSICIANS.

PRESIDENT PEYSER HERE. Head of I. O. B. B. Delivers Most Interesting Address.

Sunday night Mr. Julius I. Peyser, grand president of the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith, of Washington, D. C., visited Wilmington and delivered an interesting address at Temple Israel, on the subject of the order and its benevolence. The occasion was the more interesting because Sunday was the 70th anniversary of the order. There was a large attendance. The speaker said that it was the most interesting of the work of the order, showing the number of orphan asylums, homes for the aged and schools which have been established. He stated that in this country and Europe there were now 40,000 members of the order. Rabbi Abram Simon, who was expected to be present, was unable to attend.

INFORMATION DESIRED.

Imperial German Consul Has Inquiry Regarding Former Residents.

From the Imperial German Consulate in Wilmington, the Star has received the following, which is commended to the reading of especially the friends of the city.

Information desired of the whereabouts of: Friederich (Fred) Mistler, born March 11, 1830, and Jacob Mistler, born April 30, 1840, both of Hilst, Germany.

Both are supposed to have lived at one time in Wilmington, N. C. Any information regarding them or their descendants, address to Imperial German Consulate, Wilmington, N. C.

Lecture on Robt. Burns. Lovers of the poetry of Robert Burns, whose writings appeal to men everywhere, will be pleased to know that there will be a lecture on the subject of "Scottish Literature and Robert Burns," on the evening of the 24th, by Mr. James P. Whyte, it being the 154th anniversary of the birth of Burns. Admission will be 50 cents and the proceeds will be applied to the funds for the improvement of the interior of the High School building. This lecture will be the first of a series to be delivered under the auspices of the High School Improvement Association. Mr. Whyte is a native of Scotland and it need not be said that his lecture will be highly interesting. Mrs. Whyte will on occasion by singing several Scotch songs.

Altercation Yesterday. Yesterday Messrs. J. O. Brock, electrician on Market street, between Front and Second, and L. W. Warrock, also an electrician, engaged in an altercation in the former's place of business over an old matter. It is said that was supposed to have been settled. It is alleged that Mr. Brock struck Mr. Warrock in such a way as to break his glasses, whereupon Mr. Warrock, being as weak as the first thing he got his hands on, which proved to be a smoothing iron. The case will come before the Recorder this morning.

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