

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mrs. A. G. Ricard is visiting relatives at Kenansville. Mrs. H. D. Springer has returned from New York City, where she spent several weeks with her sister. Miss Estelle Skipper is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Shea Moore at Mt. Airy. She will be away for several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Reilly and little daughter, Helen Reilly, left last night for New York City, where they will spend several days. Miss Anna C. Gause left last night for Williamson, West Virginia, where she will spend some time with her niece, Mrs. R. A. Nelson. Mrs. M. O. J. Kreps, of Columbia, S. C., who is spending several days in the city, is the guest of Mrs. J. H. Dreher, No. 807 Princess street. Mrs. Caleb S. Brinton, of Carlisle, Pa., is the guest of Mrs. H. L. Vollers and will remain until after the Struthers-Vollers wedding on December 3rd. Mrs. Janette Goddard, of Windsor, Vt., arrived on the Cherokee yesterday, and will be in the city until the time of Mrs. J. B. Cranmer, No. 207 South Fourth street. The Clyde Line steamer Cherokee arrived yesterday from New York with the following passenger list: Miss G. Humphrey, Miss Humphrey, H. A. Jackson, D. R. Harris, Miss J. Goddard, W. F. Morgan, W. Rutland, Miss M. A. Rutland, Ellas Bussard, Miss Mary Smalls. Invitations reading as follows have been issued: Come one—come all Indoor Carnival to be held by the Christian Endeavor Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church in the Memorial Hall Friday evening, November 28th, 1913, beginning at 7:30 o'clock a good time provided for all Supper and other good things to enjoy. Miss Mary B. Williams, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Williams, of Carolina Heights, won the prize in the baby contest conducted by the Senior Epworth League of Fifth Street Methodist church at the Boys' Brigade Saturday night. All of the 15 babies in the contest received a large vote. The prize was a handsome set of gold link buttons. Wilson, N. C., Nov. 24.—Wilson people are interested in the announcement of the approaching marriage of Rev. Horace Settle, of Ansonia, Ala. and Miss Agnes Spain, of Greenville, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spain. Mr. Settle is the brother of Mrs. J. C. Caldwell, of Wilson, and a talented young minister, educated at the Atlantic Christian College and one of the leading debaters of the last session. Former Mayor Joseph D. Smith will leave this morning for his plantation in Harnett county, after spending a few days here with his family. He will spend Thanksgiving at his lodge near Swann's Quarter and will return to Wilmington the latter part of the week. The former mayor has been on his place in Harnett county ever since he went out of office in May, but many friends will be glad to learn that in a few weeks he will return to Wilmington to spend the Winter. The annual autumn fair of the Daughters of Rebecca will open this evening at 8:15 o'clock in the Odd Fellows' Hall, Third and Princess streets. The fair will open with a selection by the Elite Orchestra. There will be no offering at the door this year. In addition to an excellent programme of musical numbers and readings there will be several other attractions, including fancy work booth, fish pond, country store, etc. The proceeds from the fair will be given to the Odd Fellows' Home at Goldsboro. Those who wish to do their Christmas shopping early will be interested in a sale of lingerie and fancy articles under the joint auspices of the Ladies' Home Missionary Society and the Home Mission Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church. The proceeds of the sale go towards the maintenance of the Immanuel kindergarten. The ladies hope that all who are interested in this worthy cause will give their liberal patronage. The sale will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Charles W. Worth, No. 412 South Third street. The Woman's Missionary Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will give a silver tea this afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. D. McClure, No. 514 North Fourth street. A splendid programme consisting of both instrumental and vocal music has been prepared for the occasion. A special feature will be several readings by Miss Annie Lines. The offering will be for the benefit of home missions. Delicious home made candies will also be sold. The members of the congregation and their friends are given a cordial invitation to attend. Prof. Heman S. Shaw, principal of the High School, will leave tomorrow morning for Tarboro, where tomorrow evening he will attend the wedding of Mr. C. B. Ruffin, formerly a member of the High School faculty, but now a practicing attorney at Bishopville, S. C., and Miss Mabel Fountain, of Tarboro. It will be one of the social events of the week at Tarboro. Prof. Shaw will be one of the attendants at the wedding. Mr. Ruffin will be pleasantly remembered by many friends in this city as a member of the High School faculty in 1911. Officer Lane on the Job. As a result of Special Deputy Sheriff Lane's activities yesterday in the vicinity of Winter Park, Messrs. Bruce Cameron, W. J. Kiriakos, Jr., Richard Brown and John E. Hanby were arrested for speeding. Harlie Bellamy, Pete Brown and James Hall, all colored, were also arrested on the same charge by Officer Lane. They all submitted before Justice Harris, and judgment was suspended except in the case of Mr. John R. Hanby, and the case against Harlie Bellamy, colored, who will have a hearing before Justice Harris today. The citizens of Winter Park have been complaining for some time about the alleged excessive speeds of automobiles while passing through that village, and they are much gratified over Officer Lane's activities in stopping this practice. Thanksgiving Service. A Thanksgiving service will be held at the Immanuel Presbyterian church Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock. There will be special music and several addresses. The offering will be for the benefit of the Barium Springs orphanage.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Prof. Frederick Richens, recitalist and organist, who was visiting in the city, was organist at the preliminary recital at St. James' Episcopal church Sunday night. An attractive programme was rendered. The large congregation greatly enjoyed the several numbers as rendered by this gifted musician.

LECTURE ON BIRDS.

Supt. Blair Gave Illustrated Lecture at Bear Memorial. An interesting lecture on birds, illustrated by 125 beautifully illustrated slides, was given at the Bear Memorial school last night by Supt. J. J. Blair, to the children of the school and their parents. The lecture was very instructive and greatly enjoyed. The slides were furnished by the National Audubon Society of America.

Thanksgiving Hours. Postmaster Green yesterday announced the hours that will be observed at the postoffice on Thanksgiving Day. The general delivery window will be open from 11 to 12 in the morning and from 7 to 8 in the evening. Stamps will be on sale at the general delivery window during the hours named, both morning and evening. The letter carriers will make one delivery and collection. For your Thanksgiving table linen go to C. H. Fore & Co.—Advertisement.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. C. D. Murphy, of Atkinson, was among the visitors in the city yesterday. —Col. Walker Taylor left last night for Greensboro where he will spend several days on business. —Solicitor Henry E. Shaw, of Kingston, spent Sunday and yesterday in Wilmington and was most cordially greeted by many friends. —Mr. Jas. Stokes, of Pender county, who has been in the James Walker Memorial for ten days for treatment following an injury on a railroad, necessitating the amputation of one of his feet, is improving. He is a nephew of Mr. J. J. Moore, of the Wilmington police force.

Two Robberies Reported. Two robberies were reported to the police yesterday. Cornelia Haynes, colored, who lives in the rear of the residence at No. 514 Market street, said that while she was at church Sunday night a burglar entered her house and stole several rings and other jewelry and a grey skirt. Frank Bessant, colored, who lives at No. 825 South Fourth street, said that Sam Bellamy, who has been boarding with him, got a lot of clothing Saturday night. Sam asked for a lamp to go into the room for the purpose of packing his things. He got the lamp and nothing more was thought about it. Bessant says until he missed the clothing, Bellamy left for parts unknown Saturday.

JUBILATE SERVICE.

Special Sermon and Musical Programme at First Baptist Church. The jubilate service at the First Baptist church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in commemoration of the 25th anniversary of the founding of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary of the Southern Baptist Convention was attended by a large congregation. Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, the pastor, preached a special sermon on the great work that the women have done for the church which made a deep impression. A splendid musical programme was rendered which was much enjoyed.

Committee of Manufacturers Meets. For the purpose of looking into a new process of vaporizing gas a meeting of the committee on manufactures and business enterprises of the Chamber of Commerce was held yesterday afternoon. In the absence of the chairman, Mr. S. C. Holt, the meeting was presided over by Mr. B. F. Keith. Mr. T. A. Darby explained the process thoroughly after which the committee visited the market house, on Front street, where a demonstration plant has been installed. They were greatly pleased with the machine, and will meet again on Friday afternoon for a further conference before making their report.

—Mr. W. W. Pearsall, of Rocky Point, was in the city yesterday attending the hearing of truckers before Examiner Boyle.

GRACE CHURCH TO INVITE METHODIST CONFERENCE.

Action Was Taken at Business Meeting Sunday Morning. Grace Methodist church wants the 1914 session of the North Carolina Methodist Conference and the pastor, Rev. J. D. Bundy, was authorized at a business meeting of the congregation Sunday morning, to extend the invitation and urge its acceptance at the conference next week at Oxford. In her efforts to secure the next conference Grace church will have the active and hearty support of the other Methodist churches in the city. It is stated that Grace church stands a pretty fair chance of getting the next conference. The conference this year begins in Oxford on Wednesday, December 3rd, and will continue in session through Monday of the following week. Only one of the local ministers has served his allotted time of four years. Rev. W. L. Rexford has been pastor of Bladen Street church for this period and at this conference will be transferred to some other charge. Mr. J. A. Parham has resigned his position with the News and Observer of Raleigh, and becomes night editor of the Wilmington Star. Mr. Parham is a talented hunter in newspaper work and in addition is a native Robesonian. We can congratulate The Star upon his acquisition.—Maxton Scottish Chief.

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25c Mohawk Pillow Cases, H. S., 42x36, special at 22c
22c Mohawk Pillow Cases, plain, 45x36, special at 18c
15c Pillow Cases, plain, 42x36, special at 12c
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\$1.25 Bed Spreads, priced special at \$1.10
\$1.50 Bed Spreads, priced special at \$1.35
\$4.00 imported French Bed Spreads, special at, each, only \$3.39
\$5.00 imported French Bed Spreads, special, at each only \$4.39
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\$1.00 quality Black Waterproof China Silk, special, at a yard .75c
25c Solid Color Japonika Silks, special at, a yard .21c
50c Colored Brocaded Armure Silks, priced at, a yard .35c
75c Silk Ratine, 27 inches wide, priced at, a yard .50c

- \$1.00 quality Silk Messalines, 36 inches wide, at, a yard .89c
\$1.00 quality Wash Silks, 36 inches wide, special, at a yard .75c
50c a yard Plaid Suiting, 36 inches wide, at a yard .39c
50c quality Shepherd Plaid Suiting, 36 inches wide, special at, a yard .42c
59c quality, All Wool Serges, 36 inches wide, all colors, special at a yard .50c
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\$1.25 value Linen Table Damask, 72 inches wide, priced at, a yard .98c
\$1.50 value Linen Table Damask, 72 inches wide, priced at, a yard \$1.29
\$1.25 quality Mercerized Napkins, large size, special at, a dozen \$1.10
\$1.00 quality Mercerized Napkins, priced special at, a dozen .85c
15c quality of Turkish Towels, special at, each .11c
65c quality Turkish Towels, extra size and heavy, special, each .50c
25c quality pure Linen Towels, extra heavy, special, each .19c
30c values extra large Huck Towels, H. S., priced each at .20c
Amoskeag and Dodo Cheviots, 12 1/2c quality, special, a yard .9c
12 1/2c quality 36 Percals, priced special, a yard .10c
30-inch Colored Plisse Crepes, special at, a yard .18c
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Lots of new and beautiful things in Holiday Goods received this week for the Art Department.

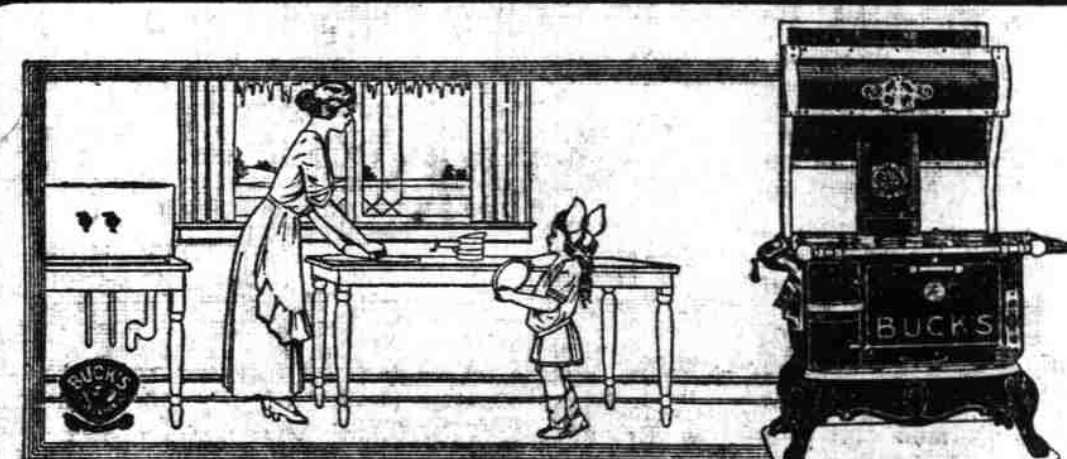
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