

SOCIETY

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PROMINENT YOUNG COUPLE TO WED WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Marriage of Miss Alexander and Mr. Howell to be at First Presbyterian Church.

A brilliant event of the week will be the marriage of Miss Mary Brevard Alexander, only child of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Alexander, Jr., and Mr. Billy Shaw Howell, which will take place at the First Presbyterian church Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Rev. Dr. J. R. Howerton, of Lexington, Va., formerly of this city, will officiate.

Dr. Howerton performed the ceremony at the marriage of the parents of the bride-elect and groom-elect.

The wedding music will be played by Dr. J. R. Howerton, dean of music at Queens college.

The bride-elect will be given in marriage by her father, Mr. S. B. Alexander, Jr.

Mr. Howell will be accompanied by Mrs. Howard Dowd, Jr., who will serve as best man.

Mrs. L. W. Robert, Jr., of Atlanta, will be dame of honor.

Miss Ellen Victor will be maid of honor.

The bridesmaids will be Misses Julia Baxter and Calvine Scott, Miss Doris Howell, Miss Adelaide Caldwell, Miss Virginia Ryder and Miss Martha Whitehead, of New Harmony, Ind.

The groomsmen will be Messrs. Mebane Long, George Couch, James Graham, Oliver Shaw, Everett Nesbet and James H. Carson.

The ushers will be James Harvey Orr, Fred Wilson, B. D. Heath, Jr., and Mr. Haverly, of Atlanta.

The wedding will be followed by a brilliant reception and dance at the Charlotte Country club.

Miss Alexander has been the recipient of a number of charming parties during the past several weeks.

Mrs. Robert Lauster will give a luncheon tomorrow in her honor and tomorrow evening Miss Calvine Scott will give a dinner party at the Myers Park club in her honor and after the party the guests will attend the Halloween dance given by the club.

Tuesday evening after the rehearsal Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert Howell will entertain the bridal party at their home in Elizabeth.

Mrs. Addison Brenner gave a luncheon for Miss Alexander at the Charlotte Country club, Miss Deane Van Landingham, Miss Ellen Victor and Miss Olive Brice each gave a bridge party in her honor and Mrs. George F. Wadsworth gave a buffet luncheon for her, Miss Adelaide Caldwell gave a luncheon for her at the Charlotte Country club and last evening Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Alexander gave a dinner party for Miss Alexander and Mr. Howell at the Charlotte Country club.

For Mr. and Mrs. Ragdale. The office force at the Charlotte Chamber of Commerce gave a delightful luncheon yesterday in honor of Mr. W. B. Ragdale and bride.

Mrs. Ragdale prior to her marriage a week ago was Miss Claribel Kemp, of Georgia.

The table was decorated with vases of pink chrysanthemums. A five-course luncheon was served.

Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Ragdale, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence O. Kuester, Mrs. Jeannette Fridley, Mrs. Loma Squires, Mrs. Mayme Moore Sifford, Miss Frances Henderson, Miss Mary Reese, Mrs. Randolph Thompson, Mrs. Margaret Kelly Abernethy, Messrs. Ben Lee and Mason Hood.

Junior Hospital Guild. The Junior hospital guild of St. Peter's Episcopal church will meet with Mrs. Charles A. Dixon, Jr., at her home on East boulevard, Dilworth, Wednesday morning at 10:15 o'clock.

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Dinner for Bridal Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Alexander gave a charming dinner party at the Charlotte Country club last evening in honor of their niece, Miss Mary Brevard Alexander, and Mr. Billy Shaw Howell, whose wedding will be a brilliant event of the week.

A large silver basket filled with yellow chrysanthemums formed the centerpiece of the table and silver candlesticks held yellow candles. The color-note, yellow, was observed in the place-cards and nut baskets.

Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Alexander, Miss Alexander and Mr. Shaw and the following members of the bridal party: Miss Ellen Victor, Mrs. L. W. Robert, Jr., of Atlanta, Misses Julia and Calvine Scott, Miss Doris Howell, Miss Virginia Ryder, Miss Adelaide Caldwell, Miss Martha Whitehead, of New Harmony, Ind., Misses Marsha Whitehead, of New Harmony, Ind., Messrs. W. Frank Dowd, Jr., George Crouch, Everett Nesbet, James H. Carson, Oliver Shaw, James Graham, Mebane Long.

In addition to the bridal party other guests were Miss DeWitt Chapman, Messrs. Stuart Gilchrist, Fred Wilson, and Edward Dowd.

After dinner Mr. and Mrs. Alexander and guests attended the dance given at the club.

Miss Victor Honors Bride-Elect. Miss Ellen Victor gave a beautiful card party at her home on The Plaza, Chatham Estates, Friday afternoon in honor of the bride-elect, Miss Alexander, and Mr. Howell.

Miss Victor received her guests in a Nile green georgette frock trimmed with crystal beads.

Miss Alexander, who is one of Charlotte's prettiest young girls, wore a becoming dress of lapis blue crepe de chine and black tulle. Her hair was trimmed in silver ribbon.

The home was arranged with quantities of pink Killarney roses.

The prize for the top score was given to Miss Anna Taliaferro and Miss Adelaide Tallaferrro cut the consolation prize. Miss Alexander received the honor prize.

Miss Victor's guests included thirty-two friends of the bride-elect.

Inter-Denominational Meeting. The Inter-Denominational Missionary union will meet at St. Peter's Episcopal parish house tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

An interesting program has been arranged and a full attendance is urged.

St. Elizabeth Guild. St. Elizabeth guild of the Church of the Holy Comforter will meet with Mrs. O. D. Curry at her home in the Blainwood apartments tomorrow afternoon at 7:30 o'clock.

Classes at the Y. W. C. A. A great deal of interest is being manifested in some of the educational classes offered at the Young Women's Christian association.

There are some young women who wish to become more efficient in business, and they have joined the business English class. There are others who want to learn to read their own hats, or to become milliners; they have joined the millinery class. Others wishing to give pleasure to others, and also to combine some good times with their self-improvement, have joined the dramatic and choral clubs. Still others, wanting to do their studying out of doors, have joined the class in studying the stars. These classes have had enthusiastic meetings during the past week, and will continue through this week with the following schedule: Choral club, Monday; study of stars Tuesday, 7:30; business English Wednesday and Thursday, 7:30; millinery, daily 9 to 12, and Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 7 to 9.

Other classes offered by this department will be started when a sufficient number of students has registered.

Y. W. C. A. Swimming Pool. The swimming pool at the Young Women's Christian association is most popular these days, the seasonal hesitation natural to these chilly days being obliterated by the heating of the water to a very comfortable temperature. A class for instruction in swimming is given Monday and Thursday, from 7 to 8 o'clock, and another Tuesday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 3:30 o'clock. A swimming class for those who partially learn to swim last year at the association did not quite master the art is given on Monday at 3 o'clock and a similar class for partially swimming businesswomen is available on Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Business and Professional Women. The Business and Professional Women's club will meet Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the parlors of Tryon Street Methodist church where the usual luncheon will be served.

At this meeting will be given the second program in the "know your town" series, and the program chairman, Miss Naomi Alexander, has appointed a committee composed of Misses Margaret Berry, Louise Murphy and Mary Newman who will have charge of the program, and the subject will be "City Government."

Norman James Leavess Hospital. Norman James, young son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. James, who has been in the Presbyterian hospital for the past month seriously ill with blood poisoning, has sufficiently improved to be taken to his home on North Seventh street.

Credit For Gym Work. High school credits are being given this year for gymnasium work done by pupils in the gymnasium of the Young Women's Christian association. Three classes are offered for the convenience of the young gymnasts, during the first school period on Tuesdays and Fridays and from 3 to 3:30 o'clock on Mondays and Wednesdays. The course is under the direction of Miss Zena Morrell, Young Women's Christian association secretary for physical education.

CARD OF THANKS. We wish to thank the many friends for their kindness given to us during the sickness and death of our darling baby, Ruth, aged two years.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR

Monday. 1:30 p. m.—Mrs. Robert Lauster will give a luncheon for Miss Alexander.

1:30 p. m.—Mrs. C. E. Bryant will give a luncheon at the Charlotte country club for Miss Lantz.

3:30 p. m.—The Inter-Denominational Missionary union will meet at St. Peter's parish house.

3:30 p. m.—St. Elizabeth guild of the Church of the Holy Comforter will meet with Mrs. O. D. Curry at her home No. 3 Blainwood apartments.

3:30 p. m.—The Women's guild of St. Martin's Episcopal church will meet in the guild rooms.

7:30 p. m.—Miss Calvine Scott will give a dinner party at the Myers Park club for Miss Alexander.

9:15 p. m.—A dance will be given at the Red Fox club for the members, their ladies and families. Music by the Southern Melody orchestra.

9:30 p. m. to 1:30 a. m.—The Charlotte Cotillon club will give a Halloween dance at the Myers Park club.

7 p. m.—Halloween party will be given at Hawthorne Lane Methodist.

Tuesday. 6:30 p. m.—Rev. W. B. McIlwaine, Jr., will meet his Bible class at the Y. W. C. A.

8:30 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert Howell will entertain the members of the Alexander-Howell bridal party at their home on East Seventh street following the rehearsal.

Wednesday. 10:30 a. m.—The Junior hospital guild will meet with Mrs. C. A. Dixon, Jr., at her home on East boulevard, Dilworth.

2:30 p. m.—The South school Parent-Teacher association will meet at the school.

3 p. m.—The Third Ward Parent-Teacher association will meet at the school.

4 p. m.—The Elizabeth Parent-Teacher association will meet at the school.

6 p. m.—The marriage of Miss Mattie Edmund Burwell and Dr. John Gerald Murphy will take place at Hopewell Presbyterian church.

6 p. m.—The marriage of Miss Mary Brevard Alexander and Mr. Billy Shaw Howell will take place at the First Presbyterian church. Immediately after the ceremony the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Alexander, Jr., will give a reception at the Charlotte country club.

10:30 a. m.—Dr. W. H. Fraser's Bible class will meet at the Y. W. C. A.

2:30 p. m.—The First Ward Parent-Teacher association will meet at the school.

7:30 p. m.—The wedding of Miss Helen Lantz and Mr. Allen Grady King will take place at the home of the bride-elect in the Blainwood apartments.

MEETINGS OF THE WEEK. At Chamber of Commerce.

Monday. 1 p. m.—Charlotte Automobile Trade association luncheon.

1 p. m.—Lions club members. Tuesday. 1 p. m.—Davidson campaign committee luncheon.

6:30 p. m.—Rotary club dinner.

10 a. m.—Goodrich Rubber company meeting.

1 p. m.—Charlotte Insurance exchange luncheon.

Thursday. All day meeting Goodrich Rubber company.

1 p. m.—Kivans club luncheon.

7:30 p. m.—Joint meeting Charlotte Merchants association, Charlotte Automobile Trade association, Charlotte Shipbuilders association, city commissioners, county commissioners and board of directors of chamber of commerce.

Saturday. 3:30 p. m.—League of Women voters.

Bunco Club Meets. Mrs. Mebane Long is hostess to the Bunco club at her home on Caldwell street Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Herbert Harris won the prize for the top score and Mrs. C. E. Elam received the consolation prize.

SOCIAL PERSONALS.

Mrs. W. B. Lee and Mrs. E. C. Marshall are expected to return home the first of the week after a two week's trip to New York.

Mrs. C. C. Coddington, Mrs. Lee A. Folger, Mrs. I. C. Love and Miss Sara Belle Adams, the latter of Greensboro, are expected to arrive home this morning after a week's visit to New York.

Mrs. J. C. Patton has returned home after a two week's trip to New York.

Misses Deane Van Landingham and Calvine Scott and Mr. Johnnie Johnson went to Chapel Hill yesterday morning to the Carolina-Maryland game and the dance given at the university last evening. Miss Van Landingham's brother, Mr. Van Landingham, Jr., is at the university taking a post-graduate course.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Morrow Bretts have returned home after 14 days' wedding trip to Washington and New York. They are making their home at 6 Colonial apartments. Mrs. Bretts prior to her marriage was Miss Martha Estridge.

Mrs. Cabell Leaves Hospital. Mrs. John Cabell and little daughter, Mary Caroline, have left the Presbyterian hospital and are at their home on Worthington avenue, Dilworth.

Dinner Party Last Evening. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Van Landingham entertained at dinner at the Charlotte Country club last evening prior to the dance. Their guests included Mr. and Mrs. John M. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. McAden, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gossett and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Byant.

Lantz-King Wedding. Much social interest centers in the wedding of Miss Helen Lantz and Mr. Allen Grady King which will take place Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Lantz, in the Blainwood apartments.

Rev. Dr. A. McGeachy, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, will officiate.

Mrs. Helen Foll Beard will render the wedding music.

The bride-elect will be given in marriage by her father, Mr. S. R. Lantz.

Mrs. William Myers Jones, sister of the bride-elect, will be dame of honor.

Mr. King will be accompanied by his brother, Mr. J. C. King, of Abbeville, S. C., who will serve as best man.

Miss Courtney Marshall Jones, the beautiful little girl of Mr. and Mrs. Peter W. D. Jones, will be ring bearer.

Miss Elizabeth Durant Terrill, of Chattanooga, Tenn., arrived in the city yesterday to attend the wedding.

Miss Sara Mellon entertained at bridge for Miss Lantz Friday, Mrs. C. B. Bryant will give a luncheon at the Charlotte Country club for her tomorrow and Wednesday. Mrs. Albert Clark will give a luncheon for her at her home in Myers Park.

No formal invitations have been issued to the marriage which will be attended by relatives and a few intimate friends.

Tipton-Medlock. Miss Hughey Medlock, daughter of Mr. Frank Hawkins Medlock, and Mr. Frank Hawkins Tipton were quietly married Friday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock at the home of the bride on Hawthorne Lane, Rev. Joseph A. Gaines, pastor of St. John's Baptist church, officiating.

The announcement of the marriage will come as a great surprise to the many friends of the young couple in this state and Georgia.

A few relatives and intimate friends were present at the ceremony which was performed in the north parlor in front of a group of R. A. Bennett and southern inter-spersed with white chrysanthemums and flanked with cathedral candlesticks.

Prior to the wedding Mrs. G. S. Hutchins sang "I Love You Truly." Mrs. Hutchins rendered the march from Lohengrin as the wedding party entered the room.

Miss Medlock, the youngest sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She was becomingly gowned in glow colored tulle and carried a shower bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums which marked the keynote of the decorations. The bride was handsomely gowned in a dark khaki satin laced tulle gown with the brown accessories and carried a shower bouquet of white chrysanthemums and lilies of the valley. She entered with the groom. During the ceremony "In the Shadows" was softly played.

A reception followed which was marked with simplicity. The receiving line included the bride and groom, the bride's father, the maid of honor, Misses Ruby and Willie John Medlock, sisters of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Biberstein, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Hutchins of Spartanburg, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Medlock, Jr., Dr. and Mrs. Joe R. Ashe, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Simmons, Rev. Joseph A. Gaines, Misses Kathryn McLean, of Guilford, Constance Eberhart and Mary Johnston.

The dining room was tastefully decorated, the centerpieces being a handsome silver luster filled with white chrysanthemums. The bride's bouquet was presided over by Misses Margaret Ritch and Sara Thomas, of Queens college. Misses Lila Burwell, Georgia, and Elizabeth Simmons served in the dining room.

Mrs. Tipton is the daughter of Mr. Frank Hawkins Medlock and late Mrs. Medlock, of Georgia. She is one of Charlotte's most gifted and popular trained nurses, having graduated from the Wesley Memorial hospital in Atlanta, and nursed in and out of the Charlotte sanatorium. For the last year she has been engaged as one of Charlotte's select nurses and because of her cheerful disposition, splendid ability was very popular with both teachers and pupils.

Mr. Tipton is a man of splendid business ability and strong personal and financial resources. He is the business manager of the "The City" and is taking his bride to make their home.

Beautiful Double Wedding. A beautiful double wedding was celebrated Saturday night at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. R. A. Plummer, of 901 North Davidson street, when Miss Alma Plummer was married to Mr. A. Lomax, and Miss Ethel Plummer became the wife of Mr. J. P. Anthony. The double ceremony was performed by the Rev. L. R. Frost who used the double-ring ceremony. The ring-bearers were little Misses Eliza Anthony and Elizabeth Carson.

"At Dinning" was sung by Mr. John Davis Carroll, with Mrs. Carroll at the piano. The decorations were cut flowers and ferns, chrysanthemums being used in profusion. After the ceremony the entire wed-

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