

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Annie Wilson will leave this morning for Augusta, Ga., to visit relatives and friends. Mrs. Harry P. Shaw went to Genesee, S. C., yesterday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Ross. The literature section of the Woman's Club will meet with Mrs. J. C. Abernethy on East First street, this morning at 11 o'clock. Among the visitors in the city yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Reinhardt, of Stanly, who were guests at the Central. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sewell, of Atlanta, Ga., and their son, Mr. Luke Sewell, will leave within a few days for Hendersonville, where they will spend some time. Miss Bettie Brown, of Davidson, spent yesterday in the city with friends. Cards reading as follows were issued yesterday: Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Saine request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Ida Lenora to Mr. William Dorns Wilkinson Wednesday evening, April twenty-fifth, at 8:30 o'clock, Moore's Chapel church on Tuckasee road ten miles west of Charlotte. Misses Mary Brockenbrough and Edna McLure will leave this morning for Columbia, S. C., where, to-night, they will attend a German. While in Columbia they will be guests of Miss McLure's sister, Mrs. J. C. Card, who will tender a reception in their honor to-morrow evening. They will be joined at Columbia by Miss Lucile McAdams, of Richmond, Va., who will accompany them on their return to Charlotte. The following named young ladies, who are delegates to the Kappa Delta convention here, are guests of Miss Blending Spear home at Dilworth: Misses Christine Klingensmith, of Pittsburg, Pa.; Maria Webb, of Hillsboro; Sumter Thomas and Annie Wells, of Columbia, S. C.; and Gertrude Winston, of Durham. Misses Louise and Vivian Neely, who have been spending the Easter holidays with Dr. and Mrs. I. W. Herron, at Shopton, will return this morning to the Presbyterian College, where they are students. Miss Maudie McGinn, who spent the holidays with her parents, in Steele Creek township, will also return to the college this morning. Miss Bertha Holt, of Burlington, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. William E. Holt, at her home on North Tryon street. The Sorosis meets with Mrs. W. A. Zwieler this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Miss Ethel Spillman, who has been spending the Easter holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Spillman, leaves this morning for Linwood seminary. Miss Ruby Simpson, of Monroe, is spending a few days in the city, the guest of Mrs. J. H. Newell. Mrs. Platt D. Walker and Miss Nettie Dockery have arrived in the city from Raleigh, and are at home at the Central Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Washburn, who have been visiting relatives and friends at Providence, R. I., and at other places in New England, will return to the city Thursday night.

THE N. C. NURSES' ASSOCIATION.

The Annual Meeting Will be Held Here the Last of May—An Interesting Programme Arranged. The fourth annual meeting of the North Carolina State Nurses' Association will be held in Charlotte May 31st and June 1st. The proceedings on the morning of the first day will be held at Elizabeth College, and will be devoted to the business of the association. In the afternoon the nurses will attend a meeting of the Medical Association, which will be held here at the same time. Some entertainment will be given the visiting nurses in the evening, but just what it will be has not been determined. It may be a banquet or a reception or if anything is going on at the summer theater, they may be taken there. On June 1st, the second day of the convention, meetings will be held in the morning and afternoon at Elizabeth College. Between the morning and afternoon sessions there will be a picnic lunch on the grounds. In the evening a meeting will be held at some suitable hall in the city, to which the public is cordially invited. The exercises at the public meeting will consist of addresses and papers by visiting nurses. Mr. C. W. Tillett will be the master of ceremonies at this meeting and will introduce those who will speak and also those who will have prepared papers to read. The address of welcome will be made by Mr. D. A. Tompkins, after which Dr. John R. Irwin will make an address to the nurses on behalf of the medical profession. Some lady representing the Woman's Club of Charlotte, will be invited to make an address on sanitation, civic improvement and the purity of milk and other food supplies. Miss Damer, of New York, a nurse in charge of the outdoor tuberculosis department of Bellevue Hospital, will address the nurses and the assembly on the subject of "Outdoor Nursing in the Treatment of Tuberculosis." Then Miss L. L. Rogers, of New York, who has charge of the nursing department of the medical inspection of public schools in New York, will address the company on the subject of her special work. Efforts will be made to perfect arrangements with Mr. Don Amati Richardson to furnish music for the occasion. The friends of the local association of nurses in Charlotte have tendered the hospitalities of their homes to the visiting nurses. Dr. C. B. King, president of Elizabeth College, has been very kind in offering the use of the college buildings and grounds for the business meetings of the association. The local association appreciates this very much and there is no doubt but that the visitors will be delighted with the arrangements. All these arrangements and those yet to be made will be brought before a meeting of the local association of nurses, which will be held next Thursday at 4 o'clock in the afternoon to revise and amend or extend the arrangements as the association may desire. It is probable that one or two of the doctors of the city will be invited to participate in the first meeting on the morning of the 31st of May. The "Blue Ribbon Players" arouse the biggest appetite. Ask your grocer for Blue Ribbon Vanilla.

SPORTS

A Few Minor Happenings in and About the City. Cochran Academy, in Morning Star township, will close Friday. The Knights of Columbus will meet in their hall this evening. All members are urged to be present. Mr. John Redigan, manager of the Casino rink, announces that the popular place of amusement will be open until May 1st. The Academy of Music will be dark until May 25th, when "Gay New York" will be the attraction. The theatrical season is petering. The fire trucks of St. Peter's Episcopal church will meet this morning immediately after the service. All members are urged to attend. Mr. J. P. Hackney yesterday sold a residence, at No. 615 East Seventh street, to Mr. F. B. Hunter. The consideration for the property was \$1,500. The building of the new proofing partitions in the new hotel begins this morning. The room walls can be put in at the rate of one floor a week. A baseball league for the boys of the city will be organized at the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Any team in the city may register in the league. The baseball team of South Carolina College spent last night at the Central on its return to Columbia, after its games with the University of North Carolina. The annual meeting of stockholders in the Mutual Building and Loan Association will be held in the council room at the city hall this evening at 8 o'clock. The fire trucks are being overhauled preparatory to the parade of the Twentieth of May. An ordinary wagon is being used while the regular trucks are in the shop. Mr. John H. F. Griffith has purchased from Mrs. Jane J. Alexander a small tract of land on the Nations Ford road, out of the city, the consideration in the deal being \$1,000. The Charlotte council United Commercial Travelers will meet in its hall over Belk Bros. Saturday night. The meeting promises to be a big one. Fifteen new members are to be initiated. The Charlotte Academy of Medicine will hold its regular monthly meeting at the city hall to-night at 8 o'clock. Business of importance will be transacted and all members are urged to be present. On account of the Presbytery being in session at Westminster church there will be no prayer meeting at the Second Presbyterian church to-morrow night. The congregation is invited to attend the services at Westminster. Much to the disappointment of a large number of baseball enthusiasts the game of ball between Wake Forest and Wofford Colleges, which was scheduled to have been played here yesterday afternoon, was not pulled off. The game was cancelled at the last moment. Representatives from all the camps of Woodmen of the World in Charlotte and Mecklenburg county will meet in the hall of Horne's Neat camp, over Belk Bros. store, this evening at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of making arrangements for the participation in the Twentieth of May celebrations by the Woodmen. The price of spot cotton on the local market advanced a quarter of a cent a pound yesterday, the highest price paid for the staple being 11.75 cents. The receipts yesterday were 24 bales; the receipts for the corresponding date of last year were 10 bales, and the best price at that time was 7.25 cents a pound. Mr. Archie D. Walters, who has recently been book-keeper for the Ledford Mercantile Company, of Colesburg, has accepted a position with C. B. Flournoy & Co., and will arrive in the city the latter part of the week to assume his new duties. His family will follow later and will live with Mrs. Walters' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Klueppelberg. Among the visitors in the city last evening were Messrs. W. R. Land and W. Giles Mebane, of Greensboro.



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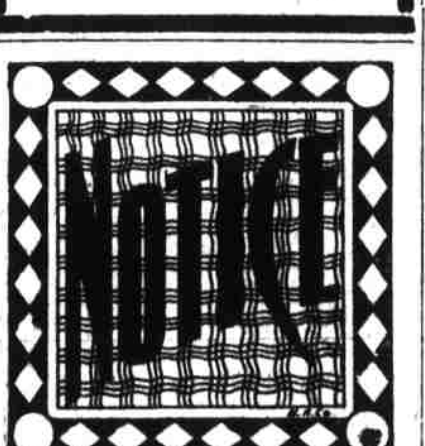
PERSONAL

The Movement of a Number of People, Visitors and Others. Mr. W. B. Swindell, of Greensboro, who formerly lived in Charlotte, spent yesterday here on business. Mr. Harry Edwards, of Sanford, returned home yesterday after spending Sunday here with friends. Among the out-of-town people here yesterday were Messrs. James T. Griffith and C. H. Hasty, of Monroe. Messrs. C. B. Webb and William Ledbetter, of Statesville, spent yesterday in the city, staying at the Central. Mr. J. W. Crafton, of Reidsville, was among the guests at the Buford yesterday. Among the visitors in the city yesterday were the following named from Asheville, who were guests at the Central: Messrs. J. C. Routledge, W. G. Efrid and S. J. Littlefield. Messrs. A. A. McLean and A. A. McLean, Jr., of Gastonia, were in the city yesterday. Mr. E. D. Latta, Jr., has returned to the city after a business trip in the North. Messrs. R. M. Bryant, Sidney McAden and George Thomas, who have been spending the Easter holidays in the city with their relatives, will return to Chapel Hill this morning. Rev. W. L. Grisson, of Greensboro, was in the city last night on his way home from Monroe, where he preached Sunday. Messrs. T. J. and R. G. Jones and John B. Graham, of Durham, spent last night at the Buford on their way to Commerce, Ga., where, to-morrow, Mr. T. J. Jones will be married to Miss Margaret Stevenson. Mr. J. A. McDowell, of Winston-Salem, was in the city yesterday to attend the meeting of the stockholders in the firm of York Bros. & Rogers. Mr. J. C. Abernethy will return home this morning from Newton, where he has been spending a few days with his parents. Mr. O. P. Masou, of the Dallas bar, was a guest at the Central last night. Mr. P. M. Dellinger, of Newton, is spending to-day in the city. Among the guests at the Central last night was Mr. H. M. Howard, of Mooresville. Mr. Ludolph Fox, of Salisbury, is in the city, at the Buford. Mr. John Wood, manager of The Greenville, S. C. News, spent yesterday in the city. Mr. J. F. Hurley, editor of The Concord Tribune, was a guest in the city yesterday. Mr. A. Herron Sloan, of Davidson, passed through the city last night en route to Annapolis, Md., where, on the 19th of June, he will stand the regular examinations for entrance into the United States Naval Academy. Mr. Sloan was appointed to the cadetship several weeks ago by Congressman E. Y. Webb. Mr. H. P. Bryant is spending several days in Lumberton on business. Mr. J. W. Ferguson returned yesterday morning from Greensboro, where he spent the Easter holidays.

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