

Social and Personal

Mrs. Charles Green entertained at her apartments at the Hotel Buford Annex yesterday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. M. A. Bearden.

Mrs. Green's guests were the following named: Mesdames R. A. Mayer, C. E. Hooper, D. A. Hurley, M. M. Murphy, J. M. Harry, H. L. Adams, W. C. Godwin, Malone, R. W. Miller, J. W. Keerans, H. R. Whitcomb, W. S. Liddell, G. L. Best, W. S. Smith, A. J. Draper, H. S. Bryan, R. H. Jordan, C. L. Oates, J. F. Yorke, J. L. Spencer, J. H. Ham, J. S. Waters, F. C. Abbott, H. A. Murrill, J. E. Rulley, L. J. McDonald, W. A. Zevier, F. W. Glover, H. P. Shaw, O. E. Edwards, R. L. Jones, J. O. Gardner, J. W. Conway, I. W. Faison, C. A. Bland, A. T. Sumner, W. Conklin, L. C. Maffitt, H. V. Finlayson, J. W. Ferguson, C. L. Alexander, T. G. Evans, E. C. Swales, L. N. Schiff, G. F. Euston, O. L. Barringer, Misses Eva Liddell, Linda Hoskins, Dora Allen Sater, Eva Gay, Lavine Evans, Helen Brem, Mary Godwin, of Fincastle, Va.; Ross, Mattie Dowd and Estelle Vernon.

Mrs. C. E. Hooper will entertain at bridge whist at her apartments at the Hotel Buford this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dowd will tender a reception in honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harding, at their home on East Morehead street, next Thursday evening.

Among the visitors in the city yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Craig and Miss Stella Copeland, of Statesville, who came down to see "The Free Lance." They are guests of Mrs. E. W. Mellon.

Mrs. Mary C. Dicks and Miss Mabelle Dicks of Randleman, were visitors in the city yesterday, being guests at the Central.

Misses Tula Adams and Susie Hoffman of Gastonia, were in the city for the play at the Academy last night. They were the guests of Mrs. J. H. Weddington, on West Trade street.

Among the visitors in the city yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Brewer, of Raleigh, who were guests at the Central.

Mrs. W. G. Graves returned yesterday to her home at Orange, Va., after a visit to her sisters, Mesdames E. S. Pegram, L. C. Withers and Miss Addie Belle Barron.

Mrs. Lillian Richmond, after spending two or three weeks in New York, returned home last night. Mrs. Prude Jones, her sister, who has been keeping house for Judge W. P. Bynum during her absence, returned last evening to her home at Winston-Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Galtner are visiting their daughter, Mrs. R. C. Anderson, at Gastonia.

Mrs. J. J. Hutchison is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. J. Massey, at Fort Mill, S. C.

Mr. W. F. Harding and bride, who was Miss Nan Dowd, who have been spending their honeymoon at Pinehurst, will return to the city to-day.

The following invitations have been received in the city:

Mr. John Milton Memory invites you to be present at the marriage of his daughter Dela Burroughs to Mr. Neill Bascom McCaskill Wednesday afternoon, February sixth, nineteen hundred and seven, at three-thirty o'clock, Baptist Church, Whiteville, North Carolina, At Home After February twentieth Century, Florida.

Mrs. W. A. Peters will leave this morning for Asheville, where she will spend some time.

One of the leading social events of the season is announced in the following card, which was issued yesterday:

Mrs. Albert H. Washburn At Home Wednesday, January thirtieth, four o'clock, 601 North Church Street. Mrs. Ogden E. Edwards. Mrs. William P. Harding.

Mrs. J. C. Abernethy delightfully entertained at her home on East First street last evening from 7 to 11 the following young gentlemen of Pritchard Memorial Baptist Sunday school: Joe Myers, Thomas Wilson, Albert Essell, George Noble, Eugene De Hegh, John Carter, John Austin, Roy Grice and Claudis Rich.

Miss Sadie Belle Mayer delightfully entertained the following named friends after the play last night: Misses Louie Jones and Annie Wilson, Dr. Brodie Nalle and Messrs. F. M. Caldwell and W. R. Tallaferro, Jr.

SPEED ORDINANCE UNJUST.

Automobiles in Charlotte are Discriminated Against—The Speed Limit of Six Miles an Hour Ridiculous in Comparison With the Limit in Larger Cities.

"No city in the country has a more ridiculous or unjust ordinance than the one Charlotte has regulating the speed of automobiles," remarked yesterday a man who gets about the country some. "The same ordinance which says an auto must not exceed the speed of six miles an hour in the city limits doesn't say anything about the speed of horses and other vehicles in the same district, except on the little spot at Independence Square. It is a well-known fact that an automobile going at a given speed can stop within less than one-fourth the distance required by a turnout with horses going at the same speed. "Besides the injustice to the automobile in the discrimination against him in preference to the drivers of horses, the ordinance is seen to be ridiculous by a comparison with the speed ordinances of larger cities, where, logically, it should be more severe. The speed limit in New York, on the busiest section of lower Broadway and the downtown section, is 12 miles an hour, and a greater speed than that is allowed in some sections of the city."

Demands a GOOD COOK That's the reason they always insist upon having Mrs. Ribbon. Try Blue Ribbon Lemon or Vanilla next time.

PERSONAL

The Movement of a Number of People Visitors and Others.

Rev. Phlo T. Durham will address the teachers of Gaston county at Gastonia this morning at 11 o'clock. Mr. J. Frank Flowers spent yesterday at Statesville on business.

Rev. Dr. J. Q. Adams spent yesterday at Thomasville on business.

Mr. E. C. Herriog, of Atlanta, Ga., traveling passenger agent for the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, spent yesterday in Charlotte on business.

Among the visitors in the city yesterday was Mr. J. H. Glover, of Statesville.

Mr. V. C. Redwine, of Monroe, spent yesterday in the city on business.

Mr. C. F. Williams, of Maiden, was a visitor in the city yesterday, being a guest at the Central.

Among the visitors in the city yesterday was Mr. F. D. Holcomb, of Greensboro, who was a guest at the Buford.

Mr. William E. Ashley, an insurance man from Greensboro, was the guest yesterday of Mr. R. G. Hayes, at the Manufacturers' Club.

Among the out-of-town people here yesterday was Mr. H. Gilliam, of Pittsburg, Pa., who was the guest of Mr. J. W. Frazier, at the Manufacturers' Club.

Dr. D. A. Garrison and Mr. R. F. Coble, of Bessemer City, were in the city last night.

Mr. James Ker, Jr., spent yesterday at Salisbury on business.

Among the out-of-town people here to see "The Free Lance" last night were Messrs. J. Elton Johnston, Fred Barkley and C. H. Cavis, of Gastonia.

Mr. L. C. Caldwell, of the Statesville bar, was among the visitors in the city last night.

Mr. E. Ballew, a student at Clemson College, is spending to-day in the city with friends en route to his home at Fort Mill to attend the wedding of his sister, Miss Martha Ballew, and Mr. Robert M. Bryant, which will take place next Tuesday.

Among the visitors in the city last evening were the following named gentlemen from Statesville: Messrs. C. B. Webb, D. P. Hall, H. W. Clifford and C. R. Johnston.

Mr. E. DeWitt Smith, of Raleigh, was registered at the Buford last night.

Messrs. J. W. Cannon, Jr., and E. T. and M. L. Cannon, of Concord, came over last night to see "The Free Lance."

Among the guests at the Central last night was Mr. Claude Rameur, of Lincolnton.

Mr. N. A. Henderson, of Mooresville, is in the city.

BRIEFS.

A Few Minor Happenings in and About the City.

An interesting series of moving pictures at Wonderland is "The Bell-Ringer's Daughter."

Reserved seats for "Checkers," which will appear at the Academy next Tuesday, will go on sale at Jordan's this morning at 10 o'clock.

Mr. John F. Orr yesterday sold a house and lot on South Davidson street, between East avenue and Fourth street to Mr. Alfred D. Neal, receiving \$3,500 for the property.

Mr. George Brice yesterday received word of the death, Thursday night, of little Evelyn Brice, the 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Brice, who live at Woodward, S. C.

The will of the late Mr. Raleigh Brewer was filed for probate with Clerk of the Court J. A. Russell yesterday. Mr. Brewer left his estate, valued at from \$3,000 to \$5,000, to his wife.

John Rogers, a negro man who lives at Gravelton, was arrested yesterday morning on the charge of thrashing his wife. He was jailed and will be tried before Recorder Shannouhouse this morning.

The department stores of the Little-Long Company were closed yesterday to enable the force of salesmen and salesladies to prepare for the big will-end sale, which will open this morning at 9.30 o'clock.

Mr. L. T. Wilson, who has been stereotyper for The Observer, has accepted a similar position with The News, at Lynchburg, Va. He will leave to-day to assume his duties. He has been succeeded by Mr. Charlie Manies.

The campaign of the Y. M. C. A. for the fund for the erection of the new building is attracting much attention. Stretched across Tryon street in front of the association building is a handsome sign with this inscription: "Headquarters Y. M. C. A. Building Fund." The clock on the Davidson building at Independence Square, indicating the amount subscribed toward the \$40,000, is attracting much attention.

A New Attraction at the Rink. Col. Peters has engaged the services of Prof. W. A. Wiley, the champion trick and fast skater of Baltimore, Md., for three nights only, commencing February 1st. From press notices of past performances, Prof. Wiley is one of the finest in his line that has ever visited Charlotte.

And as the price of admission at the rink will remain the same as before, his exhibitions will be free. Those who have tried to manage the fiery, untamed roller skates and failed can doubtless get a few pointers from Prof. Wiley.



Up On Phone 47 or 445

or send a postal with your address. Our collection wagon will call for the soiled linen very promptly; three days later it will be delivered to you, snowy in whiteness, ironed to a nicety and clean to a certainty. We want more customers.

Charlotte Steam Laundry

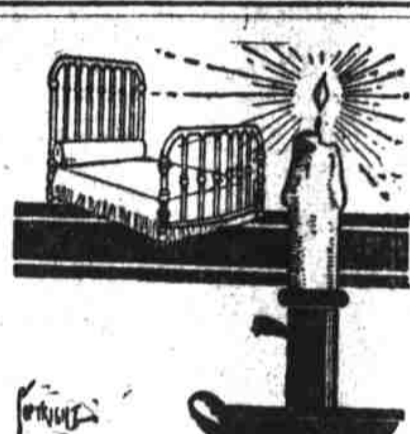
Mr. Harland Helms Dies. Mr. Harland C. Helms, who has been employed as night clerk at J. W. Wadsworth's Store, has disappeared rather mysteriously and his friends and relatives are concerned about him. He was seen here Sunday morning, but since then his people have searched everywhere for him. It is feared that his mind is affected. He has a wife in the city, and mother, a brother and sisters at Davidson.

Death of a Little Baby. Sidney Graham, the 3-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney L. Murphy, died at their residence, at 604 East Fifth street, yesterday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, after a brief illness. The funeral will take place at the home at 10.10 o'clock this morning.

Death of a Soldier. The following item is from The Monroe Journal: "While visiting his nephew, Mr. Russ Small, who lives near the Union and Mecklenburg line near Brief, Mr. Christopher Small, an old soldier of Mecklenburg, died suddenly Monday of last week. Mr. Small belonged to Company G of the Second South Carolina Regiment."

A Card of Thanks. I wish to express my heartfelt gratitude to the many friends for their kindness to me in the recent sad accident which caused the death of my little son, George. MRS. SARAH H. NOLES.

To stop a Cold with "Preventics" is safer than to let it run and cure it afterwards. Taken at the "measle stage" Preventics will head off all colds and Grippe, and perhaps save you from Pneumonia or Bronchitis. Preventics are little toothsome candy cold cure tablets selling in 5 cent and 25 cent boxes. If you are chilly, if you begin to sneeze, try Preventics. They will surely check the cold, and please you. Sold by Burwell-Dunn Retail Store.



"Good Night" is the last of our greetings before repairing to dreamland.

A Good Bed makes the "good night" restful, and you will in the morning be full of new life and animation. Brass or Iron Beds, Felt Mattresses and good Springs, such as we sell and recommend is what you want.

LUBIN FURNITURE CO. Flowers

FOR JANUARY DOUBLE BLUE VIOLETS. Large supply. Good Flowers and Stems, fragrant and fresh. ENCHANTRESS CARNATION. The largest and finest Carnation known. Color, pale pink; stems 1-1 1/2 to 2 feet long. Extra superb. Large supply for January. Write for prices on Wedding Bouquets. Telephone or telegraph for Funeral Designs, which we make a specialty. Largest greenhouses, fresh flowers, prompt shipments. J. VAN LINDLEY NURSERY CO., Pomona, N. C. Send telegrams to Greensboro.

For Sale Two show cases and counters Filing case, inks, blank books and stationery HOUSTON, DIXON & COMPANY

IVEY'S Strong Inducements

FOR A BUSY SATURDAY, COMMENCING WITH A BIG 5 CENT SALE AT 10 O'CLOCK.

Clean-up of our special lot 8 1-3 Madras, worth 15 and 20c. yard; also short lengths, 10 and 12 1-2c. Percales 5c. yard. Good, heavy Outing, light or dark colors; a real good 8 1-2c. grade, as an ad for Saturday 5c. yard. A lot choice styles Flannelette for Dresses, Waists, etc.; regular 10c. grade. Give-away price for Saturday 5c. yard.

ALL HATS REDUCED TO 98c. SATURDAY. KID GLOVES 39c.

One lot fine Kid Gloves, \$1.00 and \$1.25 grades 39c. pair. CENTURY CLOTH.

A fine cloth for Skirts, Suits, fancy work, etc. Special price for Saturday, only on the soft finish, 8 3-4c. yard.

LONG CLOTH BARGAINS. 36-inch soft Long Cloth, 10c. grade 7 1-2c. yard. Reduced prices on Skirts, and we have a fine lot to select from.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR. Special bargains in Gowns, Skirts, Corset Covers, Drawers, etc., cheaper than you can possibly make them.

ASSORTED SPECIALS. All-Linen Embroidered Handkerchiefs at a special bargain 5c. 36-inch All-Linen Lawn, a big value 25c. yard.

Big lot White Pearl Buttons, clean-up of a factory, 1c.; 2 1-2c. dozen. Special bargain Children's heavy Hose, 4-thread Lisle; 25c. value, 15c. pair.

IVEY'S 13 WEST TRADE STREET

Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy

For about eight or ten years I was subject to severe attacks of Eczema, which would last for several weeks. I would try local treatments and doctors' medicines, which would relieve for a while, but it would always return, and everything failed in permanent effect. I then determined to try Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy, two years ago. I took it regularly for six months, using a dozen and a half bottles, and it made a perfect cure of me. It has been over a year since I stopped taking the Remedy and I have never had a touch of the trouble since, and my general health is excellent.

MRS. J. A. WILKINS, Bessemer City, N. C., July 3, 1906.

"GET IT AT HAWLEY'S."

If on Sunday You Would SMOKE

Buy from us your Cigars, Tobacco or Cigarettes. 'Tis unlawful to purchase these things to-morrow. We have your choice. Hawley's Pharmacy Phone 13. Tryon and 5th Sts.

IVEY'S \$1.00 Woolens, 39 Cents 50c and 75c Woolens, 25c 25c Woolens at 15 Cents

This Special Sale of Woolen Dress-Goods Commences This Morning Promptly at 9 O'clock.

Lot consists of several thousand yards and includes all our Woolen Remnants; our choicest materials are in the lots—short lengths that we prefer sacrificing by making one clean sweep rather than prolong their sale by offering at value.

Many lengths just right for skirts, others for waists and children's dresses and some even have enough for ladies' suits or dresses.

Some of almost every kind of popular woolen fabric are in the lot to be sacrificed at to-day's sale at prices that means a Saving of 100 to 300 Per Cent.

None charged; none sent on approval.

Belk Brothers Wholesale and Retail

New Spring White Goods ALL IN NOW AND On Sale This Week

Some Very Special Values

White Mercerized Madras, handsome new woven figures, fine quality; nothing like it ever sold for less than 25 cents a yard. Our price to start the season off, 18 Cents a yard.

Job White Madras in beautiful patterns; good weight, nice quality Madras; the biggest bargain you'll see this season in White Madras, 10 Cents a yard.

New Plaid Dress Goods for Spring

The handsomest patterns and colorings ever brought out; pretty, bright colors; just the thing for Waists, Girls' School Dresses, etc., 25 Cents a yard.

Cotton Plaids, new Scotch Plaids in Checks; Plaids of all sizes and in every desirable color; comes nicely put up in double fold. It's a very special value at 10 Cents.

New Spring Calicoes

The largest and handsomest line we've ever shown, all in and on sale this week. Standard Calicoes, absolutely fast colors, 4 and 5 Cents a yard.

Best grade Check Gingham, all color and size checks, 5 Cents a yard.

Yard-wide Bleach in short lengths, 5 Cents a yard.

Stone & Barringer Company Office Outfitters. Go To The ODEON 208 S. Tryon. Meet Me at The RINK

The Beehive THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE Corner East Trade and College Streets. P. M. 2.30 to 5—Evening 8 to 10.30