

Social and Personal

Mrs. Hugh W. Murrill, Mrs. John Walter Miller, Mrs. J. C. Raleigh, Mrs. W. L. Rogers, Mrs. Eugene Wiley and Mrs. C. C. Hook were elected delegates to attend the annual convention of the Federation of Women's Clubs, which will be held in Wilmington next month, at the session of the local club this morning. A committee was also appointed to arrange for the art and loan exhibit of the federation to be brought here the 24th and 25th instant. Preliminary to this exhibit Prof. L. A. Davison will deliver another lecture at the Carnegie Library to-night.

The meeting of the Virginia Dare Book Club, which was to have been held this afternoon, has been postponed until Friday, the 15th instant.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston B. Wilkes have returned from Lincoln, where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Sarah Burton. Mr. and Mrs. Wilkes returned last night to their home at Norfolk, Va.

The house committee of the Young Women's Christian Association will meet this morning at 11 o'clock.

Mesdames W. W. Hall and J. J. Dillard have returned to their homes in Virginia after visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. Fred D. Austin, who has been visiting her parents in Rockingham for some time, returned to her home in the city yesterday.

Mrs. A. T. Summey will entertain the members of the Besse Dewey Club this morning.

Cards reading as follows have been received in the city:

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crosby request the honor of your company at the marriage of their daughter Marie to Mr. Boyd Correll at high noon Thursday, March twenty-first, at the residence of Mrs. Sharon, South Carolina.

Mrs. E. J. Lee, of New York, is spending several days in the city with her brother, Mr. W. M. Smith, on North Caldwell street.

Mrs. P. L. McManus is ill at her home on East Morehead street.

Invitations reading as follows have been received in Charlotte: The Order of Gingham will request the honor of your presence at their annual dance Thursday evening, April the fourth nineteen hundred and seven at nine o'clock Bynum Gymnasium Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Tucker and family have returned to their home in Dilworth after a visit of several weeks to Florida.

Mrs. Fred MacDonald, of Rocky Mount, and her sister, Miss Reinhardt, of Lincoln, spent yesterday in the city, stopping at the Buford.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McLaurin, of Laurinburg, were guests of the Buford yesterday.

Mrs. C. C. Hook entertained yesterday afternoon at her home on East Morehead street in honor of Mrs. William H. Overman, of Salisbury, and Mrs. William F. Harding. This was a social function that was delightful in every respect, and the informality made it all the more enjoyable. In addition to the guests of honor were present: Mesdames John Walter Miller, A. J. Walker, W. D. Cowles, J. E. Carson, Hal Worth, of Asheboro; C. M. Carson, Preston Wilkes, of Norfolk, Va.; A. L. Gillespie, of Wilmington; H. A. Murrill, J. C. Montgomery, H. S. Bryan, Alexander Martin, J. E. Rellley, L. L. Donald, W. G. Rogers, E. W. Thompson, Stuart Cramer, Plato T. Durham, A. G. Gilchrist, P. S. Gilchrist, George L. Patterson, of Concord; and Misses Emma Linebach, Mattie Dowd, Marjorie Murr and Susie McMurray.

Miss Fanny Hellen, of Winson-Salem, is visiting at the home of Judge W. P. Bynum, on West Trade street.

The Virginia Dare Book Circle, which was to have met this afternoon, will not meet until next Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Alexander Martin will entertain the members of the Cranford Book Club at her home at the corner of Euclid and Kingston avenues, this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Miss Anna Burwell Grier, of Harrisburg, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. N. G. Butt, on South Tryon street.

Miss Edith Bond, of Edenton, returned to her home in Edenton yesterday after spending several days in the city with Mrs. Clem Dowd.

The Friday Afternoon Book Club has postponed its meeting until Friday afternoon of next week, the 15th inst.

Invitations reading as follows have been received in the city: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Funderburk invite you to be present at the marriage of their daughter Bertha Eunice to Mr. George I. Miller Wednesday evening, March twentieth nineteen hundred and seven at eight o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Miller, 607 E. Ninth Street, Charlotte, North Carolina.

Mrs. John Walter Miller will entertain a number of friends at dinner this afternoon in honor of Mrs. William H. Overman, of Salisbury, who is her guest.

An Oil Refinery in Charlotte. Mr. L. A. Carton, treasurer of Swift & Company, the well-known Chicago firm of packers, spent yesterday in the city on his way from Atlanta, Ga., to Wilmington. While here, Mr. Carton stated that the company which he represents had recently purchased a section of the Wadsworth-Pegram estate in North Charlotte and that at an early date a large oil refinery would be established here. It is estimated that the initial cost of this plant will exceed \$100,000. It is possible that the land will also be made at the Charlotte branch, but this is not assured.

BRIEFS

A Few Minor Happenings in and About the City.
—Mrs. A. Selden Kennedy, of Due West, S. C., is undergoing treatment at Peter's Hospital.
—Mrs. C. Benheim and children, who have been confined at their home for some time with grippe, are improving.
—The work on the Stephens' flats, fronting Carnegie Court, is progressing nicely. The walls and frame work for the first floor, are up.
—The Wonderful moving picture establishment is presenting this week a series of marvelous transformations, all wrought by a magician's wand, in addition to "Pals, or My Friend the Dummy."

—Mr. A. J. Draper has bought the residence of Mr. W. W. Harriss, on Elizabeth avenue, consideration not stated. Mr. Draper will have the dwelling remodeled and improved before taking possession.
—The current issue of The Hotel Reporter, which is published in Atlanta, contains an extensive write-up of the Hotel Selwyn, as does also The National Hotel Reporter, of Chicago. Both notices were highly complimentary.
—As soon as North Tryon street can be graded down to the new Seaboard bridge, the thoroughfare will be thrown open to the general public. The bridge is a handsome one.
—Mr. Frank P. Meier is in the city to organize a local lodge of Druids. Wilmington has two, the only ones in the State.

—The Eagles are much interested in the forthcoming presentation of "The Marriage of Kitty," which is slated at the Academy of Music for next Tuesday. The entire theatre will be decorated in the colors of the order, under whose auspices and for whose benefit the play is to be given. The colors are red, white and blue and the flag.
—March tried herself yesterday and succeeded in producing everything except the proverbial wind. The day started off early with an adhesive variety of sleet, which, however, found the temperature too low and degenerated into common everyday rain and more than common mud. To speak plainly, it was a beastly day.
—Albert Goings, a negro employee of the Southern Railway, was charged in the police court yesterday morning with delivering a lot of whiskey to Richard Moore, a hack driver. The case was continued. He said he found the whiskey on the Statesville train and that Moore claimed it. Moore said he sent to Salisbury for the whiskey by another negro. A warrant was issued for the latter.

THE HOLCOMB MEETING.
An Eloquent Sermon on "Soul Winning" — No Difference Between a Sinner in the Church and One Without—The Greatest Thing One May Do.
The subject of the sermon at the Holcomb meeting at the morning service was "Soul Winning." Mr. Holcomb used the words of the last two verses of the epistle of James as his text: "Brethren, if any of you do err from the truth, and one convert him, let him know, that he which converteth the sinner, from the error of his way shall save a soul from death, and shall hide a multitude of sins."
"Error of any kind," said Mr. Holcomb, "lodges first in the brain of man, then reaches to the heart, and then goes out into the life."
"One of the great errors of today is questioning the inspiration of certain parts of the Bible. It would be far better for all of us if we would accept all of the Bible as inspired instead of wasting time and falling into error by questioning one part and another of it. And it would be far better for us if we would accept as true all that the Bible has to say about it and its results, and live as the Bible directs."
"It is this error that grows out of questioning the truth of parts of the Bible that leads people into Dowdism, Christian Science, Unitarianism, Universalism and Spiritualism."
"There is no difference in a sinner out of the Church and a sinner in the Church. All sinners are alike. I used to preach different sermons to sinners in the Church and sinners out of the Church, but I don't do that now. Sinners are all alike, and I preach the same sermons to all. The only way for any sinner to be saved is to repent of his sins and stop sinning and to Jesus Christ for salvation. The sinner who truly repents will stop sinning."
"It is a great privilege that God has given us to lead sinners from the error of their way and get them free from the bondage of many sins. The biggest thing a man ever did was to save a soul from sin, and thus hide a multitude of sins."

AT HEART A HERO.
Country Lad Shows to Train to "Stop! That's a Wreck at Brown Creek!"
When the Seaboard train was coming toward Charlotte yesterday about the noon hour, it began slowing up for the wreck at Brown creek, on the other side, that is eastward of Polkton. As it was drawing through a shallow cut, a rude son of the soil, seventeen years old, barefooted and accompanied by his two bench-legged fleas, came running along the edge of the cut, about on a level with the car windows, waving his hat frantically and shouting: "Stop! Stop! That's a wreck at Brown creek!"
The engineer probably did not see him, and the passengers on that side of the train merely smiled at the rude swain; but the men in the smoking compartment saw that the lad was as heart as much a hero as any of the red-shirted or red-skirted characters in fiction who saved imaginary trains from disaster.
When the train did stop a few minutes later, passengers expressed the wish that the boy might rest upon the impression that he had saved it.

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THE SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE.

Programme of Institute Beginning Today at the Second Presbyterian Church—Twenty Churches to be Represented by Delegates—Strong Speakers to Make Addresses—Supper To-Night.
The following is the programme for this, the first day of the Sunday School Institute, which is being held at the Second Presbyterian church. There will be more than 20 churches represented by delegates. The public is cordially invited to all of the meetings.
In addition to the meetings on the programme given below, a supper will be served at the church at 7 p. m. tonight, at which the officers of the First and Second Presbyterian churches will have as their guests of honor, Mr. J. J. Eagan, of Atlanta, and Dr. A. L. Phillips, of Richmond. These gentlemen will speak of modern Sunday school buildings and the need of adequate equipment for Sunday school work.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, 3 TO 5.
3:00 to 3:20—Devotional Services—Rev. M. D. Hardin, D. D.
3:20 to 4:00—Meaning Modern Sunday School Movement—Dr. A. L. Phillips, General Secretary for the Assembly on S. Work.
4:00 to 4:30—Song.
4:30 to 4:45—Sunday School Ideals and How to Reach Them—Rev. M. E. Porter, District Secretary on S. S. Work for the Assembly.
4:45 to 5:30—Open Conference on Above.
FRIDAY NIGHT, 7:30 TO 9:30.
7:30 to 7:50—Song and Prayer Service—Dr. A. R. Shaw, Pastor Tenth Avenue.
7:50 to 8 S. S. Room.
Address—The Junior Department—Organization and Management—Miss Elbertine Robertson, Washington, D. C.
8:50 to 9:30—Claims of the Sunday School on Christian Business Men—Mr. J. J. Eagan, Supt. Central Presbyterian Church S. S., Atlanta, Ga.
9:30 to 9:45—Song and Prayer.
9:45 to 9:55—Round Table conference on S. S. Methods—Dr. A. L. Phillips.

PERSONAL.
The Movement of a Number of People Visitors and Others.
Mr. T. F. Sanford, of Mocksville, spent yesterday in Charlotte as the guest of the Selwyn.
Mr. H. C. Spencer, of Boston, was registered at the Selwyn yesterday.
Messrs. J. W. Crofton and Wayne Bass, of Bethesda, were in the city yesterday, stopping at the Buford.
Mr. A. K. Loftin, of Greensboro, was a guest at the Buford yesterday.
Mr. F. B. Fishburne, of Columbia, S. C., spent yesterday at the Buford.
Rev. Plato Durham, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, left yesterday morning for Raleigh to testify before the House committee recently appointed to investigate the charges against the committee on railroad rates.
Mr. W. C. Via, of Wadesboro, is spending several days in the city.

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Yard-wide Chiffon Silk in the new Black and White Stripes, Brown and White and Navy and White; \$1.25 kind, at 98c.
Yard-wide Black Taffeta, a good one, at 75c.
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2,000 yards Madras in short lengths; worth 15 to 18c.; will cut patterns at 10c.
A beautiful lot short-length Madras, real mercerized, 25c. goods, 15c.
Big line Colored Linens—Light Blue, Brown, Dark Blue, Tans, Greens, 15c.
Pretty line new, 36-inch Cotton Sulting; same patterns as the one dollar wool goods; looks and wears like wool. Special, 20c.
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Immediately upon acceptance of this bid by the agents, the successful bidder will be required to furnish a certified check in a sum equal to one (1) per cent. of the amount bid, payable to the city treasurer, conditioned that he will faithfully carry out the terms of his bid.
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