

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dilworth... Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Brice... Rev. Walter Holcomb will preach...

The Fro Re Nata Club will meet with Miss Helen Brem at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Mrs. James Brawley, of Chester, S. C., with her daughter, Mary, is visiting Mrs. R. L. Erwin...

Mr. and Mrs. Laidley Walton, of Lincoln, were in the city yesterday, staying with Mrs. L. A. Parker...

Mr. Lawrence Fronberger, of North Charlotte, and Miss Alma Alexander will be married at the home of the bride on next Monday night.

The event of the evening will be the reception which Miss Heath is to give at her home in Piedmont Park...

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Keener, of Lincoln, spent a few hours in the city yesterday morning en route home from Raleigh...

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hinson have gone to housekeeping at No. 807 North Church street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lee, Jr., Major and Mrs. T. B. Lee and Misses Laura Etheredge and Beulah Howell will leave this morning for Great Falls, S. C., to inspect the big water-power development of the Southern Power Company there.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bacon, of Newton, spent yesterday in the city stopping at the Selwyn. Mr. Bacon is a leading cotton mill man and prominent citizen of Newton.

Miss Emma Coble and Mr. D. Curran, of Newton, spent yesterday in the city at the Selwyn.

Mrs. J. P. Garner left yesterday for New York and Philadelphia where she will spend several weeks visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Haywood Hull were at the Selwyn last night on their way to California and Mexico, where they will spend their honeymoon.

Mrs. E. W. Thompson entertained the local chapter of the D. A. R. at her home in Dilworth yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Thompson, who is a most charming hostess, had her home decorated and arranged for the occasion.

The Virginia Dars Circle will meet with Miss Helen Long Friday afternoon at 4:30.

The entertainment given by the Philathea and Baraca classes of the Fifth Avenue Baptist church in the Sunday school room last night was a distinct success, especially in view of the rainy weather, which was greatly in evidence.

The second of the two luncheons tendered the business ladies of the city by Messrs. Crowell & Todd, the proprietors of the Elm Restaurant, was served yesterday afternoon in the dining parlors of that establishment.

The Gamma Sigma Literary Society of the Presbyterian College will receive this evening from 8 to 11 o'clock in honor of the Perlan Society.

Miss Hattie Gray has returned home after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Stanell, east of the city.

The Cheldon Book Club will meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock with Mrs. E. C. Dwell, at her home on East Ninth street.

Mrs. R. A. Dunn, who has been visiting relatives in Washington, is expected in the city to-day.

Miss Mary Alexander has returned to her home in Gastonia after spending several days in the city with friends.

Murder Inquest Develops Nothing. Observer Bureau, 1209 Main Street, Columbia, S. C., March 14.

The reopening of the inquest into the Marshall-Green murder mystery to-night developed no evidence of moment and the mystery is as baffling as ever.

IT'S YOUR OWN FAULT. If the lemon extract you have been buying are weak, bitter and unsatisfactory, you can get an absolutely pure and rich quality if you will insist on the Blue Ribbon brand.

Your brain goes on a strike when you overeat your stomach. You need blood to do business with. Nutrition, you want and comes by taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, 5 cents. Tea or Tablets, R. H. Jordan & Co.

Sporting News

The Races at New Orleans. New Orleans, March 14.—Favorites did well in the final at City Park to-day, winning four races...

First race, 5 1/2 furlongs, selling: Lute Foster, 7 to 1; won; Dior Rosa, 11 to 1; second; Prince Bowling, 1 to 1, third. Time, 1:21.5.

Second race, steepchase, short course: Kara, 5 to 4; won; Lights Out, 16 to 5; second; Subador, 19 to 1, third. Time, 1:37.1.

Third race, 7 furlongs: Sally Preston, 3 to 1; won; Lancelotti, 11 to 1; second; Granada, 18 to 1, third. Time, 1:33.5.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs, handicap: Good Florio, 3 to 1; won; Wild Irishman, 36 to 1; second; Runk, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:16.4.

Fifth race, mile, selling: Yesso, 2 to 1; won; Veribest, 5 to 1; second; Fire Alarm, 9 to 2, third. Time, 1:45.2.

Sixth race, mile and a furlong, selling: St. Noel, 3 to 1; won; Grassie, 10 to 1; second; James Reddick, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:53.5.

Seventh race, 5 1/2 furlongs, selling: Good Florio, 3 to 1; won; Tiohimgo, even, second; Fancy Dress, 11 to 5, third. Time, 1:30.5.

Spartanburg Defeats Charlotte at Basket Ball. Spartanburg, S. C., March 14.—Spartanburg Y. M. C. A. basketball team defeated Charlotte Y. M. C. A. team in a fast game, played on the local court...

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Wishing to make our dining room as popular for Ladies as our Lunch Room is for Gentlemen we have arranged to serve sandwiches and other lunches at our tables and have prepared a special bill of fare at moderate prices.

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WOOL TAMESE AT 50c. An unusual value in Wool Tamese on account of the splendid silky finish; all shades and Black. Price 50c.

BARGAINS IN CREAM AND WHITE WOOLENS AT 25c. Splendid quality, smooth, 36-inch Cream Cashmere; value 38c. "Special" 25c. yard.

36-inch Cream Sicilian, a good, firm material that launders well; 25c. value, at 25c.

75c. 50-INCH WHITE MOHAIR, AT 50c. YARD. Limited quantity 50-inch White Mohair, 75c. original price. Reduced to 50c. yard.

DOTTED SILK MOUSELINES. Dotted Silk Mouselines are something entirely new. Shades, Light Blue, Pink, Lavender, Corn, White and Black; width 44 inches. Price \$1.50 yard.

NEW NETS. We are doing an immense business in Nets, because our prices are much under the usual.

42-inch Dotted Net, at 35c. Plain and Dotted "Marsellaise" Nets, 45 inches wide, 48 and 68c. Fine mesh Plain Nets, Cream, White and Arabian, 45c.

45-inch Dotted and Figured Nets, in Cream and White, 68, 98 and \$1.48. 45-inch Silk Dotted Nets—Light Blue, Cream, White, Navy, Brown and Black. Price \$1.50 yard.

NEW SILKS EVERY DAY. A call will convince you that we have the correct things. Write for samples.

"Dots," "Plaids," "Stripes" and "Checks"—so "Dame Fashion" has decreed for the Fancy Silks. Our lines comprise almost every combination.

"Com Dot" 24-inch China Silks, in Navy and White, Black and White, White and Tan, White and Navy, White and Black and White and Green. Special, 50c.

27-inch Dotted Foulards, several qualities, 75, 89 and 98c. Yard-wide Light Group Stripe Taffetas, splendid for the much used Eton and the popular "jumper" suit, 98c. yard.

27-inch Stripes, Check and Plaid Taffetas; beautiful patterns; \$1.00 value, at 89c.

27-inch All-Silk Tan Domestic Pongee; will be very popular this season. Price 98c.

"Spot-proof" Lyon's Dyed 27-inch Oriental Silk, all colors, Black and White. Price 50c.

36-inch White Jap Silks, splendid values at these old prices, 39 and 50c. yard.

Yard-wide warranted Black Taffetas, values we guarantee can't be matched in the Carolinas, at 75c, 98c. and \$1.25.

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New Specials in White Goods. Fine, sheer quality White Dimity, for shirt waists; a regular 15-cent quality, 10 Cents yard.

White Mercerized Madras, beautiful soft quality in perfect short lengths; would be cheap at 18 cents, 12 1-2 Cents yard.

Fine, sheer quality Swiss, with good embroidered dot, 10 Cents yard. 36-inch fine, sheer quality Linen Lawn, 25 Cents. White Waist Linen, good, firm quality, warranted all pure Linen, 25 Cents.



Carpets and Rugs Cleaned. Don't try to clean your heavy carpets and rugs at home when you clean house this spring.

We can clean them better than you can, save you all the work and bother, and charge you only a very reasonable price.

Make your plans now to let us do it.

Charlotte Steam Laundry. 219 South Tryon Street. Launderers, Dyers, Cleaners.



GREENSBORO, March 14.—District Attorney Holton rested the case for the government in the trial of J. W. Hasty charged with giving false returns while deputy collector of internal revenue, this afternoon, and the taking of evidence for the defendant began.

THE WINDS OF MARCH have no terror to the user of DeWitt's Carbolicized Witch Hazel Salve. It quickly heals chapped and cracked skin. Good, too, for boils and burns, and undoubtedly the best relief for sore eyes. Sold here by Hawley's Pharmacy.

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"The blood should have ninety-five per cent. red corpuscles. With a less amount come weakness, sickness and suffering.

"We see every day on our streets many people whose faces plainly show impure, impoverished blood.

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Our sales of Office Furniture have been exceedingly gratifying to us. The demand is for all kinds of medium and high-grade practical office devices, but our many sales of Office Tables has surprised us.

We carry them in all sizes from one just large enough for card index cabinet or typewriter to directors' tables.

Drop in and see them.

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Rich, RED BLOOD feeds and builds up—Emaciated, diseased, anemic blood tears down and destroys.

Give the body the bloom of youth—Give to health a keener edge and Give to wealth the power to enjoy.

Nature's Own Medicine. \$1.00 PER BOTTLE AT ALL DRUG STORES.

\$100,000 City of Concord, N. C. Municipal Improvement Bonds.

On Tuesday, March 19th, 1907, at 3 o'clock p. m., the agents of said city will receive sealed bids at the mayor's office for the purchase of ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS municipal improvement bonds, running for 30 years, with interest at five per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually.

Interest payable in Concord, N. C., or New York City, at the option of the holders, as provided in the act.

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 of the bonds, payable to the city treasurer, conditioned that he will faithfully carry out the terms of his bid.

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