

Miss Mary... yesterday in the city.

Mrs. Etta Griffin passed through the city yesterday on her way from a course to Salisbury.

Mr. Charles F. Dalton, accompanied by Mrs. D. P. Hutchinson and Miss Solina Hutchinson, took his little child, Parker, to Winston-Salem yesterday. The baby is quite ill.

Mr. Rufus T. Reid, of Davidson, and Mr. W. C. Rose, of Laurinburg, both seniors at Davidson College, spent yesterday in the city, on business.

Messrs. J. Lee Crowell and Dr. W. D. Pemberton, of Concord, were in the city yesterday, stopping at the Selwyn.

Dr. J. P. Munroe, of Davidson, president of the North Carolina Medical College, spent the day in the city yesterday.

Mr. J. Lee Sloan, Jr., mayor of Davidson, was in the city yesterday, stopping at the Central.

Mr. J. A. McLaurin, of John Station, was among those who registered at the Central yesterday.

Mr. J. A. Tyson, of Lilesville, was among the out-of-town visitors yesterday, registering at the Central.

Dr. W. C. Rice, a recent graduate of the University of North Carolina Medical College, at Raleigh, passed through the city last night en route to Florida, where he will locate.

Mr. H. L. Pound, assistant assayer of the United States mint at Philadelphia, who spent several days here recently as the guest of Mr. D. K. Pope, assayer of the local mint, has returned home.

Mr. Ellis McLelland, of Wilmington, is a Charlotte visitor.

Mr. R. L. Ryburn, of Shelby, was in the city yesterday.

Hon. Charles A. Moore, of Asheville, was at the Selwyn last night.

Mr. N. Glenn Williams, of Williams, Yadkin county, was a guest of the Selwyn last night.

Noted Case Postponed.
The Mountain Island case has been postponed till Monday in order that either side could take the deposition of W. T. Jordan, who is now living in New York.

Judge Armistead Burwell, Mr. C. W. Tillett and Col. W. B. Rodman returned yesterday evening from Dallas, where they have been in connection with the case.

The defendants, the Catawba Power Company, Hooper, et al., asked for the continuance.

BRIEFS.

A Few Minor Happenings in and about the City

The Chelidon Rock Club has held its last meeting of the season.

Mrs. J. R. Eddins is quite sick at her home at 610 North Davidson street.

The weather in this vicinity continues cool for the season. The farmers are still complaining of dying cotton.

Mr. Frank Pagram, formerly of this city, but now of Columbia, will return here and work for the Parker-Gardner Company, where he has accepted a position as salesman.

Mrs. F. M. Clark, of Steel Creek township, is very ill. Her children, Miss Annie Clark, of this city, and Mr. Luther Clark, of St. Louis, have been summoned to her bedside.

Quite a number of Charlotte people will go to Davidson to-morrow night to attend the commencement exercises of that institution, which begin Sunday morning.

"Firemen's Heart" will be the attraction at the Academy of Music to-night, being presented by the Williams Comedy Company, under the auspices of Battery "A."

Pilgrim B. H. Barton will preach at Sims' Hall, Dilworth, to-day at 8:30 and 7:30 p. m. Seats free. No collection taken. All welcome. Subject: "The Rich Man and Lazarus."

Mrs. T. A. Allison, who has been ill for the past two weeks at her home on the Boulevard, was yesterday removed to the Presbyterian Hospital, where she will undergo an operation.

The baseball teams of Chadwick and Hoskins Mills and Highland Park will play Saturday afternoon on the Latta Park diamond. The teams are great rivals and are practicing hard for the coming game.

The public generally is looking forward with pleasure to the opening of the summer shows at the park. The midway has put the people in the parking mood and the car rides these nights are delightful.

On recommendation of Chief Irwin, of the city police force, Mayor McInch yesterday ordered that the "Bon-Ton chorus girl show at the carnival be mended or ended. The management must have mended it, for the show was apparently open last night as usual.

The Edisons moving picture gallery is advertising the great Passion Play to be exhibited next week, the film being 3,114 feet in length. The picture, which will be shown once each hour, is a famous one and will probably be a great drawing card.

Mr. George M. Pflifer has sold to Mr. B. N. Rieburg for \$315 a lot in East End, fronting on Parkwood avenue. The Oakhurst Land Company has sold to Mr. J. A. Harrill for \$190 a lot at the intersection of McClintock avenue and School street.

"Children's Tricks Outwitted" and Dr. Dippy's "Sanatorium" are the pictures at the Odeon this week. The first is unusual in that the kids are the persons fooled, while the second portrays the strange and unforgettable experiences of the new attendant at the sanatorium, who is chased and ducked by the patients.

Owing to the structure of the Selwyn roof it is not considered likely that the original plan of the management, which attracted so much favorable attention, relative to the institution of a roof garden this summer, can be carried out. About the only chance lies in the placing of another roof.

BIG BANQUET ENDS CONVENTION

Supreme Council, Ancient Order Mystic Chain, Elects Officers and Selects Binghamton, N. Y., as Meeting Place in 1909.

Roanoke, Va., May 23.—The Supreme Castle, Ancient Order Mystic Chain, which has been in session here since Monday, adjourned this evening after electing officers for the next two years, and choosing Binghamton, N. Y., as the meeting place in 1909 over Chicago, San Francisco, Niagara Falls, and Laconing, Md. A banquet was held to-night.

Following are the new Supreme Castle officers:

Supreme commander, S. B. McMinn, Roanoke; supreme vice commander, L. C. Grothold, Philadelphia; supreme marshal, R. B. Smith, Binghamton, N. Y.; supreme recording and corresponding secretary, John J. Davis, Pittsburg, elected for 27th term; supreme treasurer, G. J. Leeger, Wilkesburg, Pa.; supreme inside guard, Rev. J. F. Dayton, Kelester, West Virginia; supreme outside guard, W. W. Torres, Roanoke, Va.

When your back aches it is almost invariably an indication that something is wrong with your kidneys. DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills afford prompt relief for weak kidneys, backache, inflammation of the bladder and all urinary troubles. Sold by Hawley's Pharmacy.

"Quality Headquarters"

This is an inscription made in a visitor's note book who came to find fault if he could. We believe it reflects the opinion of all our customers. This is why we take pleasure in inviting you to our store. Will you come? When? For those who cannot come, our representative will call to see, or suggestions and quotations by mail. Everything in the way of Wall Papers and modern Wall Hangings, Paints and Paint Specialties.

LUCKY BUYING

We always expect to get bargains when we make a trip to market at this season of the year. It is the time manufacturers and jobbers are anxious to close out odd lots at a price.

But we did not expect to secure so many fine bargains in every line.

Our store is crowded with new, fresh, up-to-date merchandise, at most attractive prices.

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S MILLINERY

The very latest styles in Ladies' and Children's Shapes at half and third regular prices. We have more new Hats in the store than ever before. The goods and styles are brand new.

We also bought a big lot of choice Flowers at less than half regular price.

We can now fix you up a pretty Hat for about half former prices.

Children's pretty Sailors, formerly 50c. and 75c., 25c.

Ladies' Hats at any price.

LAWN AND SILK WAISTS

New, pretty styles, bought much under former prices. Short sleeves, long sleeves, button in back, open in front—almost any style.

Special lot Lawn Waists, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50, 98c.

Special lot Waists, same grade as we have been selling at \$4.50 and \$5.00, \$3.75.

YOU GET YOUR MONEY'S WORTH

You get something better than money out of a pair of RALSTON HEALTH SHOES, and that is genuine, serene ease and comfort. Shoes costing one or two dollars more do not possess this quality of making your feet feel at home. The RALSTON SHOE is a shaped shoe, shaped like the human foot.

We have in our Shoe store Shoes like this picture; also Shoes more extreme or less pronounced in style—you may choose. We have the RALSTON in high and low cut, and every pair is built so that the inside conforms to the mould of the foot that wears it. You will be comfortable if you walk out of our Shoe store with RALSTONS on.

The RALSTON price is only \$4.00, and the equal in quality, style and wear of any other make that cost even \$2.00 more.

Shoes anywhere. Our leading Shoe for Women is the "Regina," in high and low cut, made in all the popular leathers.

We will welcome the opportunity of convincing the most skeptical that "RALSTON" Shoes for Men and "REGINA" Shoes for Women are all we claim for them.

Fellowcraft at \$3.50 and Selwyn at \$3.00 are also standard Shoes for men, both in high and low cut. All leathers—Patent, Vici, Velour and Gunmetal.

Our stock of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes cannot be surpassed at any other shoe store South, and the prices you'll find to be cheaper than you can buy the same class of Shoes anywhere.

BELK BROS.

SHOE HEADQUARTERS

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13 W. Trade St., Charlotte.

A Remedy That Never Disappoints

"I had been subject to Rheumatism and Indigestion for a number of years and tried one doctor's treatment after another for stomach trouble until I was firmly convinced that doctors' medicine could not reach my case. It did not even relieve me. Whenever I would eat solid food my stomach could not retain it, and I was constantly having vomiting spells after eating. My system became weakened down and nervous. I was at that time County Treasurer, and I became so nervous and my hand became so shaky from it that I could scarcely do the necessary writing. Finding I must change my treatment, I determined to try Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy. I bought three bottles of the Remedy and by the time I took them I knew I was better. Then I continued it and took it regularly over a year. Those vomiting spells would return for some time, but I stuck to the Remedy. Before I started on the Remedy I was subject to severe attacks of Rheumatism and my legs and knees would swell so I could hardly turn in bed. I think first and last I have taken a hundred bottles of the Remedy. It has made a perfect cure of my Indigestion and Rheumatism. It is the finest medicine I have ever found for breaking up colds. I have recommended it largely on my plantation to my tenants and to my friends everywhere. It is a remedy that never disappoints, and I cannot say too much in its praise. I would not take thousands of dollars for what it did for me."

BERRY A. PARKS.
Aaron, N. C., May 11, 1907.

Cheap Life Insurance

(Continued.)

Suppose it were necessary for you to make a voyage where you knew there was only one chance in 20 that you would ever return. Would you not select the very strongest ship you could? Suppose you were compelled to send your wife and little children upon such a voyage, or, if you please, your chances but one out of 20 that they would not come back, what effort would you spare to safeguard them against that 20th chance? Why send your wife or your children on a voyage through life alone, when you who have piloted them so far have forever left the ship, with the chances heavily against their making it successfully without every safeguard you can procure?

Suppose when your wife or child required a surgical operation to save her life the surgeon tells you that nine out of 10 of such operations are successful. What would you not give to insure your wife or your child against that 10th chance?

Remember, any life insurance company will take your money. The whole purpose of paying for it is that it may be paid to your family or yourself, perhaps 10, 20, 40 years from now. How many individuals or corporations are there whose unsecured obligation for 10, 20 or 40 years you would take yourself? How much more important that the sacred provision for your family should be an obligation that you are certain will be met.

No company in the world offers greater certainty of payment than the **EQUITABLE**. This is the first consideration in life insurance. No company can furnish safe life insurance at a permanently lower cost than the

NOTHING BUT THE BEST AT THE "MYSTIC" Efird's Department

