the marriage of his daughter,
Lelia Pinkney,
to
Mr. Oscar Benjamin Carpenter.
Wednesday evening, June the
twenty-sixth,
at six o'clock,
the home of Mr. C. C. Kennedy,
Charlotte, North Carolina.
No cards will be issued in town.
The ceremony will take place in the presence of relatives and a few close friends of the contracting parties. Owing to recent bereavement in Mr. Kennedy's home, the marriage will be a quiet home wedding.

Misses Ruth and Leila Kinsey, of Newberry, S. C., were in Charlotte yesterday, spending the day at the Central.

Mrs. R. W. Vincent and children, Misses Ruth and Miriam, and Master Lois Lucas, spent yesterday in Pineville as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Atkins.

Miss Ruth Tedder leaves to-morrow morning for Lumberton, where she will visit relatives for a few days.

Mr. T. L. Hemphill, of Morganton, was yesterday in the city with friends, stopping at the Central.

Mrs. Frank D. Alexander and children will leave the last of the week for Wilmington to spend some time with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harry have returned home from a visit to relatives in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Rohan and little daughter, Natalie, who have been visiting relatives and friends in the city, left last night for their home in Philadelphia.

Mr. W. H. Gorman, of Baltimore, was a Charlotte visitor. She is spending several days with Mrs. John F. Cox, on her way home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hurley have taken a suite of rooms in Washington and are keeping house. Mrs. Hurley, Liesel, of this city, is their guest.

Mr. John C. Leslie and daughter, Miss Emma Ross Leslie, of New York, are spending several weeks here with Mr. James Harty.

Mr. A. H. Washburn and children left to-day for Blowing Rock, where they will spend the summer.

Miss Meta Brooke, of Philadelphia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. J. Martin, at 329 North Tryon street.

Mr. K. S. Finch spent yesterday in Monroe.

Misses Annie and Sarah Wilson will leave to-night for New York. Miss Annie Wilson goes to have her eyes treated.

Mr. Bleecker Reid has returned from a trip to Richmond, Va., and the Jamestown Exposition.

Miss Mary Stancil, of Rockingham, is the guest of Miss Mary Cole, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Plato Durham, North.

Mr. C. C. Jones and son, Mr. Wilkes Jones, will leave next week for Atlantic City to spend some time.

Miss Estelle Vernon and brother, Mr. Ernest Vernon, have returned from Biddenite, where they spent a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bryce are expected to return to-night from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Brevard McDowell will sail July 4th, for Europe to spend the summer traveling.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Martin went yesterday for Davidson to attend the Smith-Curie marriage there last night.

Mr. W. W. Horn and Misses Velma and Maggie York Houston, of Monroe, spent yesterday in Charlotte, guests at the Buford.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Springs, of Holly Springs, were Buford guests yesterday.

PERSONAL.

Movement of a Number of People, Visitors and Others.

Mr. J. Heath, of Matthews, brother of Mr. B. D. Heath, of this city, was here yesterday in Charlotte with friends.

Mr. H. McIver, of Wadesboro, was a Charlotte visitor and a Central guest yesterday.

Mr. A. Steele, of Rock Hill, S. C., registered at the Central in this city yesterday and spent the day here on business.

Mr. D. Hamrick, a well-known lawyer of Shelby, spent yesterday in the city on his way home from a trip to Virginia.

Mr. W. Jones, of New Mexico, is spending several days in the city on business.

Mr. Robert Beall, of Spartanburg, S. C., was a visitor in the city yesterday. He registered at the Buford.

Mr. B. Eskew, of Greenville, S. C., was a guest in the city yesterday.

Mr. W. Latta, of Raleigh, spent hours in the city yesterday.

Mr. C. Bagwell, of Raleigh, was among the guests at the Central yesterday.

Mr. P. Rhyne, a well-known cotton man of Mount Holly, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. L. Ryburn, of Shelby, spent hours in the city yesterday with friends.

Mr. Schenck, of Greensboro, was in Selwyn yesterday.

Mr. S. Parker, of Henderson, was a Charlotte visitor yesterday.

Mr. L. Burts, formerly of this city, now of Atlanta, was a guest at the Selwyn yesterday.

Mr. E. Stack, of Monroe, spent yesterday in the city.

Mr. M. Douglas and Prof. J. L. Kesler, of Davidson, were in the city yesterday on their way to Chicago. Mr. Douglas will spend several weeks.

Mr. Murphy, of Salisbury, was a business visitor yesterday.

Mr. Robert R. King, a prominent attorney of Greensboro, spent yesterday here.

Mr. R. Crowell, of Water Valley, is visiting his uncles, Drs. A. J. and J. Crowell, of this city.

Mr. B. Adams, who attended the August here yesterday and last night, has returned to his home in Greensboro.

"DUCK" IN CANS. MARINO

Gas—The City Water Works Pumping Instrument—With Less Water Pumped Last Year, Showed $17,626 in Advance of That the Year Previous—Where the City Has Gained Because of Municipal Ownership of Water Works Plant—Price Reduced and the City Secured its Water Free of Charge.

The following statement of the condition of the Charlotte water works plant for the year ending May 31st, is an exceedingly interesting one. It shows conclusively that the city did a wise thing when it purchased the water works system years ago for the reduction in price from 25 cents to 25 cents per 1,000 gallons has resulted in a saving of about $35,000 yearly, aside from the fact that during all that time the city has been getting her water free of charge, a considerable item. The statement, one well worth reading, is reproduced.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand June 1, 1906 ....$	4,172.71
Receipts for water sales	40,152.73
Receipts for metre services, etc.	6,226.09
Loaned to and repaid by city ..	17,500.00
Loaned to and repaid by park and tree commission	4,750.00
Interest collected and sale of pipe, scrap, etc.	780.34
Cash from note discounted	4,500.00
Total	$78,081.87

DISBURSEMENTS.

Purchase of real estate .. .. ..$	9,560.70
Purchase of electric pumping equipment, filters, and by other additions to plant	11,037.53
Purchase of new mains, valves, hydrants, etc.	3,363.68
General expense acct., including ½ year's interest on bonds, labor, fuel supplies, repairs, filtration, etc.	43,301.92
Cash loaned to city	5,000.00
Bills payable—money borrowed	4,500.00
Cash on hand May 31, 1907, ...	1,314.51
Total	$78,081.87

A statement, showing in detail, the items going to make up the above amounts, is on file in the office of the superintendent, and to which reference is made.

During the past year, a new auxiliary electric pumping outfit has been installed, and the saving in fuel, operating the plant by electricity as against steam and other items of expense, which it is believed can be so scaled, as will show a reduction of about $6,500 per annum.

In 1906 the station pumped—gallons	453,467,250
In 1907 the station pumped—gallons—	333,308,500
Being .. .. gallons less, while the increase in 1907 over 1906 was	90,158,750 $7,426.45

Previous to the purchase of the water works by the city, the charge was 50 cents per 1,000 gallons, while consumers now are paying 25 cents maximum per 1,000 gallons.

Estimating the present cost of supplying all of the city departments with water—and the figures are low rather than high—at $18,750.

We have then the following figures:

Receipts for water meter service connections, etc. as above	$46,378.82
Rcts. if city paid for its water	18,750.00
Making total rcts.	$65,128.82

Which amount is about 13¾ per cent. on the total bonded indebtedness. This does not take into consideration any increased revenue from Greater Charlotte—increased connections to sewers or the natural increase of water consumption as the city increases in population.

Deducting net operating expenses as per statement, from receipts as above indicated, leaves a difference of	$21,767.80
Add to this estimated saving in operating expenses	6,500.00
Making	$28,267.80
And from this sum deduct ½ year's interest on bonds	$11,750.00
The sum of	$16,517.80
remains, all of which, if necessary, could be placed to the credit of sinking fund account.	
Total rects. for water since the plant was purchased by city—not including any charge whatever for water used by city—since purchase	$245,094.93
Cost to city during this same period, for hydrant service alone, which would have been paid to private ownership ..	56,543.80
Total	$301,638.73
Less amt. consumed by mfg. plants during same period ..	$90,685.13
Net amt. saved to the city and private consumers at 25 cents per 1,000 gals. as against 50 cents per 1,000 gals.	$210,953.60

Or say, in round figures, $28,000 per annum for 8½ years.

By order of the commissioners,
P. H. WILLIAMS, Superintendent.

BRIEFS.

A Few Minor Happenings in and About the City.

—Mr. E. H. Walker continues to lose ground. He is in extremis.

—The condition of Dr. W. W. Pharr, of Mooresville, does not change.

—Signorita Diaz, one of the most popular nurses at the Presbyterian Hospital and a Mexican of noble birth is quite ill.

—Mr. Thomas Squires yesterday sold to Mr. E. J. Heath a tract of land lying in Providence and Morning Star townships. The consideration was $1,500.

—Major William B. Reynolds, officer in charge of the local recruiting district, states that white recruits are

EVERY MAN HIS OWN DOCTOR.

The average man cannot afford to employ a physician for every slight ailment or injury that may occur in his family, nor can he afford to neglect them, as so slight an injury as the scratch of a pin has been known to cause the loss of a limb. Hence every man must from necessity be his own doctor for this class of ailments. Success often depends upon prompt treatment, which can only be had when suitable medicines are kept at hand. Chamberlain's Remedies have been in the market for many years and enjoy a good reputation.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy for bowel complaints.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm (an antiseptic liniment) for cuts, bruises, burns, sprains, swellings, lame back and rheumatic pains.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for constipation, biliousness and stomach troubles.

Chamberlain's Salve for diseases of the skin.

One bottle of each of these five preparations costs but $1.25. For sale by W. L. Hand & Co.

—Sam Lacy, a messenger boy of the Postal Telegraph Company, will sing at the park to-night. He will sing for three nights for Col. Will A. Peters.

—Mr. A. C. Pool, assistant to the chief dispatcher of the Southern at this place, underwent an operation at St. Peter's Hospital yesterday. He is doing nicely and his physician thinks that he will soon be out.

—Mr. H. M. Victor has made a deal with Mr. George Stephens for his suburban home at Elizabeth Heights. He will rent the property and continue to live at the Woodcock place on North Tryon street.

—The picnic of the Oliver Baptist Sunday school has been postponed until Saturday. The wagons will leave the church at 7 o'clock. All members are expected to be on hand at that time.

—In compliance with many special requests, the young people of Brevard Street Methodist church will repeat to-night the entertainment given last Thursday night. The programme will begin at 8:30 o'clock and will be given in the Sunday school room.

—A heavy hail storm swept over portions of Clear Creek and Crab Orchard townships Tuesday afternoon and did great damage to cotton and corn and garden truck. It was heaviest in the neighborhood where Mr. D. A. Johnston lives.

—An ice cream supper will be given to-night by the Knights of the Round Table on the lawn of the Second Presbyterian church. The hours are from 8 to 10 o'clock and the proceeds will go to the Alexander Rescue Home. The Round Dozen Club will serve refreshments.

A New Citizen Arrives.

Mr. William H. Flint, who is to be secretary of the American Machine & Manufacturing Company, has arrived from Chattanooga, Tenn., where he lived for 20 years. His wife and mother will come here in July. In the meantime Mr. Flint will board at the Buford Hotel.

Mr. Flint is delighted with Charlotte. He is especially interested in the Methodist churches of the city.

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Wide bands to match above beautiful for waist fronts, worth 75 cents to $1 yard, 49 cents yard.

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A fine assortment Black Voile Skirts, correctly made by skilled tailors, $5.95 to $12.50.

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