

Social and Personal

Miss Nan Lazenby, of Statesville, arrived in the city last night to visit Mrs. Sidney B. Nalle, at her home on Poplar street.

Miss Beanie Nalle returned last night from a trip to Chester, S. C., where she visited friends.

Mrs. J. B. Beard, of Hickory, spent Friday night in the city, the guest of the family of Mr. Rufus Person, on her way home from Niagara Falls, and other places of interest.

Mrs. A. M. McDonald is visiting Mrs. Julia Morris on the Lawyers' road.

Miss Mary Morris will go this week for a visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hood, in Union county.

Mrs. C. H. Duls and three children left yesterday for Saluda, where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. Gilbert White, who is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Cameron Morrison, on North Church street, will leave for her home in Durham, to-morrow.

Mrs. Paul C. Whitlock and children, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Croeland, in Richmond county, will return home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rowe, of Bennettsville, S. C., are the guests of Mrs. Emma A. Keenan on North Church street.

Mrs. R. L. Vernon, Miss Estelle Vernon and Mr. Ernest Vernon will leave to-morrow for Atlantic City to spend two weeks.

Miss Lula Craven, of Concord, is visiting Miss Nan Sims, on Mint street.

Mrs. Lockwood Jones entertained a few friends at her home on West Trade street yesterday morning in honor of Mrs. Martin, of Atlanta, Ga., who is the guest of Mrs. W. W. Thompson, in Dilworth. Those present were Mesdames Martin and Thompson, J. P. Durant, J. A. Houston, J. R. Renwick Wilkes, C. C. Hook, J. R. Jordan, of Virginia; L. C. Moffitt, J. Frank Wilkes, L. C. Thompson, Luke Seawell, H. O. Miller and L. B. Newell.

Mrs. William M. Johnson has returned to her home in Salisbury after spending several days in the city with Mrs. Pat Williams.

Mrs. J. R. Jordan, of Virginia, is visiting Mrs. Harris R. Wilcox at her home on North Church street.

Mrs. Martin D. Hardin and children have gone to Boonville, Ill., to spend some time with Mrs. Hardin's parents, Hon. and Mrs. Adlai E. Stevenson, Rev. Dr. Hardin, who accompanied his family on the trip returned to the city yesterday morning.

Mrs. J. S. Spencer, with her four daughters, Mesdames D. H. Anderson, S. B. Tanner, A. M. Whisman and J. A. Bell, left yesterday morning for Saluda to spend some time in the mountains. In the party also were Dr. Whisman and son, and Misses Mary Spencer and Nancy Anderson.

Miss Adele Clarke, of Charleston, S. C., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Hagood, on Jackson Terrace.

Mrs. L. M. Olive, of Apex, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Harry, at the Selwyn Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Miller will leave Tuesday for Jamestown. Later they will return to their home in Beaver, Pa.

Miss Martha Owens, of Chester, S. C., is visiting at the home of Miss Sidney Nalle, on North Poplar street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Berryhill, Mr. and Mrs. George Wearn, and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. McCausland and daughters, Misses Mary and Eloise McCausland, will leave to-morrow afternoon for Jamestown and New York on a several weeks' pleasure trip.

Mr. James W. Wadsworth and Misses Katharine Ray and Louise Wadsworth have gone to Wrightsville Beach to spend a week.

Miss Pearl Dixon, of Raleigh, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Durham, on Jackson Terrace.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bucher have returned from their wedding tour and are making their home in the Doved apartment houses, Mrs. Bucher was Miss Eva Groff, of Lancaster, Pa. Mr. Bucher is connected with the book-keeping department of the Southern Power Company.

Mrs. T. Erskine Youngblood left last night for Statesville, where she will spend some time with relatives.

Miss Sidle Strasburg left yesterday for Raleigh. Later she will go to her home in Baltimore for the summer.

Miss Susie Hutchison has returned from Winston-Salem, where she visited.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutchison Kirkpatrick, who have been visiting friends, left yesterday for Jamestown, where they will spend ten days.

The Southern Manufacturers' Club is making extra preparations for the reception which it will give Tuesday evening in honor of the visiting hardware men. The entertainment committee has asked the following named to assist in receiving: Mesdames H. L. Adams, O. L. Barringer, S. B. Biepham, Walter Brann, T. W. Crews, E. A. Cole, S. S. McVinch, J. S. Cochran, J. S. Neely, S. W. Cramer, W. C. Doved, E. C. Dwellie, J. H. Van Ness, W. S. Liddell, T. C. Guthrie, H. M. Harry, E. D. Heash, E. Nye Hutchison, H. A. Murrill, A. L. Smith, Annie S. Ross, F. M. Sawyer, W. L. Wilhite, J. E. Hart, C. W. Tillett, H. M. Victor, Dabney Yarbrough, Harris R. Wilcox, Luke Seawell, J. C. McNeely, E. L. Erwin, A. C. Hutchison, T. W. Dixon, J. N. McCausland, Charles Nuchols, H. Weddington, F. D. Lechno, J. O. Gardner, R. A. Dunn, P. M. Brown, A. H. Washburn, John M. Scott, W. H. Twitty, C. B. Bryant, Misses Nancy Brown, Georgia Lowe, Julia Robertson, Edna Hirschinger, Louise Wadsworth, Acton Laska, Eleanor Reid, Annie Louise Hutchison, Sara Hargrave, Aida Oliver, Florence Oliver, Helen Brann, Estelle Vernon, Mary Irwin, Elizabeth Chambers, Hattie Brann, Blandine Springs, Marguerite Springs, Margaret Hesse, Corale Fore, Misses W. H. Robertson, David Owens, Luke Seawell, F. W. Dixon, C. S. Brasington.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Buchanan, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Grant, Buchanan, on Fifth avenue, left last night for Concord, where they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Cramer and children are in Atlantic City.

Mrs. W. H. Thompson left yesterday for Hendersonville, where she will spend three weeks, stopping at the Wheeler. In August she and Miss Matt Dowd will go to Asheville for a visit.

Miss Daisy Collett left yesterday for Morganton, where she will spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wolter have gone to housekeeping at No. 40 West Fourth street.

Judge and Mrs. J. Crawford Biggs, of Durham, spent the night in the city, stopping at the Selwyn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Young, of Monroe, La., were registered among the guests at the Central last night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Willis, of King's Mountain, spent last night in the city, stopping at the Central.

A Few Minor Happenings in and About the City.

Mr. J. B. Spence has sold to Mr. J. H. Howell a piece of property lying on Seventh street. The consideration was \$1,100.

Tax Collector Duckworth, who has charge of Charlotte's township, has advertised to-morrow or Tuesday.

The macadam streets and cement sidewalks of the city fairly sizzled with the heat yesterday. But for a light breeze it would have been well-nigh unbearable.

The Seaboard is selling coach excursion tickets to the Jamestown Exposition on Fridays as well as Tuesdays. They sell for \$7.50 and are good for seven days.

The North Carolina Mutual and Provident Association, of Durham, yesterday paid to the estate of the late Rev. J. W. Thomas, colored, of this city, a death claim of \$500.

A sacred concert will be given to-night at the Seventh Street Presbyterian church, colored. A silver offering to be devoted to the purchase of new hymn books will be taken.

Owing to a number of very ill patients at St. Peter's Hospital the management requests visitors to observe the rules of the institution and call between the hours of 2 and 6 in the afternoon only.

The directors of the Mecklenburg Fair Association will meet Tuesday night in their office on East Fourth street. Business of unusual importance will be transacted and all the members are urged to attend.

The reports from the farmers in the city yesterday all went to show that the cotton crop has wonderfully improved during the past week. With favorable seasons from now on the yield will be a fairly good one.

Quite a number of Statesville people are expected to take advantage of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church excursion from that town to this next Thursday. It has come to be an annual event and is well patronized.

"We Southern farmers are a great bunch," remarked Mr. C. C. Moore yesterday. "I saw a man sell a bale of cotton this week for 13 1/2 cents. He bought it on the market last fall for about 7 1/2. A rise of 100 per cent. in seven or eight months isn't so bad."

In compliance with the instructions of Patrolman Irvine, based on the recently-enacted ordinance, all bicycle racks, boxes and the like were yesterday removed from the sidewalks in front of the stores of the city. Three feet is the limit at which they can be placed.

A joint meeting of the directors of the Winston-Salem, Greensboro and Charlotte fair associations will meet in Salisbury to-morrow to advise with the promoters of the fair there. An interesting meeting is anticipated. Mr. C. M. Crewell and several others from Charlotte will attend.

The moving pictures on exhibition at the various Charlotte enterprises, which like everything else in this vale of tears played and run in quality, have been rather decidedly above the average for the past week. Many people tried to make the entire circuit last night, but some of them failed. It was too much for them.

Theoretically the athletic department of the Y. M. C. A. suspends operations, during the summer, but the usefulness of that institution is by no means depreciated through the hot weather. With the closing of the schools and colleges comes an influx of students and a rise in the popularity of the library, reading room, gaming room, tennis courts and the cooling baths below.

PERSONAL

The Movement of a Number of People, Visitors and Others.

Messrs. J. Guy Withers, of St. Louis, Mo.; Fred Withers, of Minneapolis, Minn.; and Walter W. Withers, of New York, will arrive in the city this week to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Withers.

Mr. Charles Moore will leave in a few days for the Jamestown Exposition.

Mr. H. A. Moresen left last evening for Raleigh to spend the week-end with relatives.

Mr. E. B. Moore, of Morven, spent yesterday in the city with friends.

Mr. P. M. Keller, of Kings Mountain, was the guest of friends in the city yesterday.

Mr. B. R. Dabbs, of Rock Hill, S. C., was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. Clyde A. Duckworth has returned to the city after an extended business trip.

Mr. James Harkley will leave next Tuesday for Jamestown, where he will spend his vacation.

Mr. J. W. Outhbertson will spend the day at Cleveland Springs.

Mr. Loy C. Corwell, of Dallas, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. T. Grier Miller, of Statesville, arrived in the city last night on route to spend Sunday with friends in the country.

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THE EAST IS DOING WELL.

The Truckers Between Goldsboro and Wilmington seem to be in Pretty Good Condition—A Novel Way to Drive Away Chiggers.

A gentleman who recently returned from a trip in the eastern part of the State was asked by an Observer representative about the condition of the crops and people in the trucking belt between Goldsboro and Wilmington.

In reply he said that although there had been a very short crop of strawberries, the farmers had made a good profit on what they shipped.

The crops of pepper and tomatoes now being shipped are bringing good prices. Tube roses and gladioli are looking very fine and are expected to turn out well and bring good prices.

"The condition of cotton and corn is not good and I will be surprised if half a crop is made," said he.

"The tobacco warehouses are making preparations to handle more tobacco than ever, and considerable more acreage has been planted this year than last."

"The Huckleberry crop is very short. From one station between Wilmington and Goldsboro, where last season, from 200 to 300 crates were shipped daily, there has not been shipped more than 15 crates in any one day this year."

"By the way, it is funny how the huckleberry pickers down there protect themselves from chiggers. They pick the famous 'Sampson Blues,' that if you roll up a person's pants to the knees, you can tell his age by the blue rings around his legs where he has been standing in the swamps, having a ring for each year."

"Taking everything into consideration the eastern Carolina folks are on easy street and in good shape."

Charlotte Has Many Automobiles. "How many automobiles are owned by Charlotte people?" asked an Observer man of a member of the gas-oline aristocracy yesterday.

"I should say 100 even. Two were sold to-day. The auto is driving the family horse in many instances."

"There are a few people who think that automobilists have no rights on the public road. On the other hand, a few automobilists have no regard for the rights of horse drivers. But the feeling is better than it used to be."

DENTON, N. C.

The phenomenal development of Denton, N. C., shows what enterprise and pluck can do for any town. It is true that Denton has everything to help it grow—fine timber and rich farming land surrounding—splendid railroad facilities.

Its outlets now are from the Carolina Valley R. R. and the Southern. Other roads in the Kdnlatonietain It will soon have connection with other roads i adhis section of the country.

The enterprise of the people has done even more than nature for the development of the town. These people have taken natural things and transformed them into money-producing commodities. Denton's first impetus came from her own neighborhood living within a radius of 15 miles. They saw and appreciated her natural value—ready stores, factories, a bank and many homes have sprung up in a wonderful short time.

The Hub Land Co., of Lexington, N. C., took hold of the idea of developing Denton and has done much to aid the growth. It would seem that there has been a town of importance any way for natural good environments come sooner or later to be appreciated.

Lots that sold first and small lots are worth appreciable sums to-day—

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A Summer Shower

Its raining bagains here every day. Come in out of the wet while we talk to you. These price drops are truly refreshing. Why we have no time to be dull. The hot months when business usually languishes are made bustling with activity by great movements of worthy merchandise at prices which even we can parallel at no other season of the year. "Dull" times for manufacturers and importers make them glad to sacrifice profit, even something of cost and to you we bring the benefit. Scan over this partial list of values and come Monday. A Few Hat Weather Specials. Pretty 40-inch Lawn, 10c. 32-in. Persian Lawn, 10c. 15c Brown Dress Linen, 10c. 20c Brown Dress Linen, 15c. \$1.50 English Long Cloth, 12 yards to piece, \$1.25.

\$1.75 English Long Cloth, \$1.48. 25c St. Gall Dotted Swiss in small Dots, 15c. Few more pieces that 25c Persian Checks at 15c yard. Big lot Colored Lawns, worth 7 1-2 to 10c, Special, 5 cents. Ulster Irish Linen finish, looks and wears like Linen, colors tans, brown, blues, also white and black, 15c. New line Dress Gingham for children's dresses. A. F. C. Gingham, pretty designs, 10c. Brown Dress Linens. Just in. 15, 20 and 25c. Persian Lawn specials. 40-in., Sheer and pretty, 20c. 16-in., Sheer and pretty, 25c. 32-in., Sheer and pretty, 15c. 15c white Madras for boy's and men's Shirts, little boys suits, regular 15c quality, special, 10c.

Come see our line of white goods, Sheer and thick. 1 lot Batiste worth 75c yard in most places. 46-in. Sheer and pretty, 48c. A beautiful Sheer and pretty, 46-in. wide white wash chiffon, 35c yard. Linens in table and dress still on sale. Special in napkins and table Linen for hemmed—German bleached worth to-day \$1.50 dozen, special, 98c dozen. Few more patterns that table Damask that we have had such a run on this week at 48c yard. Washes like real Linen. New Ribbons, Belts, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Laces, Embroideries, Ladies' Vests, Corsets, Gloves, both white and colors, coming in every day. A time for accomplishing vast economies on summer essentials Monday at

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