

Social and Personal

Miss Mary Peale, of Gibson, spent yesterday in Charlotte, being a guest at the Buford.

Mrs. Lulu Polk, of Kings Mountain, visited Charlotte yesterday, stopping at the Buford.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dunn and Miss Nan Cannon, of Concord, left last night for Saratoga, N. Y., where they will spend several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith and children, Samuel and Martha, of Pineville, passed through the city yesterday on their way to Littleville to visit Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Wall.

A party of Shelby people, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Mull, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Webb, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Suttles, Miss Wray Suttles and Mr. Jackson, were registered among the guests at the Buford yesterday morning.

Mrs. S. E. Gidney, of Muscovie, I. T., who, with her husband, has been spending a few days in the city with relatives, left yesterday morning for Clinton to visit her sister, Mrs. Gidney went to Shelby, where he will spend some time.

Miss Mary Crosswell, of Wilmington, was registered among the guests at the Buford yesterday.

Miss Lula P. Walker, of Bedford City, Va., spent yesterday in the city.

Mr. J. N. McElreath, son of Mr. McElreath, of Concord, spent yesterday in the city. They were registered at the Buford.

Miss Bleeker Reid expects to leave in a few days for Washington, where, during the winter, she will pursue post-graduate studies at Chevy Chase. Miss Reid graduated at the Presbyterian College last Spring.

Miss Maggie Brown, of Wilmington, is visiting at the home of Mrs. J. H. Wellington, on West Trade street.

Miss Louise Davis, who has been spending the summer with her sister in Alabama, will return to the city next week.

Miss Mildred Watkins, who has been spending the summer at Lovingson, Va., has gone to the Jamestown Exposition. She will return to the city the middle of next week.

Miss May Courtney Oates has gone to Philadelphia where she will join a party of friends and go on a camping expedition to Mt. Alto. She will be absent from the city a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Watt returned yesterday morning from their summer home on the Georgia coast and are again at the Selwyn.

Miss Mattie Dowd is expected to return next week from Asheville, where she has been spending the summer at the Battery Park Hotel.

Miss Mary Irwin has returned from Wilkesboro, where she has spent a week with Miss Ruth Pilon.

Little Miss Margaret McGillivray celebrated her third birthday yesterday by giving a party in honor of a number of her young friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McCausland returned last night from Colorado Springs where they attended the meeting of the imperial palace, D. O. K. K. They were absent several weeks.

Mrs. C. A. Moseley, Misses Sara; Ella and Adelaide Moseley and Mr. Charles A. Moseley, Jr., returned yesterday from Montreal where they spent the summer.

Miss Mauder Moseley has returned from an extended visit to relatives in Greenville, N. C. On her way home she spent several days with relatives in Raleigh.

Mrs. E. S. Pegram and infant daughter left yesterday for Statesville, where they joined Mr. Pegram and will hereafter live.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Morrison, of Morven, were visitors in the city yesterday.

Mr. W. P. McRae and Miss Pat McRae, of Rockingham, were registered among the guests at the Central yesterday.

The Misses Herberton, of Philadelphia, who spent several days in the city with Mrs. Stanley Miller, in Dilworth, are now at Jamestown on their way home.

Mr. Scott Trotter and bride, who was Miss Lelia Blas, of Salisbury, spent yesterday with Mr. Trotter's parents in the county.

Mrs. W. A. Foard and Miss Minnie Foard are visiting in Washington this week.

Mr. S. S. Shuford, of Gastonia, and Miss Camille Shuford, of Dallas, Texas, ran over from Gastonia for the show last night.

Miss Annie Mackey of Winston, was a visitor in the city last night. She was registered among the guests at the Central.

Miss Lorene Young will entertain a number of friends to-night at her home on East Sixth street in honor of Miss Nan Lazenby, of Statesville.

PAYS GOOD DIVIDENDS PROMPT SHIPMENTS FROM OUR OWN MINES LARGEST AND BEST EQUIPPED COLLIERIES CHESAPEAKE & OHIO COAL & COKE CO. M. D. BROOKS GEN. MGR. RICHMOND, VIRGINIA

BRIEFS

A Few Minor Happenings in and About the City.

The Carnegie Library will observe Labor Day next Monday by remaining closed.

A handsome covering of linoleum will be put down in Hand's drug store this week.

Mr. J. N. Slatery is ill at the Presbyterian Hospital. It is feared that he has typhoid fever.

Mr. J. M. Cochran, of the Selwyn cigar stand, has resigned and will be gone Saturday by Mr. Clyde Walsh, late of the Consolidated Cigar Co.

"Looking at the Balloon" is one of several comic pictures put on at the Myrtle yesterday. The talking pictures continue to be the feature at the Edison.

Mr. Frank P. Graham, who has been clerking at the Buford news stand of Mr. Iwe Hirschburg, has severed his connection with that institution, preparatory to returning to the Edison.

Officer Jas. R. Malcolm has gone to Roanoke, Va., in answer to a message notifying the authorities here that Fred Douglas, a mulatto negro wanted here for burglary, is under arrest in that city.

"Who you talkin' to, nigger?" retorted one colored boy to another on the streets yesterday afternoon.

"If I was as black as you is I wouldn't say nothin'." They had to hide you every morning, so the sun kin rise."

Rutherford Sun: Mr. W. Lox Long, the genial and successful actor of Charlotte, is here with his family on a visit to relatives and his old home. For two months he has been on the sick list, suffering from a general breakdown. He is now up and rapidly regaining health and strength.

Walter P. Harris was arrested yesterday afternoon shortly after he left No. 7, the Southern passenger train from Salisbury. When asked to whom he was bringing the 4-1-2 gallons of liquor he had in his grip, he said "to the two unknown fellows." He will answer to Recorder Smith this morning.

MR. WILMOTH ENTERTAINS

Southern Manager For Charles M. Steff Gives Banquet to His Salesmen—A Delightful Event.

Mr. C. H. Wilmoth, Southern manager for Charles M. Steff, gave a banquet in the assembly hall of the Southern Manufacturers' Club last night in honor of the salesmen connected with his office.

There were present Messrs. S. P. Walker, of Baltimore, Md., general manager; C. H. Wilmoth, C. E. Nolan, L. H. Nixon, W. H. Bass, Charles G. Gonsales, W. L. Austin, W. H. Bartlett, P. M. Asbury, E. M. Sentman, W. L. Smith, P. R. Tripp, W. E. Senn, C. P. W. Sullivan, E. J. Inman and A. F. Claver.

The very substantial menu was as follows:

- Soupe Broiled Fish Chicken on Toast Wild Duck Chicken Salad Cold Ham Sliced Tomatoes Olives Salted Almonds Harlequin Ice Cream Coffee Cigars

The evening was most pleasantly spent. The banquet, which was served by Mr. H. A. Weber, was one of the most elaborate ever spread in the city. There was a spirit of informality and ease from start to finish which added greatly to the delights of the evening.

Brief speeches and toasts were made by a number of those present, all of which expressed keen loyalty to the firm and an abiding esteem for Mr. Wilmoth. The occasion was one to be long remembered by every one present.

The Southern rooms of the well-known house of Charles M. Steff were established in Charlotte ten years ago, under the management of Mr. T. G. Weaver, who was forced on account of bad health to resign his position after he had been here only a few months. Mr. Wilmoth, the present manager, was appointed to succeed Mr. Weaver and has seen the open accounts go from 25, at the time he was put in charge, to more than \$400 at the present time.

"There are in Charlotte at this time," said Mr. Wilmoth, "more than 500 pianos, and in the territory covered by the Southern warerooms, more than \$300,000 worth of pianos."

Mr. Wilmoth, it will be remembered, recently moved from the original stand on North Tryon street, to No. 5 West Trade street, where he is now located in one of the prettiest stores in Charlotte.

The electrical display in the store and on the street adding very much to the appearance of that section.

The Pluck of Miss Louise Sanford Last Night.

An incident of which the general public was entirely unaware as it chattered and laughed while waiting for the curtain to rise on the third act last night at the Academy of Music, illustrates the pluck characteristic of the profession which the actor follows and loyalty to the cast of duty. Just before the time when Miss Louise Sanford, who plays the part of Fanchette, fights a duel with Miss Lila Blow, as lions, the former was attacked with acute indigestion and completely prostrated. For a time it looked as if she was out of the game, but she rallied pluckily when the moment came and with superb nerve went through her difficult part.

Mr. Sims Wylie, of New York, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. J. P. Swan, of Atlanta, Ga., is spending to-day in the city on business.

SEE CINDERELLA, A BEAUTIFUL HAND-COLORED PICTURE, AT THE CASINO TO-DAY.

EVERYBODY LIKES IT LUZIANNE COFFEE

PERSONAL

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

Mr. John Hirst, news editor of The Evening Chronicle, returned yesterday from a trip to the Jamestown Exposition.

Mr. J. D. Moore, of Gastonia, spent yesterday in the city on business.

Dr. E. R. Russell left last night for Hickory to spend a few days with his family.

Mr. E. S. Nigh, of Charleston, S. C., is spending several days in the city with relatives.

Mr. E. P. Wideman, city editor of The Evening Chronicle, left last night for Asheville, S. C., to spend a week with relatives.

Mr. W. S. Cornell is spending a few days at Jamestown taking in the sights of the exposition.

Mr. A. J. Crampion left last night for Morehead City, where he will spend several days.

Mr. A. W. Armstrong, of Asheville, spent yesterday in the city, registering at the Central.

Rev. W. I. Merrill, of Greensboro, spent yesterday in Charlotte with friends. He registered at the Central.

Mr. P. M. Cave is spending some time in Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Mr. Lucius Steere will leave to-day for the Jamestown Exposition. He will enter the A. & M. College, Raleigh, on his return.

Mr. Charles Norman has returned from a trip North.

Mr. A. J. Walker, of Atlanta, Ga., is spending today in the city.

Mr. Walter H. Goodman, of Mount Ulla, was registered among the guests at the Central yesterday.

Mr. James Johnson, of Charleston, S. C., was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. J. S. Gilbert, of Huntsville, Ala., was registered among the guests at the Manufacturers' Club yesterday.

President W. W. Peete, of Rutherford College, spent yesterday in the city.

Mr. J. P. Scoggins, of Warrenton, was registered among the guests at the Central last night.

Mr. Ernest B. Taylor, of Salisbury, was a visitor in the city last night.

Mr. L. Thompson, of Salisbury, was registered among the guests at the Buford last night.

Among the guests in the city last night were Messrs. E. E. Dettler and E. L. Fronberger, of Bessemer City.

Mr. A. E. Hutchinson, of Rock Hill, S. C., spent last night in the city.

Mr. W. A. Carter, of Wilson, was a Charlotte visitor yesterday.

Mr. R. S. Fitzgerald, of Greensboro, was a guest in the city last night.

Messrs. L. M. Richmond and George B. Morris, of Concord, spent last night in the city.

Mr. James T. Griffith, of Monroe, was registered among the guests at the Buford last night.

Mr. F. W. Ashcraft, of Monroe, spent last night at the Central.

Mr. G. T. Slatery, of Winston-Salem, was a visitor in the city last night.

IVEY'S SPECIAL VALUES IN Table Damasks

To increase our business in this department we have taken a number of pieces, our best values in Damasks, and put very low prices on them for a few days selling.

A good chance for you to buy nice cloth at a big saving.

30c. Damask, 22c. Yard

A good, heavy quality Bleached Damask, 53 inches wide, and worth 22c., for 12c. a yard.

60c. Damask, 49c. Yard

All pure Linen heavy Cream Damask, a good one for wear, 49c. a yd. 60 inches wide and worth 50c. yard.

80c. Linen, 60c. Yard

Good weight All-Linen Bleached Damask, 40c. one, 60c. a yd. 70 inches wide.

\$1.00 Damask, 79c. Yard

This is an excellent quality and cannot be sold for less than \$1.00 regularly. All pure Linen, full bleached, very handsome patterns.

\$1.25 Damask, 99c. Yard

This is our finest quality. Heavy, All-Linen Satin Damask, two yards wide; about half a dozen very beautiful patterns. Easily worth \$1.25 a yard; for 99c. a yd.

Towels, 10c. Each

15x26 heavy Huck Towels, a nice quality and worth 12 to 15c. each; for 10c. each.

Shirt Waists, 98c. Each

Just received another fine lot Sample Waists. No two alike. All in perfect condition and worth all the way up to \$2.00. Your choice 98c. each.

IVEY'S For Rent, Furnished The residence of J. P. Caldwell, 603 South Tryon Street. In perfect repair. A model of convenience and comfort. Hot water heat. Large, dry basement. Possession November 1st next. Apply to F. D. ALEXANDER Real Estate Agent.

White House Coffee THE BEST GROCERS

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LIVERY AND BOARDING STABLE. If you want livery that will please you every day, phone us your order. We are also prepared to give you the very best care for boarding horses in the city. Phone 81. W. G. ROSS & CO., 25 and 27 West 4th street.

DEFLIANCE CHECK PROTECTORS. Other absolute protection. Put one in your office before you lose the price of one many times over. J. E. GRAY-TON & CO., 27 S. Tryon.

DO NOT WANT SOMETHING NICE TO-DAY? Well I have some new sweet potatoes. Nice lot new Irish potatoes. Just received 30 pounds new sun dried apples that are nice and they won't last long at the price, 10c. the pound. Nice apples, cabbage, green sweet bell pepper and good lot chickens and eggs. Phone early JOHN V. SMITH, PHONES 122-234.

TRY ME-TILL RENT YOUR PROPERTY and I'll not fool about it. I'll give it the same or better attention than I do my own, and the a plenty. May as well get the best that's going, it costs no more than poor service. E. L. KRESLER, 25 S. Tryon St. Phone 34.

NUNNALLY'S BON BONS, CHOCOLATES, Chocolate Peppermints, Chocolate Almonds, Sugar Coated Jordan Almonds, Peanut Brittle, Buttercocois, Almond Brittle, etc., fresh by express. Absolutely pure and good lot chickens and eggs. Phone early. WOODALL & SHEPPARD, DRUGGISTS, Phone 93.

MAJOR HEADACHE POWDERS IS the best thing for a headache. Do you suffer? Try Magic next time, it will cure you. JAS. P. STOWE & CO., DRUGGISTS, Phone 113.

MOST LEMON EXTRACTS ARE FIFTH-BEST. The one safe way to buy is to call for and demand the Blue Ribbon brand.

NEW Fall Merchandise

Comes tumbling in every day and the shelves are fast filling up—each new shipment brings some new novelty to gladden the hearts of our fair patrons. You will enjoy visiting our stores because of the interesting and beautiful things displayed, and when you compare values you'll agree that flowery essays and bolstering claims are not needed to help sell our goods. Can over this partial list of values:

New line Plaid Wool Suitings, all the new and fashionable shades, 48c.

Big line Black Dress Goods in and coming on every freight.

50-inch Mohair, 48c.

52-inch Cream Tamise; also Navys, Reds, Browns, 48c.

Big line Mohair and Poplin Cloth, in all the new shades, 25c.

Cream Cashmere, as well as other new shades in Blues, Greens, Browns, etc., 25c.

Keswick's Suiting; this goods is 36 inches wide and sells for 25c. Our special on this fast colored fabric for fall dresses, 18c.

Arnold's Mohair, fall colors; all the new Blues, Browns, Grays, etc. Wears and looks like real wool fabric; fine for skirts and suits.

Arnold's Mohair, 12 1-2c.

Pretty line Flannelettes for early fall, big assortment colors, 10c.

Silk Gingham, new Plaids in Blues and Brown mixed; also Green and Brown, Black and White, etc., 25c.

Just arrived, a big line Sheets and Pillow Cases, 36x45 inches, 81x90, 90x90, 72x90, at prices that will please you. Come now while you can get suited.

One line Towels, 12c. pair. One line Towels, 16c. pair.

Black Ami Silk Petticoats, a real good one, 50c.

Ask to see our Heather-bloom Taffeta Petticoats; outwears real silk, looks

like real silk and it has that real silk rattle to it. Special, \$1.98.

We call your attention to a special in Fringed Counterpanes, either cut or square corners; worth to-day \$2.00. Special, \$1.48.

Ten Notion Specials

In to-day, big line of fine Round-thread and Val Laces, worth 10c. per yard. Special lot for 5c. yard.

15c. Ladies' Vests, former price 15c. Close lot at 10c.

Something new—the new shades in Ladies' Belts with large buckles. Special 48c.

Extra Special. Don't forget our line of Trunks, Suit Cases and Bags. Remember, we are always under the price on these, as well as everything else.

Our invincible mercantile power is demonstrated in the prices we have made on our new fall goods. All we ask is a showing.

Belk Bros. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Overstocked on high-grade Teas. To reduce stock, will sell finest Gunpowder at 65c., Oolong 55c., English Breakfast 50c. per pound. W. M. CROWELL, Phones 744 and 297.

Oldest Largest Best Planning School Dresses?

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

GET IT AT HAWLEY'S Violet Sea Salt

All the invigorating qualities of sea salt combined with the refreshing odor of the wood violet. A delightful bath accessory. Price, a quarter. Spontaneous messengers waiting to pedal.

Hawley's Pharmacy Tryon and Fifth Streets. Phones 15 and 260.

EFIRD'S NEW SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Extra Specials for Saturday

All Summer Goods Going at Give-Away Prices.

Gingham Remnants 1c. a Yard 5,500 yards Gingham, all colors and lengths; to clean up Saturday 1 cent a yard

Ladies' Fine Summer Underwear 1,000 garments—Ladies' fine Sample Lisle Thread Gauze Vests, Pants, Corset Covers, etc.; worth up to 25 and 35 cents each; to clean up Saturday 10 cents each

Ladies' White Lawn Shirt Waists Ladies' fine White Lawn Shirt Waists, worth up to 71 and 98 cents 50 cents

All \$1.00 and \$1.25 Waists going at 75 cents

Yard-wide Sheetting 5 cents

36-inch Sea Island Sheetting for Saturday 5c. yard

Children's Caps, soiled 1c. each

Men's Fine Sample Shirts 200 dozen Men's fine Sample Shirts, all colors; worth up to 75c. Special 49 cents

Blue Shirts with White Polka Dot, same as others are getting 75 cents for 49 cents

Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 Samples 75 cents

EFIRD'S Department Store The Always Busy Store. Cor. Trade and College Streets Charlotte.