Mrs. William R. Robertson.

This will be one of the most notble of the social events of next

Mrs. Sarah Seibels, of Calumbia, S. C., will return to-day to her home after spending several weeks in the city. Part of the time she was here one was the guest of Miss Matt bowd.

Ga., will arrive in the city soon to spend the Christmas holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Edgar M. Hanna, on East Fourth street.

Mrs. James P. Stowe and Miss Nan Ward, who atended the Gilliam-Adams wedding, have returned from

Mrs. Thomas L. Craig, of Gas-fonia spent yesterday in Charlotte with Mrs. E. W. Mellon at her home on North Poplar street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hagood, of King's Mountain, spent yesterday in the city with friends. They formerly resided here.

The Athenae oBok Club will meet with Miss Acton Latta to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Miss Emma De Woody, of Pine Bluff, Ark., is spending a few days in the city with friends at Elizabeth College. She was formerly a student at that institution. Miss De Woody is en route to Greensboro to attend the Jordan-Thornwell marriage Thursday.

Miss Nora Thompson, of Baltimore, Md., is the gues: of Miss Louise ing, afternoon and evening. Others of Cates at her home on South Tryon will follow to-day, the gathering compared to a close probably this afternoon.

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The event for the children on Friday afternoon, December 20th, will be the special story-telling at the Carnegie Library in celebration of Christmas. The building will be decorated appropriately and special pains will be taken to see that the occasion is an enjoyable and profitable one for the little folks. This afternoon at 4 o'clock Miss Elizabeth Black, will tell Kipling's story, "How the Whale Got His Throat,"

ternoon at 4 o'clock with Mrs. J. A. ries as possible.

in the city with friends.

Misses Stuart and Sarah Jones will return home Monday from Knoxville, Tenn., where they are the guests of Miss Katherine McClung,

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gilliam left yesterday morning for the North on their honeymoon. Other members of the party stopping at the Selwyn were: Miss Sume Gilliam and Mr. George Gilliam, sister and brother of the groom.

An interesting meeting of the Daughters of the Revolution was held yesterday afternoon with Mrs. E. D. Latta at her home in Dilworth. The session was purely a business affair. The most important subject discussed was that of the kirmess, which the D. A. R.'s propose to give some time after Christmas. This will be decided more definitely at the next meeting, which will be with Mrs. R. M. Brannon the second Thursday in Jan-Auditorium and will probably be of either two or three days' duration, possibly two days with a matinee.

SLAUGHTER-PENS AGAIN.

Board of Health Assents to the Request of Proprietors that Question of Their Removal Be Held Open Until After Meeting of the Aldermen in January.

The postponement of action in regard to the slaughter-pens in the city was the most important action of the board of health in session last night. After a discussion of this much-talked aubject, the board agreed to acquiesce to the wishes of the owners of these pens that the situation be left untouched until after the first meeting of the board of aldermen, which will he the first MonJay night in January. The proprietors of the two slaughtermens now being operated inside the city limits urgently requested the board to postpone action, and they will doubtless seek to bring decided pressure to bear upon the city fath-This matter was given an exhaustive liscussion at a meeting of the committee on health from the board of aldermen Tuesday night.

Tae sanitary situation was also dis cussed by the health board last night and it was agreed that an ordinance framed and recommended to the aldermen for passage that the merchants be given until 8 o'clock to get all garbage collected for the wagons. The board wants it understood that this matter cannot be disposed of according to the whims of the people. and that trash and refuse of all kinds must be collected and placed on the streets for the wagons. Dr. F. M. Winchester and Mr. C. A.

Williams, the two new members of board, were present last night and sworn to their duties.

The Dilworth Bridge Club met yes.

terday afternoon with Miss Pat Le-Grand at her home in Dilworth.

Miss Mae Whitney, of Gastonia, was enest at the Buford yesterday.

Fars. R. H. Bennett and Mrs. J. H. Gray, of Marion, spent yesterday in

the city, stopping at the Central.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Moore, of Le-noir, were visitors in Charlotte yester-day. They were guests of the Central.

A new Columbia bicycle was stolen from the front porch of Mr. D. G. Calder's residence at the corner of Park and Cleveland avenues last night and no clue has been secured as to the daring thief. Mr. Calder left his wheel on the porch when he went home last night and discovered short-ly after supper that he had been de-prived of its use for the time at least.

Dead Easy. Charleston News and Courier. With salaries increased to \$7,500 from \$5,000, the financial situation never before looked so easy to the Congressmen.

IF YOU ARE PARTICULAR About the vanilla you use you will call for Blue Ribbon every time.

—The F. D. Alexander Land Company has sold to Mr. Henry K. Etheredge for a consideration of 3650 a tract of land lying near the intersection of the Beattle's Ford road with the Barringer-Moore belt road.

Mrs. Samuel Weldon, of Albany.

-The Parker-Gardner Company floor of the Senate chamber of the South Carolina Legislature with extra fine Wilton velvet carpet. The contract will amount to \$2,000. Mr. George Brice, of this firm, has just closed the deal.

Mr. E. H. Bean, of Saljsbury, was among those registered at the Buford last night.

Mr. W. B. McNeety, of Mooresville, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

—The Mystic Five and the South-brners, the rival basketball teams, meet each other Saturday night at the gymnasium of the Young Men's Christian Association. A warm time is expected and predicted by those who know the ins and the outs of the game and the make-up of the teams. of the Selwyn.

SUPERINTENDENTS MEET.

Notable Gathering Assembled Yester-day—Many Thoughtful Speeches Made on Subjects Pertinent to Ed-ucation, With Special Reference to

The Salvation Army proposes to the Public Schools.

Central Association of County Super- children of Charlotte's poor. In adintendents of Schools is being held in dition to this an effort will be made Charlotte, beginning with yesterday to "treat" at least 300 more. The morning's session at the court house, following letter, which is self-explan-Sessions were held yesterday morn- atory, has been issued: ing, afternoon and evening. Others "Last Christmas Day the Salvation

schools for Gaston. The address of in a basket to their homes, and a welcome was made by Mr. R. J. treat to 300 poor children on Christ Cochran, county superintendent of mas night. As the Charlotte public Mecklenburg, extending to the visit-ors all courtesies. Apt and appro-priate response was made by Mr. J. in our efforts to bring cheer to many

to Secure Rural Libraries and How to that any should be forgotten, no mat-Use Them." Those who spoke were ter what their creed or nationality.

Messrs. J. H. Allen and J. D. Holges. "To accomplish this will mean con It was urged that special effort be siderable expense. As sympathizers The Pro Re Nata will meet this af- made to secure as many rural libra- of the poor, we feel sure you will help

Houston, at her home on North College street.

Miss Rena Potta and Mrs. J. A. White, of Davidson, spent yesterday

The next address was delivered by Prof. J. G. Matheson, who occupies the chair of pedagogy in the State Normal College at Greensboro. His subject was the relation between the body prof. Davidson, spent yesterday Normal College in fitting teachers to goods, such as tomatoes, corn and to better work. Professor Mathemilk. Clothes, candies, nuts, toys, etc. son's speech was the sound, yet en- God bless you. thus a stic address of one who has given his life to a work in which he believes profoundly. He spoke eloquently of the work of the Normal College, which has sent out into the State more than 2,500 young women teachers to elevate its citizenship.

Yesterday afternoon Messra. B. B. Dougherty, G. T. Heafner, B. T. Falls, and George Long spoke on with which he is thoroughly conver-

address delivered by Mrs. W. F. Hal- according to Southern officials, perlowell, of Goldsboro, president of the mit a fair return of the capital invest-State Association for the Improvement of Public School Houses and Grounds. A good-sized crowd was wary. The kirmess will be given at the present to hear this lady, who snoke eloquently and understandingly of the which, in fact, it has had its origin and growth.

The programme has been followed out as closely as the attendance would permit, though the absence of some interfered with it somewhat. Among those attending from out of town yesterday were: F. P. Hall. Gaston rounty: J. D. Roger. Cabarrus: R. R. Dougherty, Watauga: J. H. Allen. Surry; R. N. Nesbit, Uhion: G. T. Haefner Lincoln; J. D. Hofres Davie; Y. D. Moore, Caldwell F. Edins. Stantev: L. O. White, Install: J. M. Wall Anson: B. G. Kiser, Rowan; B. T. Falls, Cleveland.

Not Vet But Soon. Wilmington Star.

The Charlotte Observer has an article headed "Distinguished Yarn Men Here." Is the North Caroline Press Is the North Carolina Press Association at Charlotte?

Short Talks on Cotton Seed Oil

HOW TO FRY Fried food ried food is indigestible! runs the legend. It is founded on the fact that hog grease is hard to digest. Nov the problem, how to fry without making the food greasy The first answer is:

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The second-substitute
GOLDEN GLORY
COOKING OIL
Last, but not least,
FRY RIGHT

To fry right, get the article to be fried encased as quickly as possible in something that will keep the grease out will keep the grease out

This is easy with Golden
Glory Cooking Oil, because
you can heat Golden Glory
very hot; and if you get the
Oil very hot before dropping
in the article, it will sear it
over so quickly that grease
cannot penetrate.

The pet result is you can

The net result is you can fry anything in Golden Glory Cooking Oil to a beautiful brown and-

It will not burn.
It will not smell. will not taste of grease. It will not give you dvs-

To tell when Golden Glory To tell when Golden Glory Cooking Oil is just hot enough, drop in a bread crumb. It should brown in five seconds. If you should undertake to make lard this hot, you would raise a smoke and a smell. If you should undertake to make butter this hot, you would just burn it up; therefore, if you want to fry right, use Golden Glory Cooking Oil.

Pure, Wholesome, Palatable, THE SOUTHERN COTTON OIL CO., Sole Manufacturers, Charlotte, North Carolina,

Mr. R. M. Bryant, of Port Mill, S. C. spent yesterday in the city on bus-

Mr. J. G. Everett, of Monroe, was a gnest at the Selwyn yesterday. Mr. A. K. Orr, of Asheville, was a Charlotte visitor and a guest of the Selwyn yesterday. Mr. W. M. Carter, of Wilson, spent

yesterday at the Selwyn. Rev. Frank Siler leaves this after-noon for Lilesville.

Mr. H. R. Snyder, of Great Falls S. C., was at the Buford yesterday.
Mr. J. W. Hendrix, of Salisbury,
was registered at the Buford last

Mr. F. B. Hall, of Belmont, was guest of the Buford yesterday. Mr. E. H. Bean, of Salisbury, wa among those registered at the Buford

Mr. D. D. Wilkins, of Shelby, was

TO FEED THE POOR.

The Salvation Army proposes to

The annual meeting of the West give a Christmas dinner to 300 of the

The association was called to order yesterday morning by Mr. F. P. Hall, county superintendent of with a Christmas dinner, to be sent D. Boger, of Cabarrus.

darkened homes on Christmas Day, as
The first topic discussed was "How we are sure that it is not your desire

"To accomplish this will mean con-The next address was delivered by Make checks payable to the Salvation

schools and good citizenship, with special reference to the work of the bananas, oranges, onlons, canned

Respectfully yours, "WM. H. PRICE, "Ensign "E. L. S. BARNETT, "Treasurer.

A Pretty Steep Price. Salisbury Post.

The determination of the Southern "How to Supply the Schools With to discontinue four of its passenger Sweet Peas, Lily of the Valner next spoke on "State Aid to the lesson for the people of North Caro-Public Schools." This subject is one lipa to pender upon. What the traveling public needs and wants is a bet ter service but it is failing to get i The feature of last night was the by reason of legislation that will not

North Carolina, especially that sec tion in proximity to the Southern, Seaboard Air Line and Atlantic Coast Line has already paid a pret work which has done so much good ty steep price for the statutes gov-during the past few years during erning railroad rates and half interest alone will prompt conservatism in the

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Contest Closes at Noon, December 24th, 1907. No advertisements returned.

Send all advertisements to MRS. JOE PERSON. Charlotte, N. C.

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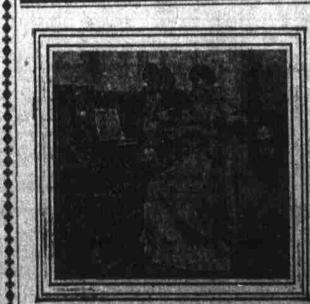
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