

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Allen, who have had apartments at the Central, have moved to the residence of Mrs. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Asherson.

The Ladies Aid Society of St. Mark's Lutheran church, will meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock with Mrs. O. B. Robinson, at her home, No. 297 North Poplar street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cutter have gone to New York for a visit of a week or more.

Miss Lu Telle Sherrill and Miss Margaret Hamilton, of Covington, Ky., went to Mooresville yesterday morning, where Miss Hamilton will visit Miss Sherrill at her home. Both have been the guests of Mrs. J. H. Ham and Mr. and Mrs. Ham will go up to Mooresville Saturday, Mr. Ham leaving next week for Richmond, Va.

The Thursday Morning Bridge Club met yesterday with Mrs. Julius Leisel.

Miss Mary Catherine Thomson will leave for New York Sunday to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Page.

The Friday Afternoon Club will meet this afternoon with Mrs. John M. Scott on South Tryon street.

The reception which the Woman's Club of the city proposes to give the teachers at some time during the season of that body in this city the latter part of June promises to be the most notable event of its kind during the summer months. A meeting will be held at the Carnegie Library to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock between the committee on arrangements of the club and representatives from all book clubs of the city, which number some few. At this conference the situation will be canvassed in some detail and an understanding will be reached. The Woman's Club desires to give the glad hand to the teachers, the aim of whose efforts is that of the club, is culture and uplift.

A party composed of Misses Ella Summey, Sue Stephens and Harriet Orr and Messrs. Harvey and Albert Orr will leave for Nova Scotia next week. They will spend the summer there.

Mrs. Charles McKnight, of Knoxville, Tenn., is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. V. Finlayson, at her home on North Poplar street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Steele, of Statesville, spent yesterday in the city, stopping at the Selwyn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Thomson, of Yorkville, S. C., were visitors in the city and guests of the Buford yesterday.

Mrs. M. C. Gwynn, of Santa Barbara, Cal., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. T. J. Lillard in this city.

Miss Elizabeth Springs, of Hickory, is visiting Miss Julia Irwin in Charlotte for awhile.

The following invitation has been issued:

The Senior Class Elizabeth College invites you to be present at the commencement exercises May seventeenth to nineteenth (nineteen hundred and eight) Charlotte, North Carolina.

Following is the class roll: In the A. B. course, Misses Rena Austin, Vera Lavene McAnn, Fannie Sumner, Mamie McCann, Fannie Falson, Shaw, Willie Ramsey Young, in expression, Misses Rena Austin and Lillian Starr Williams; in piano, Misses Berte Hutchings, Mary Blanche Roberts, Lachia Lowery, Ruby Katherine Watson; in voice, Miss Berte Hutchings.

The Saturday Afternoon Tea Club will meet to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Harris R. Wilcox at her home on Church street.

Miss Margaret L. Haughton, of Wilmington, is the guest of her brother, Capt. Thomas H. Haughton.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Abbott and children leave this morning for their summer home at Flat Rock. Mrs. Abbott and children will spend the summer there, while Mr. Abbott will go up to spend the Sundays with them.

Miss Mary Lewis, of Statesville, is in the city the guest of the Misses McLaughlin, on North Myers street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Brown who have lived in Gaffney, S. C., for about five years, have returned to Charlotte to live and have taken residence at 764 South Church street. Mr. Brown will be with the Charlotte Drug Company.

Miss Carrie Nathan was among those who went to Asheville yesterday with the party to attend the sessions of the grand council of U. C. T. of North and South Carolina.

The woman's science department of the Woman's Club held an interesting meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. W. G. Rogers in Dilworth. The discussion was a helpful one.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Gardner entertained about twenty friends last night at their home in Piedmont in honor of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Abbott who leave this morning for Flat Rock, where they will stop at their summer home.

Mrs. E. W. Phifer will entertain at bridge this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. J. L. Little and Master J. L. Jr., of Mervin, and Miss Jennie B. Brent, of Wadesboro, spent yesterday in the city, stopping at the Central.

Mrs. G. W. Clarke, of Monroe, was among the visitors in the city yesterday, a guest of the Central.

Miss Julia Alexander returned some days ago from Washington, where she spent awhile.

Mrs. Charles E. Hooper entertained at eight tables of six-handed euchre on the first floor of the Buford Hotel yesterday and the affair proved to be one of the largest and most elaborate of the season. It was given in two large parlors on suits. Very handsome prizes were given.

SPECIAL BLUE RIBBON. If you want the best vanilla, get your grocer for Blue Ribbon. The honey is perfection, and besides, it goes twice as far.

The first prize was won by Mrs. J. E. Caldwell. She and Mrs. E. W. Phifer tied for Mrs. J. L. Little and with the foregoing result. Mrs. Hugh Montgomery won the prize for the greatest number of lone hands. The consolation was cut for by all and won by Mrs. J. L. Little. Those present were: Mesdames W. W. Watt, E. W. Phifer, A. S. Cheek, W. J. Chambers, J. P. Caldwell, Charles E. Alexander, W. A. Smith, E. B. Moore, H. McC. Ross, G. L. Best, A. M. Spang, Lottie Maffitt, D. A. Hurley, J. T. Matthews, Julius Leisel, W. S. Alexander, Herbert Miller, R. and B. Miller, W. A. Zweiger, James Keestrin, H. Ham, Frank Purcell, A. B. Wingfield, Gordon, A. C. Lee, J. O. Gardner, Charles Platt, E. W. Mellon, Hugh Montgomery, J. W. Conway, Fred Oliver, V. J. Guthrie, David Owens, T. M. Shelton, Wescott, Ike Hirschberg, O. W. Loving, Harry Dixon, L. Ingram, J. Herbert Howell, Harvey Jacobs, L. A. Adams, W. J. Walker, W. A. Bellingier, Edmonson, Misses Linda Hoskins, Graham, Josie Dillehay and Carrie Rosenthal.

Mrs. W. Z. Stults returned to the city yesterday from Martinsville, Va., where she attended the funeral of her father, Mr. Thomas J. Jamison.

Miss Mamie Robinson, who has been teaching school at Siler City, has returned to her home in Providence. She visited friends in Rockingham for several days.

Mrs. E. Berkeley, of Mayodan, spent yesterday in the city, stopping at the Selwyn.

PERSONAL

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

Mr. Abner Nash has gone to Alabama, where he will continue his work with the geological department of the government work.

Mr. John W. Bryan, of Greensboro, spent yesterday in the city, registering at the Selwyn Hotel.

Mr. W. E. Fowler, of Charlottesville, Va., was in town yesterday on business. He is a visitor in the city, a guest of the Buford.

Mr. C. F. Maroney, of Greensboro, was at the Central Hotel last night.

Mr. J. R. Miller, of Trinity, in the city last night from Shelby and is at the Central Hotel.

Mr. A. Delmar, of St. Mary's College, Belmont, spent awhile in the city yesterday, registering at the Central Hotel.

Mr. R. S. Leak, of Rockingham, spent yesterday in the city. He stopped at the Central.

Mr. J. C. Line, of Monroe, was at the Central Hotel last night.

Mr. J. R. Miller, of Trinity, was among the Central's guests yesterday.

Mr. John A. Dunn, of Statesville, was yesterday at the Central.

Mr. E. Adolphus Miller, of Statesville, was among those registered at the Central.

Mr. E. M. Nance, of Wilmington, was a guest of the Central last night.

Rev. O. I. Hinson, of Matthews, spent yesterday in the city.

Mr. H. M. Victor returned to the city yesterday from a trip to Washington and New York.

Mr. George Robinson, who has been attending school at Oak Ridge, has returned to his home in Davidson.

Messrs. R. P. Hinson and Logan McClean, of Lincolnton, spent last night in the city.

Mr. J. L. Sampson, of Yakinville, spent yesterday in the city at the Buford.

Mr. W. H. Allen, of Dallas, was at the Buford Hotel last night.

Mr. S. A. McFaddin, of Greensboro, was among those at the Buford last night.

Mr. R. G. Sloan came in last evening from Greensboro and registered at the Buford.

Mr. A. G. Lynn, of Greensboro, stopped in last night at the Buford.

Col. W. E. Holt, of Lexington, spent last night at the Selwyn.

Mr. George A. Black, of High Point, arrived in the city last night, and stayed at the Selwyn.

Mr. H. E. Vogler, of Winston-Salem, is at the Selwyn to-day.

Mr. J. F. Hure, of Shelby, is in the city, stopping at the Selwyn.

BRIEFS

A Few Minor Happenings in and About the City.

—Mr. W. J. Fite has been quite sick at his home on West Trade street, but is somewhat better.

—The county Democratic executive committee will hold a meeting, to-morrow in the court house.

—Rev. J. G. Adams will speak on prohibition to-night at Belmont, probably in the Woodman Hall.

—Mr. C. W. Tillett will make an address on prohibition at Sharon Academy to-morrow night at 8:30 o'clock.

—It may be a campaign for temperance all right, but all things considered, in these days, it is hardly a campaign of temperance.

—"The Great Jewel Robbery," a stirring drama of society and of Western life, is at the Theatre. It is a whole play in itself.

—Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Thies are occupying their residence on the corner of Torrence avenue and Elizabeth Heights which Mr. Thies recently purchased.

—Charlotte has quite generally availed itself of the permission given by the oracles relative to the disbursement of "fem." Yesterday was another bumper.

—Manager Jesse Reynolds has returned to the city from Greensboro, where he received severe bruises in a collision in Tuesday's ball game. Snedden will act as captain during the games at Spartanburg.

—Mr. F. D. Price, of Leno, who sustained some time ago an injury to a knee cap, has gone to New York to consult a specialist. He has a brother in New York, Dr. Walter Price, and will be his guest.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Flexco, of the neighborhood of Yorkville, E. C., Bethany vicinity, arrived in the city yesterday with their little 4-year-old daughter, Brennie, who was placed in St. Peter's Hospital to be treated for acute inflammatory rheumatism. Mr. Flexco will probably return home to-day, while Mrs. Flexco will remain here for several days.

—"The Blue Bonnet" is a moving picture in both senses of the word at the Edison. It is the story of a mortally ill mother in a wretched tenement, a drunken, debased father, two beautiful little children, a child-benefit farmer and his wife who adopt the little ones through the instrumentality of the bonneted Salvation Army lass.

The Meeting at Ninth Avenue. There was another large attendance at the Ninth Avenue Baptist church last night and much interest manifested. The subject of the sermon to-night by Rev. J. M. Haymore will be "The Value of a Soul." There will be preaching again to-day at 2:30 in the afternoon as well as at night.

Use ordinary soap for ordinary purposes; Ivory Soap for better-than-ordinary purposes.

That is the rule in most households; and it is a good rule.

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Ivory Soap 99 1/100 Per Cent. Pure.

MRS. CUNYUS WILL SING.

Niece of the Rev. Sam Jones Will Be at the Mass Meeting of Ladies at Tryon Street Church This Afternoon at 5 O'clock.

At the mass meeting, mentioned elsewhere, to be held in Tryon Street Methodist church this afternoon at 5 o'clock, Mrs. A. B. Cunyus, of Carterville, Ga., who is a niece of the late Rev. Sam Jones, and a woman of large reputation as a gospel singer, will be present and sing some choice selections.

Mrs. Cunyus will also speak as to some methods adopted in Carterville, in the fierce campaign there for prohibition. The managers of this meeting are fortunate in securing Mrs. Cunyus, and strongly urge a large attendance, especially of young people.

FOR BEATING BOARD BILL.

A white man, Wood Gully, was arrested last night on the charge of beating his board bill. Sanitary Boardman J. P. Owens had the warrant sworn out against him, claiming that the man was indebted to him to the extent of \$15.50. This has been a right regular offence in city court circles.

FIRST ANNUAL MEETING.

Missionary Union of King's Mountain Presbytery Held Session at Lincolnton.

Special to the Observer. Lincolnton, May 14.—The first annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union of the King's Mountain Presbytery convened here Tuesday and closed to-day. The delegates from the different churches in the Presbytery were received Tuesday and the first service was held at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and from 8 to 9 o'clock the delegates were entertained by the Ladies' Aid Society at the residence of Mrs. J. S. Wisco. Tuesday night the meeting was addressed by Rev. W. R. Minter, pastor of the church here. The principal features of the Wednesday session were addresses by Dr. S. L. Morris of Atlanta, and Mrs. Louise R. Price, of Nagaya, Japan. At night the meeting was addressed by Rev. Dr. D. Clay Lilly, of Nashville. All through the meeting interesting talks were made and papers read on appropriate subjects by different ladies members of the union. Thursday morning reports were submitted and the meeting adjourned, having been a great success in every way.

Placed With "Isabella."

Gastonia News. The play, "Isabella," which was presented at the opera house Friday night by an amateur Charlotte company was good. The players showed excellent talent and training. The attendance was not large, however, on account of so many other things being in town to attend.

If There Only Were.

Washington Post. Colonel Watterson's appeal: "To your tents, O Israel!" might make a greater hit with the Kentucky Israelites if there was a better show of finding something worth while under the canopy.

Something in This.

Newbern Sun. When voting to make our neighbors dry we should at least be consistent enough to remain dry ourselves.

Mr. H. C. Huntley, of Greensboro, was among those who were registered at the Selwyn yesterday.

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Extra nice Patent Vamp and Dull Quarter, opera toe, no tip. Very trim, neat, heavy sole; size 12 to 7, B. to E. Price \$2.00.

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Golden Brown Ribbon Tie, very light and fine. Prettiest brown effect made, size 1 to 5, A. to D. Price \$2.50.

All the newest styles in Ties. The tremendous sale on Ties often takes up a style in a few days. As some are good to-day and short to-morrow.

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A big lot the latest Suit Embroidered Colored Collars, regular 25c. sellers; at.....12 1-2c. each. These are in all sizes and the new, popular colors.

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