

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

The Friday Afternoon Club will meet this morning at 10:30 o'clock with Mrs. S. B. Tanner.

The event of the evening will be the dance party which Mrs. H. B. Fowler gives, complimentary to Miss Johnnie Dickson.

An interesting social event this afternoon will be the bridge party which Miss Julia Robertson will give in honor of Miss Johnnie Dickson.

Mrs. Frank Smith and little daughter are spending the summer in Kutherford.

Miss Nancy Anderson has returned from Salisbury, where she went a few days ago on a visit.

Miss Margaret King, who spent the winter with her uncle, Mr. Arthur King, at Middleburg, Pa., left yesterday for Baltimore.

Mrs. John Carson and daughter leave to-day for Montreal to spend some time.

A reception was tendered the officers and teachers of the Second Presbyterian church last night at 8 o'clock in the Sunday school room of the church.

Miss Martha Moore will leave soon for Juno, where she will spend awhile as the guest of friends.

Miss Ruth Blankenship will leave soon to visit Miss Elizabeth Townes at her home in Greenville, S. C.

Misses Annie Belle Finger, Adele Henderson, Ruth Link, Annie Reid Andrews and Rose Wilkinson will leave Monday to attend a house party by Miss Marguerite Houston at her home in Monroe.

Miss Emma Jones, of this city, left yesterday morning for Asheville to spend several weeks at the Kenilworth Inn.

Mrs. C. M. Carson and family left yesterday for Linville for a brief stay. They will be gone about a week.

Mr. R. O. Alexander and family, accompanied by Miss Mary Durham leave this week for Mr. Alexander's summer home at Montreal, near Black Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hastings passed through the city yesterday morning en route to New York and points North where they will spend their honeymoon, having been married Wednesday afternoon at Due West, S. C.

Mrs. H. K. Boyer left yesterday morning for Scottsville, Va., where she goes to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. W. E. Burgess.

Mr. Stuart W. Cramer was host at an elegant luncheon served yesterday at the Southern Manufacturers' Club in honor of Mr. B. H. Duke and party from Durham who were here to look over the properties of the Southern Power Company in which Mr. Duke is largely interested.

Miss Louise Hunter returned yesterday from Due West, S. C., where she has been attending the Due West Female College during the past year.

Miss Pauline Orr has returned from Due West where she has been attending college. She was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Louise Orr, who attended the commencement exercises.

The second of the series of private Friday night dances will be held to-night at the new electric park in North Charlotte.

Mrs. W. B. Ryder and little daughter, Virginia, have left the Central Hotel and are at the home of Dr. T. F. Costner, on South Tryon street.

The Pro Re Nata Club will meet this morning at 10:30 o'clock with Miss Oates on South Tryon street.

A Car Load of Girls. The latest aggregation of freight which has passed down this way in many a day was that of a special sleeping car attached to the train from Winston-Salem yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock.

Get Blue Ribbon Lemon Extract. It is irresistible, will never get rancid and has all the natural flavor of the lemon.

PERSONAL

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

Mr. J. S. Wingo, of Spartanburg, S. C., a salesman for the Weddington Hardware Company, is spending a few days in the city.

Mr. Julian S. Miller returned yesterday from Due West, S. C., where he has attended the commencement of Erskine College.

Mr. T. A. Walker, of Greensboro, was registered at the Selwyn yesterday.

Mr. J. N. Hoffman spent yesterday at his home in Iron Station.

Mr. R. L. Kendrick, formerly of Charlotte, now of Rock Hill, S. C., has been spending a few days in the city en route to Rock Hill from Elizabeth City in the city.

Mr. J. A. McLaughlin and I. G. Wallace have returned from Due West, S. C., where they attended the closing of Erskine College.

Mr. George W. Brunson, editor of The Greenville News, passed through the city yesterday morning en route to New York, where he will take a voyage in a few days to Europe for a stay of several weeks.

Mr. W. H. McClelland, of Pineville, was in the city yesterday en route from Due West, S. C., where he spent several days.

Mr. W. A. Burney, Jr., of Savannah, Ga., is at the Selwyn Hotel.

Mr. R. G. Falls, of Greenville, S. C., was in town on business stopping at the Selwyn yesterday.

Mr. J. A. McAulay, of Rockingham, spent the night at the Selwyn Hotel.

Mr. John H. Devereaux, of Chester, S. C., spent yesterday in the city, stopping at the Selwyn.

Mr. John T. Roddy, of Rock Hill, S. C., was in the city yesterday.

Mr. C. B. Brady and Mr. C. L. Edmundson, of Mooresville, were in town yesterday and guests of the Buford.

Mr. W. W. Wilkins, of Sanford, was among those registered at the Buford yesterday.

Mr. H. J. H. McMurray, Jr., of Fort Mill, S. C., was a guest of the Buford yesterday.

Mr. E. H. Moser, of High Point, was among those yesterday registered at the Buford.

Mr. C. M. Griffith, of Thomasville, was yesterday at the Buford.

Mr. A. L. Gaston, of Chester, S. C., spent yesterday in Charlotte, stopping at the Buford.

Mr. R. E. Sims, of Chester, S. C., was a registered guest yesterday.

Mr. Yates Falson returned yesterday from Harvard, where he is studying medicine.

Mr. Edmund Burwell is expected home today from Harvard University, where he is a medical student.

HOME VERY NEARLY BURNED. A Match Thrown Carelessly Into Fireplace Results in a Blaze That is Very Dangerous—Sad Specimen of Womanhood on Concord Street—Pastor Long Resigns His Charge.

Concord, June 4.—About 2 o'clock yesterday morning Mr. Daniel P. Boger, of No. 2 township, arose and struck a match to look at the clock, thinking it about time to ring the old farm bell and awaken the hands, and threw the match in to the fireplace, which was filled with dry grass and other foliage. The stuff ignited and in an instant there were flames running over the lambrequin and other articles inflammable about the room. The fire was extinguished after burning the window curtains, carpet and other articles. Mr. Boger sustained serious burns on his hands, while his son, Mr. C. E. Boger, of this city, who spent the night with his parents, was severely burned on his right foot, having gone into the room in his bare feet.

A serious fire narrowly averted Tuesday night a woman paraded the streets of the city, calling at several homes after midnight and asking to be taken in, and as many times turned away. She was seen by several parties who were alarmed by her screams and cursing at dogs that had become frightened at her appearance. The appearance of the woman seemed a mystery until this morning at 4 o'clock Officer Robert Benfield caught the woman on the principal street of the city in a very dilapidated, drunken condition. She was held for trial this morning and gave her name as "Maude Williams," of Lynchburg, Va. She was given a sentence of fifteen days in jail. She is a sad looking specimen of God's lowliest creation, homeless and alone, without friends and money.

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BRIEFS. A Few Minor Happenings in and About the City.

The meeting of the Merchants' Association is open to the public and attendance is invited.

The ladies of Calvary Methodist church served ice cream and cake last night at No. 615 South Church street.

Mr. Allen Tudler will preach next Sunday morning at the Friendship Baptist church near Lodo at 11:30 o'clock.

The Barnes homicide case will probably not be heard at this term of court, as there are a number of jail cases yet to be heard.

There will be a special sermon Saturday afternoon at the tent in North Charlotte, where a protracted meeting is to be conducted.

Rev. C. N. Caldwell speaks this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at Tenth avenue Presbyterian church. All the ladies of the city are cordially invited to be present.

The church entertainment which was planned to be given at the First Presbyterian church last night was postponed until next week on account of the weather.

The Kitchen clans gathered last night at McGee's store in Chadwick and appealed to the sovereign voter in behalf of their man, Messrs. J. D. McCall and Frank R. McNinch spoke to-night at the overhead bridge on North Graham street, Messrs. E. L. Keesler, A. B. Justice, F. R. McNinch and J. D. McCall will speak.

SAYS DO THE RIGHT THING. Relative to the Sale of Thirst Quenching Drinks on Sunday Outside the City Limits a Gentleman Submits Some Remarks.

"I am in favor of prohibiting not only the sale, but the drinking, on Sunday or on any other day, of lemonade, coca-cola, coffee or tea," said a conservative man yesterday. "This is relative to the statement that a citizen is to be prosecuted for selling ice cream and soft drinks on a day not mentioned in the Ten Commandments but observed at present as Sunday at a place outside the limits of a city. If it has come to the pass, where the workings of any other person on his day of recreation cannot indulge himself in the slightest pleasure without the law butting in, then let's carry it to its legitimate conclusion. I am aware that there will be a halcyon howl from some brethren and sisters when the drinking of the false and harmful stimulants of coffee and tea is forbidden by law, but at least, they will get a dose of their own medicine."

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Long Lisle Gloves at Less Than Half Price, 33c. Pair 50 dozen Ladies' Long two-clasp fine Lisle Gloves, in White, Browns and Black; worth more than double Saturday's special price. . . . . 33c. pair.

Taffeta Silk Reduced 85c. quality yard wide Black Taffeta. . . . . 69c. yd. \$1.18 quality yard wide Black Taffeta. . . . . 89c. yd. \$1.00 quality yard wide Black Taffeta. . . . . 85c. yd.

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