

Social and Personal

Miss Kathleen Boyce, of Gastonia, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Miss Ruth Hayes, of Shopton, entered the Presbyterian College yesterday.

Miss Clara Wiseman, of Troy, S. C., spent yesterday in the city, coming over with friends from Gastonia.

Miss Helen Patrick, of White Oak, S. C., was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Miss Ruth Boyce, accompanied by her father, Mr. S. N. Boyce, of Gastonia, was in the city yesterday. She entered the Presbyterian College.

The members of Pritchard Memorial Baptist Sunday school were the participants yesterday in a delightful picnic at the Estlin Park.

Mrs. George K. Bell and little Miss Marie Overby, of Atlanta, Ga., spent yesterday in the city en route home, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Thomas on Ninth street.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Craven are visiting relatives in Trinity, having recently returned from Fayette, Mo., where Mr. Craven filled the pulpit of the First Methodist Episcopal church during the vacation months.

Miss Lily Wueger, who has been with her sister, Mrs. George A. Stenover, will leave Sunday for her home in New York.

Miss Bessie Chalmers, 10 years old, celebrated her birthday yesterday and had about 25 of her little friends with her.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Blair and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown, who spent two weeks in the North, have returned to the city.

Miss Annie Ross Cunningham, of Anderson, S. C., and Miss Carrie Jerome Johnson, of Rock Hill, S. C., are visiting Mrs. L. C. Harrison.

Miss Virginia Crossland, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. Paul C. Whitlock, will spend the night for her home at Rockingham.

Miss Grace Rudisell, of King's Mountain, spent yesterday in the city, stopping at the Selwyn.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McGee, of Central, S. C., were Selwyn guests yesterday.

Mrs. C. M. Sanders and Miss Julia Sanders, of Penfield, Ga., were in Charlotte yesterday, guests of the Selwyn Hotel.

Miss Katie Curtis, of Lincolnton, was at the Selwyn yesterday, while a visitor in the city.

Miss Rhodena Taylor, of Waxhaw, was in the city yesterday, a guest of the Buford Hotel.

Mrs. M. M. Withers, Mr. James J. Withers and Mr. G. L. Withers, of Davidson, were guests of the Buford yesterday.

Mrs. N. H. Johnson leaves Tuesday for Bristol, Tenn., to visit her sister, Mrs. Frank M. Davis. She will be gone several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Miller who, since their return from Baltimore, have been living at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Witholt, are moving this week into one of the Vance apartments.

Major and Mrs. W. A. Graham, of Lincoln county, visited at the home of Dr. George W. Graham yesterday, arriving Wednesday night. Major Graham went to Huntersville to attend the picnic.

Mrs. J. H. Catter, who is spending several weeks at Atlantic City, is expected home early next week.

Mrs. W. J. Townsend, of Augusta, Ga., who has been the guest of her son, Mr. Lewis Burwell, left last night for her home. Mr. Townsend preceded her a week ago.

Mrs. E. L. Mason entertained last evening on Elizabeth Heights in honor of Miss Olive Capps, of Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. W. E. Moffatt entertains at bridge to-day in honor of Mrs. N. H. Johnson.

Miss Fannie Sater, of Halifax, left yesterday for Blowing Rock. While in the city she was the guest of Mrs. J. H. Weddington, on West Trade street.

Mrs. J. R. Van Ness and Mrs. W. S. Liddell entertained at bridge at the home of the former yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. H. A. London, Jr. The first prize was won by Mrs. B. Rush Lee and the consolation by Mrs. John M. Scott.

To-night marks the beginning of a series of dances to be had at Dilworth Hall during the coming winter season, and a large crowd of dancers and onlookers will no doubt be out to the first of the series.

The floor has been treated to sandpaper and the excellent maple surface is smooth and shiny like a mirror; meal and wax will be used alternately to give the polish essential to an ideal floor.

It is the intention of the management to make the hours of dancing from 9 to 12, thus enabling those who attend to have full advantage of the car service, as well as to induce the young business men of the city to go out and spend an evening without fear of too much loss of sleep, which would interfere with business the following day.

An afternoon dancing class is contemplated for the little girls in the city twice a week as well as a night class for the general public.

The Dilworth drug store will remain open for those desiring refreshments, on nights of dances. Two

THE FLAVOR LINGERS

Use Blue Ribbon Vanilla for your desserts and get a taste of the flavor that lingers long.

prizes will be given away to-night one to a lady and gentlemen, respectively, drawing the lucky numbers, and the Richardson Orchestra will furnish an excellent programme of popular music.

A fee of 25 cents will be charged spectators and 50 cents for those desiring to dance.

A delightful event was the birthday party given yesterday afternoon by little Miss Catherine Shelton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Shelton, on the occasion of her sixth birthday anniversary. Games were played and the afternoon pleasantly spent and delightful refreshments were served.

Those present were: Misses Margaret Anderson, Adelaide Caldwell, Margaret Mellon and Mildred Finlayson; Masters Clark Smith, Albert Glover, John Mellon, Robert Dixon and James Hooper.

Mrs. Will Will left last night for Washington to meet her husband.

Mr. Thomas Reese and family, who have been rooming at the home of Mr. John Van Landingham, have rented the upper portion of the residence of Mr. E. W. Pfifer and will move in soon.

Mrs. H. S. Bryan has gone to Flat Rock to the bedside of her kinsman, Mr. R. M. Oates, who is reported quite ill there.

Miss May Oates has returned from Boston, Mass., where she spent awhile.

Master Parks Hutchison Dalton, accompanied by his father, Mr. Charles F. Dalton and grandmother, Mrs. D. Parks Hutchison, went to Winston-Salem on a visit to Mr. Dalton's relatives.

Thirty-five members of the Philia-thea and Baraca classes of Ninth Avenue Baptist church, including a few invited guests, went on a straw ride to Boyd's farm beyond Highland Park last night.

Mrs. B. F. Duncan, at her home, No. 702 East Ninth street, was hostess to the Ladies' Aid Society of Ninth Avenue Baptist church. The event was a fruit party.

PERSONAL

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

Dr. B. R. Hunter, of King's Mountain, was in the city yesterday.

Rev. G. G. Parkinson passed through the city yesterday en route to his home in Du. West, S. C., after a stay at Statesville.

Messrs. Miller Strong, George Howell, Guion Griffith, Francis Patterson, Norman Vann, and Baxter Sarritt have gone to the Warrenton High School where they will be students this winter.

Mr. Neal A. Currie, of Clarkton, was at the Buford yesterday, on his way home from the mountains.

Dr. R. L. Gibbon and son, James, have returned from an extended trip through New England and other sections in the North.

Mr. Waller Halliday, of Durham, spent yesterday in the city. He was one of those in charge of the class of orphans from the Oxford Orphanage.

Mr. D. H. Burtner, of Greensboro, was registered at the Buford yesterday.

Mr. R. T. Brown, of Greensboro, was a Charlotte visitor and a Buford guest yesterday.

Mr. J. R. Price, of Albemarle, stopped at the Buford yesterday.

Mr. L. B. Beale, assistant superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Company, left yesterday morning for Columbia, S. C., after spending a day in the city.

Mr. B. A. Jackson, of Jackson, was among those yesterday at the Buford.

Mr. Arthur S. Tompkins, of Edgefield, S. C., spent yesterday in the city.

Messrs. J. F. Weaver and C. S. Wheaton, of Columbia, S. C., were guests of the Buford yesterday.

Mr. A. W. Alexander, of Concord, was among those registered yesterday at the Buford.

Mr. John Patterson, of Raleigh, was at the Buford last night.

Mr. D. E. Brown, of Davidson, spent awhile in Charlotte yesterday, stopping at the Buford.

Mr. R. P. Roberts, of Cherokee Falls, S. C., was registered last night at the Buford.

Mr. H. Pennypacker, agent for "Brewster's Millions," which shows here in a few days, was at the Buford yesterday.

Mr. D. S. Leak, of High Point, spent yesterday in the city, a Buford guest.

Mr. William A. Graham, Jr., was in the city yesterday, stopping at the Central.

Mr. L. C. Haynes, of Leesville, S. C., stopped yesterday at the Central.

Mr. H. K. Osborne, of Spartanburg, S. C., was among those registered at the Central yesterday.

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There is no "free" alkali in Ivory Soap; no harmful ingredient of any kind.

It is pure soap—nothing else. Ivory Soap 99 1/100 Per Cent. Pure.

BRIEFS

A Few Minor Happenings in and About the City.

—Mr. J. W. Shaw is ill at his home on South McDowell street.

—Dr. W. M. Strong, who has been ill with fever, is improving some.

—The board of public safety is scheduled to meet to-night at city hall.

—The monthly meeting of the Negro Business League will be held to-night at the colored library on South Brevard street.

—Mr. W. E. Black left yesterday for Batesburg, S. C., to take charge of the high school department of the city schools as principal.

—The ginners are preparing to open for business next week by which time, it is thought, there will be a good deal of cotton to be ginned.

—Mr. John Neal is very ill and his life has been despaired of. Mr. R. B. Neal, a relative from Mississippi, has been with him for several days.

—The Theatre will put on to-day a beautiful, hand-painted film, "Samson and Delilah," which the management claims is one of the best that has come this way.

—Mr. S. W. Rabb will sever his connection with the Selwyn Hotel and will leave Monday for Due West, S. C., where he will serve as principal of the graded school at that place.

—Work has begun on a new residence which Mr. J. O. Sprinkle is building on the corner of East Fourth street extension and Fox street. Brick is being laid for the foundations.

The Orphans' Concert.

The class of the Oxford Orphanage delighted a good crowd at the Academy of Music last night. The entertainment was particularly attractive and none regretted that they attended the performance.

The sixteen children who represent the institution at these concerts display distinct ability and their singing is of a rare kind for performers so young. While the nature of the cause is appealing to the public, it is nevertheless, a fact that the concerts draw crowds on genuine merit.

Novel Way of Collecting Money.

Something like four million negroes enjoyed a trolley ride through the city last night. The parade kept up for several hours. In order to raise money for a church fund six cars were chartered and each passenger charged 25 cents for a ride.

The welkin rang with the yells of the darkies. One young gallant, who swung gaily from a running board, had a head-on collision with another car, breaking in the vestibule, but bearing that, no accidents were reported.

Alkali Soap (Oxford Blue) Cuts out dirt and grease from the skin and leaves it soft and clean. 2-1/2 lb. Bars, 25c. Registered Nurses' Directory (Graduate Nurses Only). Burwell-Dunn Retail Store. Phones 41 and 300.

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Saturday is our finishing up day of all Ladies' Hats, trimmed and untrimmed.

Every Hat and Shape put on sale at 25c. each, no matter their value.

10c. Gingham, 7 1-2c. A good Gingham Bargain, suitable for school dresses; good style 10c. Gingham, fast colors... 7 1-2c. yard

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Our buyer sent a big lot of medium length in the very best styles. We want to accent this about the styles. They are the finest we have ever had. Price... 10c. a yard Don't miss this.

Ribbon Sale Saturday Look for our announcement tomorrow for Extra Special Sale fine Ribbons at... 10 and 12c. yard

IVEY'S

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Ask to See the Petticoat at \$1.48 Big line Silk Petticoats at new prices. Ask to see them. In Coat Suit Department.

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