

Social and Personal

Mrs. J. W. Conway entertained at bridge at her home on North Tryon street yesterday afternoon. Mrs. E. W. Philzer won the first prize, a handsome brass tray. Mrs. W. A. Switzer, the prize for the lowest score, a tray containing set and Mrs. Ruth Lee, the consolation. Those invited were: Mesdames S. W. Crisner, E. W. Philzer, W. S. Liddell, A. J. Draper, W. H. Thompson, Hon. Smith, W. B. Ryder, Bush Lee, H. B. Fowler, R. S. Durbin, Simmons Jones, Robert M. Miller, Jr., H. M. Victor, R. E. Cochrane, B. C. Nalle, C. F. Wadsworth, W. A. Reynolds, H. L. Adams, Harvey Lambeth, Max G. Hunter, Adelaide Clarkson Brown, J. H. Vanden, J. E. Vanden, C. H. Rusty Longmeyer, W. L. Willhite, Carey Butt, W. E. Moffatt, Minnie Wriston Smith, H. B. Wilcox, Jeremiah Goff, E. J. Parrish, Norman H. Johnson, Margaret Kelly, Abernethy, L. E. New, E. J. H. H. Bryson, W. W. Wait, L. E. Spiford, E. D. Springs, B. C. Moore, Robert Mayer, S. E. Alexander, Jr., L. A. Carr, of Durham; J. M. Harry, of Hirschinger, Cameron Morrison, L. V. Moffatt, and Misses Norma VanLandingham, Ella McAden, Matt Dowd, Lucy Oates, Eva Liddell, Edna Hirschinger and Sarah Kelly.

Mrs. Charise Edmond Platt will be at home Friday afternoon between the hours of 5:30 and 7 o'clock to a number of her friends. She will also entertain at bridge. Mrs. A. W. Walker has arrived in the city from New York to spend the winter at the home of Mrs. Rufus Harringer on North Tryon street. Mrs. E. D. Latta and daughter, Miss Acton Latta, have returned from New York, where they spent several weeks. Miss Madeline White, of Graham, is visiting at the home of Mrs. D. P. Hutchison, on North Tryon street. Mrs. R. H. Jordan will leave this morning for Spencer, Va. to spend a few days. She will return to the city next week. Miss Elizabeth King Hearne, the fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hearne, of Albemarle, is to be wedded to Mr. Charles H. Triplett, of Pine Bluff, Ark., Tuesday, November 3rd. Miss Hearne is a sister of Mrs. O. C. Towns and formerly a resident of this city, and is quite well known here where she has frequently visited. After their wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Triplett will take a trip to Florida and after December 15th will be at home in Pine Bluff. Mrs. S. O. Brooks, who has been quite ill in New York, is rapidly improving. Rev. Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Kinard entertained at their home, the First Presbyterian church annex, last evening complimentary to the young ladies of the Presbyterian and Elizabeth Colleges. Mrs. C. H. Dula and children returned last night from Hendersonville, where they spent the greater part of the summer. Miss Ellen Norfleet, of Winston-Salem, who has been visiting Mrs. Jeremiah Goff at the Selwyn for the past several days, left last night for Macon, Ga., to attend the wedding of her brother. Mr. and Mrs. Claude W. Brown and little daughter, of Hendersonville, are spending several days in the city, stopping at the Selwyn. Mr. H. W. Burwell, of New Orleans, La., was a visitor in the city yesterday, stopping at the Selwyn. Miss Ada Sitwell returned to Mount Pleasant yesterday morning after spending several days in the city at the home of Miss and Mrs. S. H. Hilton. Miss Sitwell was here for the Music Festival. Mrs. W. H. Wylie, Miss Iva Hull and Messrs. S. H. McDaniel and W. H. Wylie, Jr., of Rock Hill, S. C., were among the guests registered at the Buford yesterday. Mrs. Joe Person, who has been traveling in the West and along the Pacific coast for the past several months, returned to the city last night. Mrs. J. B. Beard, who accompanied Mrs. Person, returned several days ago, Mrs. Person stopping off in Hickory to visit for a few days. Mrs. Person since leaving Charlotte in June has traveled 19,000 miles. She is in fine health and spirits and says that she enjoyed her long trip extremely. George Elliot will be studied by the Beattie Dewey Club this fall and winter. The meeting yesterday morning with Mrs. W. C. Doyd was one of the most interesting for the members of the club, as they are anticipating their year's work to be one of marked pleasure. Mrs. L. E. Hines, of Cordele, Ga., is visiting at the home of Mrs. G. W. and Mrs. John Newell at Newell.

The literature department of the Woman's Club will meet this afternoon at 3:15 o'clock in the Carnegie library. Miss Lottie Norman delightfully entertained at her home on Mint street last night in honor of her cousin, Miss Lottie Alben, of Mecklenburg, who is her guest. The home was beautifully decorated, the parlor being in red and the dining room in pink and green. The guests were Misses Ruby Page, Eva Andrews, Rosa Butt, Pearl and Jessie Link, Willie Smith, Grace Alben, and Blanche Armstrong, of Mecklenburg; Ethel Todd, Johnnie Babbington, Fannie Russell, Bertha Edwards, Alice Gordon, Mary Kild, Mr. and Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Ben Cray and Mrs. Charles Porter and Messrs. Charles Rankin, of Winston-Salem; Dr. G. W. Taylor, of Mecklenburg; Marvin Swain, of Salisbury; Harry Davis, Clyde Montgomery, Harry Hunter, Sidney Ford, Fred Farr, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Womack, Cecil Butt, Ray Alben, Luther Hampton and Clifton Lovel.

Mr. Piayer is head of the Standard Oil forces of the city and recently moved here from Columbia, S. C. Miss Nettie Allen will arrive in the city to-night from Kittland to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Person on North Church street. Mrs. James Kay, Jr., charmingly entertained at her home on West Eleventh street yesterday afternoon from 4 to 8 o'clock in honor of her sister, Mrs. William Baker, of Minneapolis, Minn., who is her guest. A guessing game of celebrities was the feature of the afternoon, the prizes falling to Miss Lord, of Wilmington, the guest of Mrs. J. S. Watters. Those present were: Mesdames W. R. Rozman, C. W. Tillet, J. S. Watters and guest, Miss Lord, of Wilmington; B. D. Rozman, F. T. Branson, J. S. Watters, Constable Alfred Brown, R. C. Carson, T. C. Gilmer, C. W. Parker, Ernest Field, Harris Malinckrodt, W. E. Hamilton, T. M. Person, Wade H. Harris, D. H. Wadkins, T. H. Hamilton, Lita Johnston, L. C. Mannit, Will Erwin and Will Harris, of Albemarle; Messrs. Julia Robertson, Ella Dowd, Emma Hall, Julia and Violet Alexander, Anna Robertson and Miss McKee, of Laurinburg. Mr. and Mrs. W. Hugh Wray, of Shelby, were registered among the guests at the Selwyn yesterday. Miss Maria Hutchings, of Bessemer City, is visiting friends in the city. Miss Mildred Linberger, of Gastonia, is the guest of Miss Mabel Trotter on Elizabeth Heights. The event of the evening will be the U. C. T. German at Dilworth Hall tonight. The Richardson Orchestra will furnish the music and those dancing will be members of the local U. C. T. council and their friends. The High Point and Charlotte University School football teams will meet at the Latta Park grounds this afternoon at 4 o'clock. A great game is expected. Secretary C. M. Crosswell has moved his office out to the fair grounds and will make his headquarters there until after the big celebration next week. Quite a party will leave on the 5:32 train for Salisbury and Greensboro this morning to hear Hon. W. H. Taft speak. The round trip fare is \$1.45. At least 100 Charlotte people are expected to attend. At the First Baptist Sunday school to-morrow afternoon there will be a special musical programme. Mr. Don Richardson and his orchestra will render several selections and Mr. Harvey Overcash and Miss Grace Eddins will sing. The Academy of Music has been leased for election night, November 4, and all of the returns will be announced there. The admission charges will be reasonable. The results will be thrown on a curtain by a stereopticon. Four out of five blue ribbons in the record achieved by Mr. B. S. Davis with his barbed Plymouth rocks at the Greensboro fair. This, when it is considered that there were seven car loads of fowls in the lists, is a splendid showing. Mr. W. W. Williams, of Wake Forest, has arrived in the city to fill some of the position of business manager of The Merchants' Journal, of which Mr. Norman H. Johnson is editor-in-chief. Mr. Williams is a successful business man of experience and ability. Mr. J. D. Albright will leave in a few days for South Boston, Va., to become manager of the Eagle Distilling Company, a big whiskey manufacturing house of this city, in which he is largely interested. Mr. Albright was formerly of the internal revenue service of the government and has many friends in the city.

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A Few Minor Happenings in and About the City. There were 164 bales of cotton sold on the local platform yesterday at 9 cents, as against 193 bales on the corresponding date last year at 11 1-2 cents. The High Point and Charlotte University School football teams will meet at the Latta Park grounds this afternoon at 4 o'clock. A great game is expected. Secretary C. M. Crosswell has moved his office out to the fair grounds and will make his headquarters there until after the big celebration next week. Quite a party will leave on the 5:32 train for Salisbury and Greensboro this morning to hear Hon. W. H. Taft speak. The round trip fare is \$1.45. At least 100 Charlotte people are expected to attend. At the First Baptist Sunday school to-morrow afternoon there will be a special musical programme. Mr. Don Richardson and his orchestra will render several selections and Mr. Harvey Overcash and Miss Grace Eddins will sing. The Academy of Music has been leased for election night, November 4, and all of the returns will be announced there. The admission charges will be reasonable. The results will be thrown on a curtain by a stereopticon. Four out of five blue ribbons in the record achieved by Mr. B. S. Davis with his barbed Plymouth rocks at the Greensboro fair. This, when it is considered that there were seven car loads of fowls in the lists, is a splendid showing. Mr. W. W. Williams, of Wake Forest, has arrived in the city to fill some of the position of business manager of The Merchants' Journal, of which Mr. Norman H. Johnson is editor-in-chief. Mr. Williams is a successful business man of experience and ability. Mr. J. D. Albright will leave in a few days for South Boston, Va., to become manager of the Eagle Distilling Company, a big whiskey manufacturing house of this city, in which he is largely interested. Mr. Albright was formerly of the internal revenue service of the government and has many friends in the city.

MIS PICKARD WINS. Voted the Most Popular Stenographer in the City—Miss Eva Eddins a Close Second—Business Fair closes. The first annual office appliance and business man's fair, which has been in progress four days this week at the Stone & Barringer Co's store, on South Tryon street, closed last night. Mr. C. S. Stone, who has had the fair in hand, stated last evening that it was a success from start to finish; many visitors from the country and adjacent towns coming in for it. The fair will be given again next year on a larger scale. As a result of the voting, Miss Muri Pickard, of the Charlotte National Bank, last night received the 419 pictures by Hernandez awarded the most popular stenographer. Miss Eva Eddins, of the Thomas E. Whitte and, and Miss Annie Jackson, of the law firm of McNinch & Kirkpatrick, was third. The voting was spirited throughout. The boys' letter writing contest resulted as follows: First prize, hand-made instruction golden oak Globe-Wernicke elastic bookcase, won by Mr. Herschel V. Johnson; second prize, Waterman's ideal fountain pen, won by John H. Northey, and third, Lays' egg monogram watch, by Mr. Will K. Carr.

MR. MAULEY TO TAMPA. Board of Home Missions of A. R. F. Church Holds Quarterly Session Here. The Board of Home Missions of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church held a quarterly session in the pastor's study of the First church of this city yesterday, at which were present, Rev. Dr. J. C. Galloway, of Gastonia, chairman; G. H. White, treasurer; R. G. Miller, corresponding secretary; Oliver Johnson, of Winthorpe, S. C., secretary, and J. S. Moffatt, of Dux West, S. C., clerk. It was decided to ask Rev. W. A. McAuley, who is now laboring in West Virginia, to take charge of the mission at Tampa, Fla. Mr. McAuley is a young man of energy and devotion and will make a valuable man in any mission field. The board agreed to contribute \$2,500 toward the erection of a church at Glass, where there are good prospects for a congregation of some strength. Arrangements were made for the conference on home missions at the approaching meeting of the Synod at Newberry, S. C. Rev. B. E. Hough will make an address and then will follow an open parliament of thirty minutes on the subject of supplements.

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