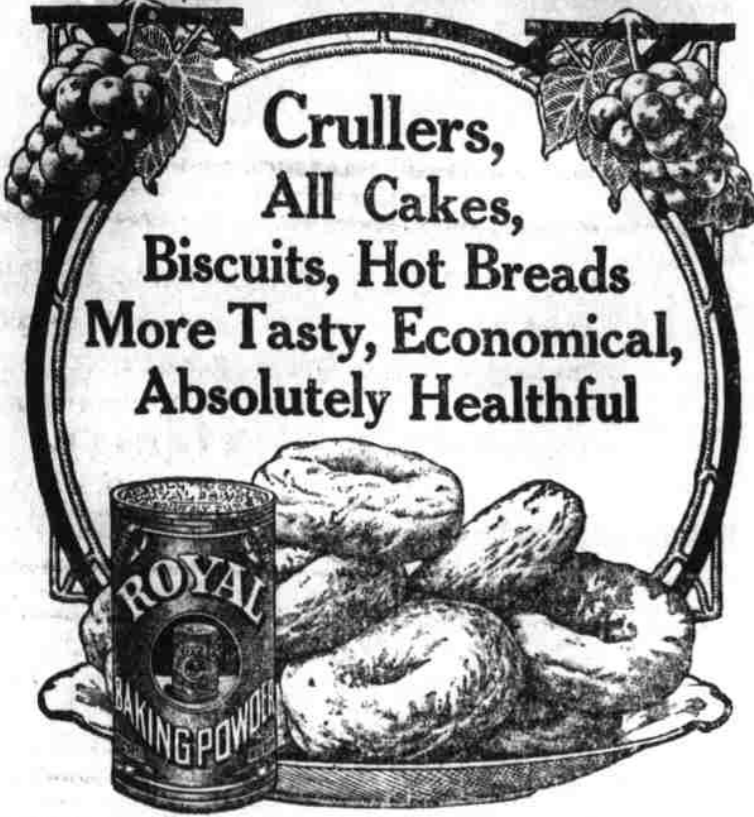


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SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

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Gatlin-Cobb.

The following clipping from the Charlotte News is of state-wide interest:

The many friends throughout the state, of Prof. Collier Cobb, of the faculty of the University of North Carolina, will learn with interest of his marriage Thursday night to Miss Mary Knox Gatlin, of Little Rock, Ark.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Gen. Richard Caswell Gatlin. Miss Gatlin is of the best North Georgia ancestry. Gen. Gatlin being a native of this state. He was an officer in the United States army prior to the civil war, but, like many of his comrades, gave up his commission to enter the service of the Confederacy. He was a student at the University of North Carolina before entering West Point, and was an adjutant general of North Carolina during the civil war.

Prof. Cobb, the head of the department of geology in the University, is recognized throughout the state and elsewhere as an eminent authority on the subject. Miss Gatlin is a favorite in Little Rock, being an active worker in church and patriotic societies as well as a social leader. Her coming to North Carolina will be a great addition to the social life of Chapel Hill. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Henry N. Hyde, pastor of Christ church. The marriage took place in the church.

Prof. Cobb lectured last summer to the students of the Schenck Forestry school in Blountmore on the allied sciences of Geology and Forestry, and is one of the state's eminent scholars.

Strollers' Farewell Dinner.

The Strollers will give a farewell dinner at the home of Mrs. Charles M. Platt this evening, in honor of Burnett Jordan who leaves Asheville within a few days. The affair will be informal; plans for the continuation of "The Strollers" under the business management of Mrs. Charles M. Platt with Miss Ida Hamilton as coach will be discussed. The dinner will be preceded and followed by musical numbers and dramatic recitations and, as the membership includes many of the talented young people of the city, the occasion will be a delightful one. The guests will include Mr. and Mrs. James H. Silke, Mr. and Mrs. Zebulon P. Curtis, Dr. and Mrs. Owen Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Carr, Mr. and Mrs. Gray Boynton, Mrs. C. M. Platt, Mrs. Mary C. Robinson, Miss Katharine Ware, Miss Carrie May Brown, Miss Agnes Littleford, Miss Ida Hamilton, Miss May Kimberly, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Briggs, Mrs. Elise Dufour, Mrs. T. E. Malloy, Miss Frances Dufour, Miss Cora Lee Drummond, Russel Deal, G. E. Stark, Almond Jones.

Witches, Spooks, Etc. Hold High Carnival. Witches, spooks and hobgoblins held high carnival on the streets and in the cars Saturday evening; it was evidently a dress rehearsal of the dwellers in fairyland for the "sure enough" revel of All Souls' eve, which will be further observed tonight. Little Red Riding Hood and Little Miss Muffet with baskets and bowls came in on the Merrimon avenue car with a crowd of clowns, ghosts, flower girls, gnomes, and peasants from across the sea. On the Montford side of town also the strange-looking, oddly dressed spirits capered and played their pranks. The masquerade parties at the Asheville school for girls and at Hillside convent were both very successful and with a large attendance.

Unique Halloween Party Planned. A unique Halloween party will be given this evening at the Normal and

Collegiate. The students and teachers will gather in the study hall in the darkness, and there Miss Huston will read Burns' immortal poem "Tam O'Shanter," which will be, in part, reproduced in pantomime as the reader proceeds. The dance of the witches in the cemetery that so terrified poor Tam will be acted out in the ghastly shadows and with the accompaniment of clanking chains and other weird and unearthly sounds. The guests will be led by spooks through the chamber of horrors that in daylight on other days of the calendar is the gymnasium. After a sufficient period of chills and creeps and a visit to the fortune teller's tent, the merry making of Halloween, bobbing for apples, toasting marshmallows, etc., will complete the happy evening.

"The Red and White." The Alumni number of "The Red and White," the college magazine of the Raleigh A. and M. has made its appearance. The magazine covers a wide field in its table of contents, with especially interesting articles on "The Importance of Our Agriculture," by L. P. McLendon, '10, and on "Technical Education in the South," by T. M. Clark, '08. The opening article, "Some Notes on Our College History," by E. R. Owen, '98, covers in brief the progress of the school since its origin twenty-one years ago to the present session, and speaks well for an institution that ranks among the best in the south.

Myers-Wilson. A quiet wedding occurred last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Williams on Flint street. The happy couple were Miss Myrtle Myers, of Waynesville and A. D. Wilson of Asheville. The couple were unattended, and the simple ceremony was performed by Rev. J. S. Williams. The bride wore her going away gown and hat to match of a navy blue color. Mr. Wilson is the manager of the Schaeffers Smoke shop on South Main street. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will reside on College street.

Removal Notice. Dr. J. W. Faucette has removed his dental office from 60 to 62 Patton avenue, over Piedmont Electric Store. 223-51.

The Lingerie Shop Opens. The opening of the Lingerie Shop today at 75 Patton avenue, J. D. Posner proprietor, was an informal one, because of the unfortunate delay of a great part of the exquisite stock, which was not sent through on account of the prevailing strike of the express companies in New York. But in spite of these difficulties an array of beautiful dinner gowns, house dresses, hand embroidered blouses and delicate neckwear was displayed, to the admiring visitors. The evening dresses and little lingerie frocks are especially artistic and beautifully fashioned; they are in all colors, and many of them combine the effects that modistes have studied in sunset skies, of cloud like textures one color laid softly over another, producing new and nameless shades of exquisite beauty. Pale blue over pink, white over black, with hand embroidery lavishly used made combinations that to see is to covet. The school frocks for young girls are in excellent taste and reasonably priced. When the stock is complete it will include lingerie, fans, bags, neckwear and all the attractive accessories of my lady's wardrobe.

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students in the College for Women, Columbia, S. C. The play has been produced twice in Asheville also in Spartanburg, S. C., and in Florida cities.

The Anna Aston Missionary society of Central Methodist church will hold its regular monthly meeting tomorrow afternoon at the church at 4 o'clock. All members of the society are urged to be present and visitors cordially welcomed.

Mrs. Edward P. Childs, Mrs. Rogers of the Farm school, Miss White and Miss Mrs. Nell, will entertain the tent-holders of the Normal and Collegiate tomorrow evening at Mrs. Childs' home on Victoria road.

Mrs. Ira R. Ennes will tomorrow take possession of the residence on Flint street occupied by Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Williams and will conduct it as a boarding house. Mr. and Mrs. Williams leave Thursday for St. Petersburg, Fla., where they will remain six months and then remove to the north.

Miss Mary Ward of Atlanta, who has been in Kinston to attend the wedding of Miss Fannie Moseley, a school friend, and in Brevard to visit Mrs. David G. Ward, is the guest of Mrs. William A. Ward on Haywood street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kent left yesterday for an eastern trip of several weeks. They will visit in Washington, New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Providence and Woonsocket, R. I., during their absence.

Mrs. O'Sullivan and her niece, Miss Murphy of New Orleans, who have spent the summer with Mrs. J. E. Dickerson, leave tomorrow for their home.

Mrs. E. R. Raunkin and son, Edgar, of Tryon arrived in the city today and will be the guests of Mrs. M. C. Wadsworth on Orange street for a few days.

Miss Eleanor Ruth Grove of Blountmore left yesterday for Waynesville, to spend several days with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Welch.

Mrs. Harvey Dixon of Norfolk, Va., who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Erwin Sluder, left yesterday for her home.

Miss Helen Buck of Charlotte, who has been the guest of Miss Opal Brown, has returned to her home.

Miss Lillie Satterthwait of Waynesville is the guest of Miss Louise Muller on Charlotte street.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldredge of New York have leased "Pine Logs" on Magnolia avenue, for the winter.

Mrs. R. S. McCall has returned from Marion, after a visit to Mrs. C. C. Lisenbee.

Miss Lillie Satterthwait of Waynesville is visiting her cousin, Miss Louisa Muller.

William Canada has gone to Nashville, Tenn., on a business trip.

FIRE BREAKS OUT IN VICTORIA INN

Considerable Damage by Water; Little Damage by Fire—Department Had Busy Morning.

The Asheville fire department was kept quite busy this morning from 9 o'clock until after 10 as a result of two alarms sent in within 20 minutes of each other. The first alarm went in at 9 o'clock. It was a call for the department to Mountain and Pine streets. The hook and ladder and hose wagons were soon on the scene but there was little need for the firemen's services and the wagons returned to the department. Just as they were backing into headquarters, however, another alarm was sent in and announcement was made that Victoria Inn, nearly two miles from headquarters, was on fire. The wagons were sent on a run to the scene but the city hose was not required, the water from the hose in the inn being sufficient to check the flames. It is said that but for the equipment at the inn in the matter of water pressure and fire hose considerable damage would have resulted. The fire originated on the third floor of the old portion of the inn and had gained considerable headway when discovered. The equipment at the inn, however, was brought into play and streams of water turned on the burning apartment. Much water was thrown into the burning section of the inn and while the fire damage is not so great the damage by water will amount to a considerable sum. The fire was under control within 30 minutes after its discovery. The department was called to Asheland avenue and Philip street yesterday morning but the fire was extinguished in quick order with little damage.

BASKET BALL TOGGERY OFFERED FOR THE CONTEST

The Goods Are Very Handsome—Rules of the Y. M. C. A. Junior's Membership Contest.

The athletic goods which are to be given the workers in the Y. M. C. A. Junior membership contest have arrived and will be put in the windows of the Hackney & Moale company this afternoon. Some of the boys have already seen the goods and are so pleased with them that those having the contest in charge look for the greatest contest that has ever been conducted by the local association. The fact of the matter is that the basket-ball goods offered are better than have ever been worn by any Y. M. C. A. first team of the local Y. M. C. A. Some of the boys have already com-

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menced getting their prospective members in line and a large number of application blanks will no doubt be handed in Thursday night at 7:30 when the boys who wish to work in this contest will assemble in the association hall where refreshments will be served them and the plans of the contest outlined. A new feature of this contest will be that any boy of the city though he may not be a member of the Y. M. C. A. now, can join during this contest, have the points which will be given for his membership credited to himself and with those points as a starter enter the contest for himself.

The rules for the Junior membership contest are as follows: Contest begins November 3, closes November 12. Entrance of memberships which expire November 1, December 1, and in the past, will count the same as new memberships.

For securing 10 memberships, 20 points; each dollar paid, 1 point.

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