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SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Personal Mention, News of the Societies, Meetings, Etc.

Pupils' Recital.

A large number of the friends of Miss Elizabeth Porter attended the music recital which was given yesterday afternoon at the Asheville School for Girls under her direction. Invitations had been issued to the recital and few were declined. The drawing room, where the recital was given, was artistically decorated in green, and the holiday spirit was fully carried out in everything. There were about 18 numbers on the program, and these consisted mostly of instrumental selections, although there were a few vocal numbers. The pupils who took part in the recital did well, and their efforts were highly appreciated by those attending.

Fifty-Fifth Wedding Anniversary.

Yesterday afternoon, at their home on Charlotte street, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lindsey celebrated their fifty-fifth wedding anniversary. This is an event that few have the pleasure of celebrating; and it was a very enjoyable affair. Those of the relatives and friends who could not be present sent the aged couple their best wishes by letter, wire or card, and there was a shower of the latter.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles L. Minor will give an at home on New Year's day from 5 to 7 o'clock in honor of their daughter, Miss Lucy Minor, who made her debut sometime ago at a tea given at the University of Virginia in Charlottesville. The entertainment will be at their home on North French Broad avenue, and invitations have already been issued to a large number of friends. It will be an event of interest during the holiday season.

Invitations have been issued by Mrs. Duffield Hilliard to a reception which she will give tomorrow afternoon at the Albemarle club house from 5 to 7 o'clock. The event will be one of the largest of the holiday functions to be given in Asheville and will serve as a delightful prelude to all the other large social events of the Yuletide season.

The woman's exchange will be open every evening this week.

Lawrence Campbell has returned from the University of Virginia, and will spend the holidays with his parents at their home on Pinola street.

State Senator P. H. Mashburn of Old Fort is in the city today on a business trip.

Revenue Agent Knox Booth of Nashville passed through the city yesterday.

Misses Rose and Lily Batteriam, who have been conducting the Cowee High school in Macon county, have returned home to spend their two weeks' holidays.

Mrs. George H. Lambert and son with Mrs. B. B. Rankin leave Thursday for Richmond, Va., to spend Christmas. Dr. Lambert will join them there.

Joseph Smith of Shelby is in the city, having come to attend the funeral services over the remains of Mrs. T. C. Smith.

Miss Helen Kelly has returned to her home in Raleigh, after visiting friends here for some time.

J. R. Smith of Judson will spend Christmas in Asheville with friends.

Dr. S. Elizabeth Winter returned today from a business trip of several weeks in Philadelphia.

Miss Mary Everett has returned from a visit to relatives in Nashville.

Mrs. Adrian Hegeman is here for a few days from Black Mountain.

Mrs. W. H. Souther, son and daughter will leave shortly after Christmas for Danville, Ill., to make that city their home in the future.

Miss Eula Arbogast, who is attending Washington seminary, is spending the holidays with her parents here.

Miss Myrtle Prady is spending the winter in Florida.

Mrs. Frank Geiger is here from Hendersonville, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Arbogast.

Miss Pauline Paquin has returned from a visit to Mrs. Roland Morris in Philadelphia and Miss Alice Chandler in Baltimore.

Mrs. Charles S. Bryant, who has been visiting Mrs. G. S. Tennent, left yesterday for Sanford, Fla.

Capt. and Mrs. J. A. Perry have gone to Washington to spend Christmas with relatives.

Reuben McBrayer is here to spend Christmas with his parents.

Heavy Loss by Flood in Wales. Swansea, Wales, Dec. 19.—A million dollars of damage has been done as a result of floods throughout southern Wales. A score of bridges over the river Avon were destroyed.

A. A. Hamlet, who has been supervising the installation of the targets at the rifle range on Beaverdam, says that the work is about completed and will be ready to be received tomorrow. It is said to be one of the best equipped ranges in the state.

Candy Horse Shoes and Cakes. Candy Kitchen, Haywood Street.

SAM FOSTER UNDER BOND CHARGED WITH ASSAULT

Arrested for Cutting Throat of Mack Harris Last Summer.

Sam Foster, colored, was arraigned in police court this morning for cutting the throat of Mack Harris last summer. He pleads former conviction to the charge, saying that he thought the matter had been settled before a magistrate here. He stated that he had left the city after the affray and that he had come back about a month ago after the case had been called before a local magistrate and his stepfather and Harris' father had arranged it satisfactorily. The court held, however, that since he was not present in person and there had been no legal compromise, this state of affairs would not help him and he will have to stand trial.

The trial of Foster did not come up this morning, however, as Harris was not ready to go into the case. It was stated by one of the officers that Harris is at work in Hendersonville and could be brought here within a few days, and the case was set for Thursday. Several witnesses will also be summoned for the defense and the trial will be of some interest, since the affray was a rather serious one. The court allowed the defendant to give bond in the sum of \$100.

After Foster heard that he would have to stand trial, he wanted to know if he could get some money back, amounting to about \$12, which he said he had spent in the compromise suit. He was informed that it is very doubtful if he can recover this sum.

LAW AS TO FIREWORKS' EXPLOSION IN THE CITY

It Is Forbidden Within 25 Yards of Any Street or Public Place.

There have been some inquiries as to the laws governing the explosion of fireworks in the city. There are some who seem to have an idea that fireworks are not allowed to be set off in the city limits and expressions of surprise have been heard that they are even kept for sale. As a matter of fact, there are very stringent regulations pertaining to fireworks, but under certain provisions they can be exploded or fired in the city limits. Their explosion comes under the same regulations as the firing of guns, in

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Boorne's code. They are not to be set off in the streets, in any public place or within 25 yards of any street or public place, but there is a provision that this does not apply on occasions of public rejoicing if permission is had from the board of aldermen.

During the last day or two some giant crackers have been exploded in the city limits but they may have been on private property more than 25 yards from the street; and only a few days ago a merchant was in police court on the charge of firing crackers in the street.

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