

Woman and Society

WITH A PHOTOGRAPH
Take love, the picture that I send,
And if the power of art
Could give this shadow of myself
A voice, the lips would part,
And tell you that beneath the fur,
The roses, and the lace,
My heart is but a living frame
That holds your cherished face.
—Minna Irving.

The Monday Evening Club held a delightful meeting at the home of Mrs. Heck on Blount street last week. It was an unusually large meeting, and the programme was extremely interesting. Miss Laura Devereux read a criticism of "When Knighthood was in Flower."

Mrs. P. B. Albright has returned from Greensboro.
HINTS FOR THE GIRL BACHELOR.
The woman who is leading the rear-guard of civilization in lone independence may find it useful to know:

- That marriage is a lottery.
That bargains are usually expensive luxuries.
That prettiness is the least of a woman's attractions.
That the wearing of a ready-made tie is almost a crime.
That so-called "Behemianism is a good thing to avoid.

That it does not pay to economize in food nor to lunch on tea and crackers.
That it is a sign of advancing years to have a passion for cats and canary birds.
That it is not comfortable to be in love with more than two men at the same time.

On Thursday afternoon Miss Jennette Biggs delightfully entertained the Thursday Afternoon Euchre Club. The following young ladies were present: Misses Mary Andrews, Hal Marson, Lena Latta, Nell and Annie Hinsdale, Sadie and Annie Root, Harriet Hayward, Mabel Young, of Henderson, Miriam Stamps, Annie Cheshire, Mary Lacy, Blanche Hearty, Louise Linton, Margaret Traylor and Belle Moncure.

On Monday Mrs. A. B. Hawkins gave a football party and dinner complimentary to Miss Clara Lewis and Miss Carrie Bailey, of Florida. The invited guests were Misses Lula Hawkins, of Ridgewood, Mary Pruden, of Edenton, Sue Roberts, of Henderson, Mary Andrews and Eliza Busbee.

Mrs. E. J. Lilly and Misses Eliza Williams and Kate Broadfoot welcomed the guests in the hall, whence they were ushered into the north parlor, where Mrs. Morgan received, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Fawcette, Misses Tomlinson, Slocomb, Hawley, Cameron and Calvert, while Misses Morehead, Frances MacRae and Bess Underwood met the visitors at the entrance to the third parlor.

The following gentlemen were invited to join the ladies in the evening. Messrs. A. J. Cook, H. P. Elliott, L. H. Bolt, A. B. Hill, W. L. Holt, Capt. N. H. McGeehy, R. H. McDuffie, Capt. E. R. McKethan, W. H. Pope, G. B. Underwood, A. B. Williams, E. H. Williamson, R. L. Williams.

Reidsville, N. C., Nov. 21.—The First Baptist Church was the scene of a brilliant wedding today at high noon, when Mr. J. Francaise Young led to the altar Mrs. Rosa E. Harrison Vickers. The auditorium was well filled with friends.

Vera Lyon, Durham; and Miss Ada Vickers, Mt. Airy. Miss Lilly Watt Penn entertained a portion of the guests at a luncheon during the evening.

BRILLIANT RECEPTION AT DURHAM.
(Durham, N. C., Nov. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore Ward Bryant, and family, of the Southern Conservatory of Music, tendered a reception last evening complimentary to the Conservatory home students. The reception was from 8 to 11 o'clock, and was one of the most pleasing social events in Durham's annals.

The guests were received in the parlors of the Conservatory, which presented a scene of beauty and animation, as charming young ladies, in full evening dress, amid brilliant lights and decorations of palms, vied with each other in introducing guests, to students and instructors. The guests were ushered in by Prof. W. D. Carmichael, and were received by Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore Ward Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Findlay, Miss Marguerite Exum, Miss Elizabeth Fellers, Miss Alberta Robbins and Miss Bettie Blair, instructors, assisted by some twenty or more young ladies of the Conservatory, among whom were some of the sweetest young ladies of the city.

From the reception rooms the guests were conducted to the handsomely decorated dining room, where charming young ladies served a most delicate menu, of tea, ices and cake. The fine handiwork of A. Dughl, of Raleigh, was seen in the refreshments, and they were served with his well-known ability. The guests who participated in this delightful and charming affair, during the evening, numbered something like five hundred, and embraced a fine representation of Durham's citizenship. It was thoroughly enjoyed by those present and heightened the esteem in which the Southern Conservatory of Music is held by our people. The reception was well planned and admirably carried out, and Mr. and Mrs. Bryant, and their assistants have the thanks of our people for such a delightful evening.

SOCIAL SEASON IN KINSTON.
Kinston, N. C., Nov. 20.—The most important social event of the season in Kinston took place Friday evening, November 16th, when Colonel and Mrs. W. A. Bobbitt entertained the Zig-Zag Club in honor of their house party. Their beautiful home was decorated with palms and potted plants, and beneath the glare of electric lights presented a scene of rare loveliness. There was gathered together the beauty and gallantry of town and State. The unique mode of entertainment was a literary love story—the outline of which was given and the guests required to fill out blanks with titles of popular books, making a complete and beautiful story. The first prize was won by Mr. J. F. Rogers, of Goldsboro.

A pretty idea for drawing the consolation prize was that the hostess entered the room bearing a large tray, covered with handsome chrysanthemums, each flower having a long ribbon attached, upon the end of which was written the name of a popular and recent novel. The same chosen for the consolation prize was drawn by Miss Mary Currin, of Oxford.

On Saturday evening, November 17th, Messrs. Hoge Erwine and Randolph Mead entertained a party of ten at the home of Mrs. W. A. Bobbitt with a musicale by Crocia's band. A delightful feature of the evening was a solo, "For All Eternity" (Herbert), by Miss Bat Watkins, of Wilson, the entire band accompanying her.

Durham, N. C., Nov. 24.—There is to be a happy wedding solemnized here on Wednesday, November 28th, when Mr. James Edward Lee and Miss Medora Estevia Smith will be married. The wedding will take place at the bride's parents', Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Smith, who reside near the Commonwealth hosiery mill, at 9 o'clock a. m.

RECIPE FOR COURSHIP.
(From Life.)
To one piece of dark piazza, add a little moonlight. Take for granted two persons. Press in two big strong ones' face small soft hands. Sift lightly two ounces of romance; add a large measure of folly; stir in a floating ruffe and one or two whispers; dissolve a half dozen glances in a well of silence; dust in a small quantity of hesitation, one ounce of resistance, two of yielding; place the kisses on a flushed cheek, or two lips; flavor with a slight scream and set aside to cool.

WOMEN WHO PROPOSE.
Miss Kendrick, the beautiful English heiress, celebrated in the ballad of "The Berkshire Lady's Garland," sent Benjamin Child, the handsome young attorney, with whom she had fallen in love, an anonymous letter demanding satisfaction for injuries received. After vainly trying to guess whom his challenger might be and how he had offended, Child betook himself, provided with a second, to the place of meeting. There he saw no fierce gallant, only a masked woman, who flashing a rapier, said: "You shall wed me or I'll fight you underneath those spreading trees. Therefore, choose from which you please!

YOUNG-VICKERS.
Reidsville, N. C., Nov. 21.—The First Baptist Church was the scene of a brilliant wedding today at high noon, when Mr. J. Francaise Young led to the altar Mrs. Rosa E. Harrison Vickers. The auditorium was well filled with friends. Mr. Young is an express messenger on the Southern and is a most estimable and promising young man. His bride is a young widow of personal charms and is exceedingly popular throughout the State. The couple departed the 1 o'clock north-bound vestibule for a bridal tour. The german last night in the Rockingham Club rooms was the social event of the fall. Many couples participated, and kept perfect time to the excellent music by the Columbia (S. C.) Orchestra, while dancing was in progress. Among those present were the following young ladies from a distance: Miss Nina Hay, Saginaw, Mich.; Miss Laura Lyon, Durham; Miss Laura Boyd, Atlanta, Ga.; Miss

though answering Mr. Inehald's suggestion that she should marry with "Who would marry me?" was tantamount to seeking the reply, "I will, if you will have me." There certainly could be no mistaking the words spoken by a girl who presided over a refreshment stall at a large railway station in England. She was a good looking girl, but had red hair. A man waiting for a train said to her: "Could you oblige me with a match?" She replied: "Yes, if you do not object to a red-headed one." They are now married and happy.

Robert Leighton, bishop of Dunblane, might have done the same had he been proposed to by one as young and fair as Margaret Charlton, but the would-be Mrs. Leighton was a spinster of limited Sharns. She called upon the Bishop and informed him that it had been revealed to her from Heaven that he was to become her husband. His reverence, though somewhat startled, was equal to the occasion. He told the lady that such an intimation was not to be despised, and that he would give his best attention to it when it were vouchsafed to him as well as to her.

RECEPTION AT HENDERSON.
(Henderson, N. C., Nov. 24.—One of the most magnificent social functions ever given in the State was the reception Thursday evening, at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Cooper in honor of Mr. Sydney Perry Cooper and his beautiful and accomplished bride, who have just returned from their Northern tour. It was recheer in all of its appointments. The rooms were beautifully decorated with palms, ferns and the rarest flowers. The color scheme throughout the house was pink, except that in the cream room golden tints prevailed.

The dining room was superb in its decorations. The table in its artistic arrangement of flowers and smilax, a marvel of beauty. The refreshments were from Richmond's noted caterer. Mesdames J. J. Miller, T. H. Chavasse and Misses Amy Butler, Ethel Dorsey and Lemme Jordan presided over this department.

Mrs. H. C. Jackson, Ivory brocade satin, panne velvet and Duches lace, diamonds. Mrs. D. Y. Cooper, black satin, lace and chiffon, diamonds. Miss Charlotte Young, pink silk, chiffon and carnations. Miss Willie Parker, pink silk, lace and roses. Little Miss Genevieve Cooper, pink silk and carnations. Master Allison Cooper, blue satin and white lace. Mrs. Henry Perry pink and black silk, with carnations, diamonds. Mrs. J. B. Owen, white organdie and chiffon, pink carnations, diamonds. Mrs. Ethel Dorsey, pink silk, white embroidered chiffon. Miss Lemme Jordan, white organdie, roses. Mrs. T. H. Chavasse, white organdie, crimson flowers. Mrs. George Rose, black silk with pink roses. Mrs. W. H. S. Burgwyn, in heliotrope silk, pink decorations, diamonds. Mrs. N. H. Chavasse, black silk and Duches lace. Mrs. J. J. Miller, white silk, with carnations, diamonds, and every pink, carnations. Miss Rebecca Butler, white organdie. Miss Amy Butler, white organdie over with lace, roses. Miss Gussie Blacknall, white silk with roses. Miss Pattie Lou Jones, white organdie and carnations.

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"RHEUMATISM IS A LIE, A FALSE CLAIM."
(Continued from First Page.)

of a liar is to give forth lies, and if he is strictly a liar, he does nothing else. In the text just quoted, the devil's own, his offspring, that which is of or belonging to him, is a lie. Will our friend please tell me how much substance how much reality there is in a lie? A lie is untrue, hence unreal; it has no existence in fact, and dies the moment its opposing truth is revealed. According to Jesus' words we have now proved that the woman, who probably would have been called a rheumatic in medical parlance, was bound by a lie, and was healed by the truth. We have proved by Jesus' own words that rheumatism, or the like, is a lie, a false claim; and "inasmuch as it was the Christ's mission to destroy the works of the devil, we consider ourselves justified in claiming that sin, sickness and death which he surely annihilated were the works of the devil, hence lies, or false claims. Will Dr. Marshall kindly explain how a lie is to be destroyed with medicine? Will he also tell me why he proposes to discard Jesus' diagnosis and remedy for disease, while at the same time he seeks to retain his definition and remedy for sin? Why not let "nature" destroy sin? Why not call the sinners about the altar and administer Dr. King's Pain Killer, or some "regular" medicine? What is his Bible authority for resorting to material methods for overcoming sickness, contrary to Jesus' example, while he seeks to follow the Master's steps in the overcoming of sin? Jesus said: "For whether it is easier to say 'thy sins be forgiven thee, or to say, arise and walk?'"

divine idea in the human form, surpassing Jesus as he surpassed Moses, and you have in brief the doctrine of Christian Science." This is as far from Christian Science as night from day, and there is nothing in the writings of Mrs. Eddy warrant such assumption. Mrs. Eddy claims absolutely nothing for her personality except that she is the discoverer and founder of Christian Science, and this our friend will probably not deny. She teaches in her text-book that "Jesus was the highest human concept of a perfect man;" that he was the way-shower; that we are to be saved not only in the future, but in the present through the practice of his teachings. Never is the claim made that her text-book should take the place of the Bible, or that Christianity should be supplanted by Christian Science, but that "Science and Health" reveal the spiritual significance of the scriptures and make Christianity more practical.