

# SOCIETY



The Rector's Guild of Trinity church will meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the residence of the president, Mrs. Arthur Rankin. All the young ladies of the church are invited to be present.

A most delightful dance was given at Victoria Inn last evening. Refreshments were served and the music supplied by colored musicians. There were quite a number of invitations issued. Among those present were Miss Annie Arden Jervey, Miss Margaret Penniman, Miss Frances Bangs, Miss Lucile Hastings, Miss Christine Scheufler, Miss Katherine Cartmell, Miss Hull, Miss Gardner, Miss Mazie Wheeler, Miss Frances Condely, Miss Clara Holmes, Miss Anne Martin, Mr. Howard Okolekaf, Mr. Connell Larson, Mr. Hugh Lindsay, Mr. Taffield, Mr. Higgins, Mr. Nathaniel Frohman, Mr. William Armstrong, Mr. Clarence Willis, Mr. Woodling Souser, Mr. DuBoise Reese, Mr. Friedoff Reese and Mr. Donald Moron.

Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Metcalf are giving a reception on Saturday in Washington to which the young ladies of Fairmount Seminary have been invited. Miss Katherine Mason and Miss Sarah Jones of Asheville will attend the reception.

Jan Kubelik, the famous violinist, has been booked by the Auditorium directors, and will appear on March 14 in Asheville in concert.

Riverside park wore an exceedingly midwinter and festival appearance yesterday. The lake was frozen over and a great many skaters headed their way through the frozen waterway and around the diminutive islands. Unfortunately the sun weakened the ice near the boathouse, with the result that an elderly gentleman and his wife were precipitated into about four feet of very cold water and suffered the discomfort of riding some in their wet raiment on the ice. One or two of the young men met with a similar mishap. Among the numbers of young people who headed were Miss Virginia Griffith Miller, Miss Lucy Penniman, Miss Annie Wheeler, Miss Eleanor Caldwell, Miss Fefalu, Mr. Lawrence Jones, Mr. James Drummond and quite a number of students fromingham school.

The following program will be given this evening by the St. Cecilia society in the auditorium of the Y. M.

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**PART I.**  
1. Chorus, "Oh, Skunk, for Thy Hair." H. Smart.  
2. "The Merry Beggars." F. C. Woods.  
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The Anna Aston Missionary society will meet this afternoon at 3:30 at Central Methodist church. All members are urged to be present.

Miss Grace Scott of the Inland China mission and for 26 years in active service, will speak to the women of Asheville this afternoon at the First Baptist church at 4 o'clock. All women of the city, especially those interested in missions, are invited to attend.

An admirably appointed and largely attended reception was that tendered last evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Fakos, 109 South Main street, by the ladies of the congregation of the First Presbyterian church in honor of Dr. W. S. Plummer Bryan who was pastor of the Presbyterian church for five years preceding 1892 and now pastor of the church of the Covenant, Chicago, who has been here for a few days stay.

Those present included members of other churches who are admirers of the eloquent preacher and the constant changes in the membership of Asheville churches was illustrated by the fact that about one half of the guests knew Dr. Bryan during his pastorate here but all felt as if they had known him at the close of the felicitous address which he was called on to make.

**PERSONAL.**  
Judge J. C. Pritchard and Mrs. Pritchard went yesterday afternoon to Richmond where the Judge will be occupied in the court of appeals for about three weeks. Mrs. Pritchard will spend some days in Richmond and will then go to Washington to visit her mother, Mrs. Sattin.

Mr. A. Maurice Low, Washington representative of the Boston Globe and London and Paris Journals with his son F. H. Low, is visiting D. F. L. Hunt on Hillside street.

Hon. John S. Henderson, Mr. Burton Craig and Mr. Thomas J. Jerome of Salisbury are in Asheville on business.

Mrs. F. M. Messier left yesterday for Bound Brook, N. J. where she was called by the death of her mother.

Major Fishback, has returned to Washington having spent the past fortnight as the guest of Dr. Westray Battle.

Capt. Settle, U. S. A. left yesterday for Chicago after a visit to his brother Mr. Thomas Settle and Mrs. Settle.

Mr. H. W. Plummer and Mrs. J. C. Caldwell walked to Gouches Peak on Sunday and took several pictures of the snow capped mountains and unusual sight in Asheville.

Mr. Duff Merrick returns today from Philadelphia.

Dr. E. C. Laird returned from New York and left on Sunday for Hot Springs.

Mr. E. M. Brown, of Ithaca, N. Y. is in the city.

Mr. A. R. Sawyer, of Binghamton, N. Y. is in the city for a short stay.

Louis Boney of Little Rock Ark. left yesterday after having spent several weeks with friends on Merrimon avenue.

Thomas P. McDougherty, of Miami, Fla. who has been spending a few days with friends in the city left yesterday for Jacksonville Florida where he will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. T. S. DeLong, of Kalamazoo, Mich., has arrived in the city and will be the guest of friends here for a few days.

Mr. D. T. Woods, of Yorkville, S. C. is a guest at the Berkeley.

Mr. Phil K. Arrington, of Louisville, Ky., left yesterday after having spent Sunday in Asheville.

Mr. G. W. Maslin, of Waynesville spent the week end in the city, returning to Waynesville yesterday.

Mr. Robert J. Harris, of Canton, N. C., is spending a few days in the city.

Mr. Bentley Skinner, of Kutawa, Ky., is in the city for a few days.

Mr. N. E. Gray, of Chicago, Ill. who has been in the city for a few days leaves this afternoon.

Mr. John M. Wilhelm leaves today after having spent Sunday with friends in the city.

Mr. H. W. Frierson, of Nashville, Tenn., was in the city yesterday.

Mr. W. E. Mayo, of Georgia, left yesterday afternoon after having spent the week end in the city.

Mr. J. E. Kanipe, of Charlotte spent Sunday in the city, returning yesterday.

Mrs. D. A. DuPree of Mobile Ala., who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Sarah A. Lindsey, 458 So. Main street returned to her home Sunday.

## REPUBLICAN CLAIMS REFUTED BY COCKRAN

(Continued from page one.)

range, but it has no refined distinction as to kind."  
Every little while, he said, he heard or read of some democrat saying that the rate bill, the anti-trust law and the enforcement of them were of democratic origin; that republicans had stolen democratic thunder; that President Roosevelt, "to use a classical expression of Mr. Bryan" had been wearing Bryan's clothes. Ordinarily, he said he had not thought it wise to notice these things, but the statements had been made so loud and so long that some of the younger generation might believe them and the democratic party may come to claim them by right of possession under the statute of limitations.

Mr. Townsend denied that the rate law and the principles it represented were of democratic origin or conception, and he inquired if the president had departed from republican policies when he advocated it. He then discussed anti-trust legislation and compared the action under it, under the administrations of Cleveland and Roosevelt. As compared with Cleveland's administration he said, there had been under Roosevelt's administration four times as many bills in equity filed nine times as many indictments found and seven times as many convictions had with nine indictments cases still pending. Anti-trust he said, was not of democratic origin and its enforcement was not of democratic credit.

**Cockran Replies**  
Representative Bourke Cockran, of New York, democrat, denied the accuracy of Mr. Townsend's statement and said that since the beginning of the republic there had not been a single policy prominently incorporated into law that was not of democratic origin.

Wild democratic applause greeted Mr. Cockran when he remarked that the policy of Jefferson, adopted to avoid war with France had been applied by the republicans to "the con-

quest of the Philippines, and the purchase of men." He compared the Philippine acquisition with the Louisiana purchase "one glorious possession of our country" and said the republicans were so sick of the Philippine bargain they would be willing to blame Providence for it. He asked if the Monroe doctrine was of republican origin. It was not and yet he added, it frequently had been invoked by them.

Mr. Cockran spoke of the civil war and said that while it was true the republicans led the Union forces, democratic patriots manned the army.

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**Scores "Financiers"**  
Mr. Cockran denounced bank presidents and corporation officials who had been guilty of illegal acts. In speaking of the recent financial crisis he said it had been caused by successive revelations of depravity in high places in the financial world. The whole thing, he declared, grew out of a quartet of the plunderers of nations in the distribution of profits. So deeply had the public conscience been appalled he said, that the spectacle of unpunished crime that never since did it seem to dawn upon anyone "that instead of certain corporation heads being suffered to do some house cleaning in the corporations they had pillaged they ought to be sent to do some cell cleaning in the penitentiary."

"These gentlemen," he said "when their stealing had exhausted the supply and there was nothing left to steal did not even surrender control of the corporations they wronged." They do not flee from justice fearing its sword, but they go into a court of justice and obtain its protection.

Regarding recent bank failures in New York, Mr. Cockran said that not one of them failed through error of judgment, but through error that their stealing had exhausted the supply and there was nothing left to steal did not even surrender control of the corporations they wronged." They do not flee from justice fearing its sword, but they go into a court of justice and obtain its protection.

"It had been asked," continued Mr. Cockran, "why don't the president prosecute these gentlemen?" But he said he noticed it was always proposed by those who if they thought there was any danger of prosecution would not engage in public discussion on the hustings or in the newspapers, but would be quietly seeking steamship tickets to foreign lands." He did not believe the president yet had exhausted all his powers, but he said, "I do say this message shows he appreciates his duty."

**Message Inspired.**  
The message was Mr. Cockran declared an inspired proclamation to the American people. He discussed the judiciary and said he had noticed in his own state federal and state judges leaving the bench to accept professional employment by corporations. It was no wonder, therefore

he said that, the public conscience should be alarmed. He spoke of the president's love of justice and said it had been charged that the president was indifferent. "Can it be taken as a reproach against any public servant?" he asked. "That his love of justice is so strong that it does not comport with the interests of the people?" He declared that justice was the foundation of prosperity. The value of the president's message, he said, is that both parties "would swear by the board for it."

Mr. Cockran referred further to President Roosevelt, as a "crusader" the only one the republicans had, but the president was disqualified. Never before in the history of the country had a president in office been the object of such bitter attacks while still in office.

As for Mr. Bryan, Mr. Cockran said: "We have a democratic crusader as to whom there is some doubt as to whether he is not too atrocious. I thought so myself in the past, but under the conditions he becomes the foremost champion of law and order."

"The president message," said Mr. Hepburn, of Iowa, was received in some sections of the country with violent condemnation by the organs of the men the president has seen to denounce as malfeasors. The president said Mr. Hepburn to unsettled conditions except to call attention to the misdeeds of malfeasors. The stock gambling has done more than any other class to bring on this disaster, to bring into disrepute the value of our securities.

"In everything the president has done," continued Mr. Hepburn, "the American people stand behind him. In this message the people stand behind him and they demand the legislation he stands for shall be given in order that these recommendations may be made effective through the courts. Some say there will be nothing done by this congress. I do not believe it. Mr. Hepburn said:

**Making a Departure.**  
Mr. Hepburn said the democratic party is making a departure in advocating the course of the president and has opposed national legislation in many cases on the ground that there was no constitutional power for it. Jefferson himself had declared that the government of the United States had no power to purchase Louisiana. He declared that if the democrats were in power the country would have unlimited quantities of greenbacks and would be in a state of complete bankruptcy. It was the party, he said, that had opposed placing the money of the United States on a gold basis and on a parity with all other nations.

"Some men," said Mr. Hepburn, complain that the president had not put a larger number of these malefactors in the penitentiary. One difficulty is to convict one man of crime if he reinforces his defense with an abundant exchequer. You must remember how many restrictions we have thrown around the criminal."

He favored interpreting the criminal statutes liberally and in a way to avoid evasion and to secure justice. Then, he added, there would not be so many infractions of the law. He denounced stock gamblers for monopolizing the money of the country in their operations. He said the democrats knew that the president's message meets the expectations of the people, and on that account they are trying to appropriate all of its provisions.

The house adjourned at 4:50 o'clock.

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