

# SOCIETY

There will be a business meeting of the Strollers Monday evening at the Auditorium at 8 o'clock. It is requested that all members will be present. Mr. Burnett Jordan will read three plays one of which will be chosen for the next production made by the Strollers. The play under consideration are Mrs. Jones Defense, Lady Windemere Fan and The Charity Ball. Several new members will appear in the new play which will be put on at an early date. The recent success of The Private Secretary has added greatly to the laurels of the Strollers and it is predicted that at no distant date the club will be as much of a permanent fixture in the amusement world in Asheville as the famous Brooklyn Comedy Club and others equally well known in the east.

Miss Margaret Miller and Mr. Charles Miller gave an informal card party and dance at the home of their parents Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Miller on Pearson Drive, Friday evening, which was attended by a number of their young friends. Hearts was played and followed by dancing. The house was prettily decorated with Christmas greens. The guests were Miss Charity Craig, Miss Elizabeth Given, Miss Agnes Carter, Miss Elizabeth Murphy, Miss Frances Carter, Miss Heloise Carroll, Miss Virginia Williamson, Miss Mary Miller, Mrs. Frank Carter, Mrs. J. D. Murphy, Dr. and Mrs. Miller, Mrs. W. C. Drummond, Messrs. Melvin Carter, Carlisle Craig, Wilbur Sumner, Bonbright Given, Kenneth Given, Jamie Mitchell, Rufner Campbell, Grady Adams, William Drummond and Caleb Carter.

Miss Lula Williams will entertain the Anna Aston Missionary society at the residence of Miss Frances Wright, Victoria Road, Tuesday afternoon. A paper will be read on "The Old and New Japan," by Mrs. J. J. Yates and Mrs. Frank Smith will discuss "Influence of Industrial Missions." Miss Gussie Smith will give a reading. Members are requested to take the 8.50 car from the Square.

Miss Elizabeth Murphy gave a party Thursday evening at the residence of her parents Judge and Mrs. J. D. Murphy on Montford avenue. Five hundred and several other card games were played and the New Year was welcomed in at midnight. The house was decorated with holly and mistletoe. Refreshments were served late in the evening. Miss Murphy's guests were Miss Helen Mitchell, Miss Elizabeth Ramey, Miss Charity Craig, Miss Frances Carter, Miss Elizabeth Given, Miss Gladys Redwood, Miss Lucy Pursefoy, Miss Wallace Tucker, Miss Virginia Williamson, Judge and Mrs. Murphy, Messrs. Charles Miller, Jamie Mitchell, Caleb Carter, Grady Adams, Eric Harris, Rufner Campbell, Melvin Carter, Carlisle Craig, Bonbright Given, Kenneth Given and Powell Tucker.

Mrs. Mary Anna Tant was a charming hostess last evening at a reception given at the Balsam Inn. The hall was beautifully decorated with holly and evergreens. There were two prize contests, "Guessing Advertisements" and the "Puzzle Box", both of which were entertaining and amusing. Mrs. Robert Bryson was the prize. Dainty refreshments were served. Mrs. Tant's guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hall, Miss Teala Bryson, Asheville, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Bryson, Miss Mary McNear, Mrs. Towell, Miss Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kenny, Mr. J. Kenny, Mrs. Mabel Perry, Miss Mattie and Irma Bryson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bryson, Misses Julia and Alice Kenny, Miss Florence Joyce, Mr. Charlie Perry, Jr., Mr. J. Henry Kenny, Jr., Mr. Edwin Christy Balsam, Misses Ida and Elsie Bryson, Miss Clara Conly, Waynesville, Miss Kate Richards, Fla., Mr. Elbert Franklin, Morristown, Mr. George Ingram, Abingdon, Mr. Thelma Koller, Cullowhee, Miss Minnie Seay, Bryson City.

The New Year's tea and reception at the country club yesterday afternoon was an appropriate ending to a gay week. The club was crowded all afternoon with members and their friends. Tea was served by the Misses Reeves. Great interest was taken in the golf tournament which began promptly at three o'clock. The following is the score:

Mr. J. E. Rumbaugh and Miss Ethel Reeves, 65

Mr. E. I. Frost and Mrs. Philip S. Henry, 69.  
Dr. and Mrs. Charles S. Jordan, 70.  
Mr. T. P. Smith and Miss Maude Hamilton, 69.  
Dr. G. H. Landert and Miss Barker, 74.  
Mr. J. W. Sluder and Miss Anne Williams, 78.  
Mr. Vance Brown and Mrs. Thompson Frazer, 80.  
Mr. Eugene Sawyer and Miss Alice Brown, 81.  
Mr. J. A. Barckel and Miss Nan Meade, 84.  
Mr. Rumbaugh and Miss Reeves won five points, Mr. Frost and Mrs. Henry each won three points, Dr. and Mrs. Jordan and Mr. Smith and Miss Hamilton each won half of one point. The total standing up to date is as follows: Ladies, Mrs. Frazer 5, Miss Reeves 5, Miss Hamilton 3 1/2, Mrs. Henry 3, Miss Rice 1, Mrs. Jordan 1.

The total standing for the men is as follows: Mr. Rumbaugh 5, Mr. Barckel 5, Mr. Henry 3, Mr. Frost 3, Dr. Ringer 1, Dr. Jordan 1 1/2, Mr. Smith 1 1/2. Six more tournaments will be played in the series and the winner of the greatest number of points will be awarded the cup.

The St. Cecilia concert will be given under the direction of Mr. Cary Florio at the Battery Park hotel Tuesday evening, Jan. 12th. The program is one of unusual excellence and interest and is by request. The chorus has worked for several weeks rehearsing the music which will be heard Tuesday evening. The soloists are Mrs. O. C. Hamilton and Mr. Burnett Jordan. The following is the program:

- PART FIRST.
- 1. "Tripping Lightly"..... E. Marzo
  - 2. "Twilight"..... W. Ahl
  - 3. "O Happy Fair"..... F. Shield
  - 4. Soprano Solo; Selected.....
  - 5. "Waken, Waken, Day is Dawning"..... Mrs. O. C. Hamilton
  - 6. "Whither"..... C. B. Hawley
- PART SECOND.
- 7. Musical Reading, "King Robert of Sicily"..... Longfellow-Cole
  - 8. "O Sylark, for Thy Wing"..... H. Smart
  - 9. "O-he Carita"..... R. de Koven
  - 10. Soprano Solo; Selected.....
  - 11. "Three Fishers"..... J. B. Grant
  - 12. "Morning"..... C. B. Hawley
  - 13. "Mistress Mary"..... C. A. Macrone
- Mr. Cary Florio, Conductor.  
Miss Mae Eleanor Kimberly, Accompanist.

On Wednesday Dec. 23rd, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Allen, 13 1/2 Haywood street, Miss Mary C. Henderson and Mr. Robert Monteith were united in matrimony, the Rev. J. S. Williams officiating.

The Woman's Club will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Alfred S. Barrard on Watauga street. Two papers will be read bearing on Japan, the subject of the year.

The Tahkeostee club gave an informal dance Friday evening at the club rooms on South Main street and Pack Square. Mr. and Mrs. Heath Carrier chaperoned the following guests, Miss Frances Dufour, Miss Fannie Wheeler, Miss Beaumont Hazard, Miss Dora Doe, Miss Mary Stikeleather, Miss Jessie Stikeleather, Miss Virginia Griffith Miller, Miss Emily Campbell, Miss Lillie Gates, Mr. Perry Cobb, Mr. Willard Northrup, Mr. Ralph Carrier, Mr. Charles Folsom, Mr. Lyons Lee, Mr. Cassius Gudger, Mr. Mulligan, Mr. Eve, Mr. Willis P. Borne, Mr. D. R. Millard, Mr. Sedberry, Mr. Nicholas Beadles and Mr. Nichols.

The annual banquet of the Farara class will be held Wednesday evening at the Sunday school of the First Presbyterian church at half past eight o'clock. Mr. Paul Brown will be toastmaster of the evening, and the following toasts will be responded to:

"What We Have Done"..... Geo. H. Wright  
"What We Are Doing"..... E. C. Dickinson  
"What We Are Going to Do"..... P. R. Allen

## PERSONAL

Mr. A. C. Goodwin left yesterday for Columbia, S. C., where he is called by the illness of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovelock arrived yesterday from New York to join their daughter and son in law Mr. and Mrs. Bradley at the Battery Park hotel.

Mr. J. B. A. Bennett is visiting in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Quinn and children who have occupied a cottage in Belmont during the summer are at Indianapolis. Captain Quinn has come to join his ship.

Mrs. W. E. Rollins who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Colms will return to Sweet Hill college Monday.

Miss I. E. Whitford who has been visiting her mother on North Main street returned yesterday to her home on Anderson S. E.

Miss B. A. J. Neal has resigned as superintendent of Dr. Morris' office's hospital and taken up her residence at Mrs. Chatham's, Charlotte street.

Miss Arney Robinson returns to college tomorrow at Columbia.

Miss Mattie Rollins leaves Monday for Winston-Salem to enter school.

Mr. Edwin Grove who has been visiting in the city during the holidays returns to St. Louis today.

Miss Sadie Rollins leaves tomorrow for the eastern part of the state to visit friends.

Recent arrivals at Kennedys Inn are Mr. J. C. Smith of Syracuse, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Brown of Omaha.

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What Can Be Done? D. L. Jackson Anniversary Address, Robt. I. Gamon

The Hillside convent commences its second term Jan. 11th, and Mother De Planck requests that the names of the children who are entered for the remainder of the school year will send in their names as soon as possible as there are a number of applications and places taken. There are a number of boarders and the rooms will all be occupied this term.

Miss Edna Ellis and Mr. Arthur Smith of South Carolina were married Wednesday at the home of the bride's father on South Main street, by Rev. J. S. Williams. The wedding was very quiet and only the members of the family were present.

The anniversary exercises of the Farara Hillside class will be held this morning at the First Presbyterian church at 9:30 o'clock. The following is the program for the occasion.

PROGRAM Selection by Baraca Quartet Installation of Officers Inaugural Address by President Allen Minut-Talks by Men who Do Things Ten Minute Talk by Dr. R. F. Campbell Selection by Baraca Quartet And Other Good Things

Mrs. Kroman entertained with a whist party Friday evening at the residence of Mrs. Littman on College street in honor of Mr. Maurice Tofes of Oxford, N. C. There were a number of guests present and refreshments were served.

Miss Freda Brown has issued invitations to a dance which will be given at the Manor Wednesday evening.

The Egrotaters will return the first of the week from their homes where they have spent the holidays. Messrs. Gerheart, Pratt, Eucher and Clarke return to Ridgewood today from Buffalo. The Asheville school students will return also from eastern and western points in several special Pullman cars. The Bingham cadets have already commenced to arrive after their Christmas vacation. The college boys and girls are leaving Asheville on every train for their respective colleges. It will be many weeks before they return for the longest vacation of the year.

The Thursday Bridge club was entertained during the week by Mrs. Frederick Kent and Mrs. Bryant at the residence of the latter.

At the afternoon service at All Souls church today Mr. F. E. Harkers anthem "Calm on the Listening ear of night" will be repeated by request with Mrs. O. C. Hamilton and Mr. Burnett Jordan as soloists. The following is the program for the organ recital at five o'clock:

- 1. Concerto in G Minor.....Camidge
- 2. Adagio, Allegro, Andante, Allegro
- 3. Idylle.....Klunder
- 4. March in E.....Faulkes

A surprise party was given Wednesday evening to Mr. James Mitchell and his guest, Mr. Grady Adams, of Atlanta, by the young friends of the former at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mitchell, on Montford avenue. The evening was spent in playing games and refreshments were served. Those present were: Miss Heloise Carroll, Miss Elizabeth Given, Miss Elizabeth Murphy, Miss Charity Craig, Miss Virginia Williamson, Miss Frances Carter, Miss Heloise Carroll, Miss Virginia Williamson, Rufner Campbell, Grady Adams, Caleb Carter and Melvin Carter.

Mrs. W. B. Baker gave an entertainment for Miss Kate Dunn, of Knoxville, Tenn., at the Windsor hotel last evening. A 6 o'clock dinner was served.

Mr. Jack Lisle is expected to return within several days from Winchester, Ky., where he spent the holidays.

Mr. W. E. Gallard of Sylva editor of the Jackson County Journal spent yesterday in the city.

Mr. C. R. Andrews of New York is in the city for a brief stay.

Mr. Henry E. Poor left yesterday for his home in Cincinnati, O.

Mr. Jordan S. Thomas is a guest at the Battery Park hotel.

Mr. Leola Dillies of Belmont is in Asheville for several days.

Mr. C. S. White was operated on at the Merriweather hospital Tuesday and is reported as doing well.

Mr. Hardy Sumner Chambers leaves tomorrow to enter the University of North Carolina.

Dr. Pratt left yesterday for a trip to Baltimore.

Mr. Garfield Penland is visiting friends near Weaverville.

Mr. F. O. Hartshorn left yesterday for a short trip to Washington.

Mr. C. T. Carr has returned from a brief trip to Atlanta.

Mr. Alexander G. Lazarus who is representative of the Emergency Laboratories of New York spent yesterday in the city.

Miss Annie Laurie Baird returns to Belmont Monday after spending Christmas with her mother.

Miss Hattie Scott and Miss Dorothy Schartle returned from Atlanta yesterday after a weeks absence.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Harker and Mrs. R. B. Stone leave for New York Monday where they will spend several weeks.

Mr. Thomas Little has gone to Washington on business.

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