

SOCIETY

The following account of the wedding of Miss Georgia Dalton, of Asheville, N. C., and Mr. Frederick B. Brigman is taken from the Atlanta Journal of Labor of recent date:

"A pretty romance of only a few months' duration, originating in the beautiful, mountainous city of Asheville, N. C., culminated in the marriage of Miss Georgia Dalton to Mr. Fred B. Brigman on the evening of December 23. Only a few of the most intimate friends of the young couple were aware of their intentions. A few weeks ago it was necessary for the groom-elect to separate from his bride-to-be, having accepted a more lucrative position in his home town, Atlanta. His persistent wooing was continued, however, with an almost daily correspondence. Stating he was just going to Asheville to spend the holidays with his mother, he returned a week later with his bride.

"Mrs. Brigman is the charming young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Dalton, of Asheville, and she numbers her friends with her acquaintances, who will regret very much to separate from her, she being quite a social favorite. "Mr. Brigman is a member of Atlanta Web Pressmen's union, No. 10, and holds a responsible position with The Atlanta Journal. He has filled various offices in the union with distinction to himself and the union. The members of No. 10 extend their congratulations to the young couple and wish them a long, happy and prosperous life. Mr. and Mrs. Brigman are now at home to their friends at 110 Kirkwood avenue."

The Swannon Glen club gave an enjoyable dance Thursday evening in the Hillmore club room. The orchestra, composed of members of the club, rendered excellent music. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Kenney, Miss Hurst, Miss Van der Vorburg, Miss Edith Arthur, Miss Stone, Miss Annie Cochran, Mr. George Arthur, Mr. James Arthur, Mr. James Lips, Mr. Shrouse, Mr. Hal Cochran, Mr. James Denton, Mr. Brown and others.

The usual mixed foursome golf tournament will be played this afternoon on the competitive point basis. The players are requested to be on the grounds at three o'clock and entries are to be made with Dr. Paul Hinger. The Saturday afternoon at the Country Club was becoming exceedingly popular and agreeable each week. Tea is served by different members of the club and the afternoon is one of the social features of the week. There are always people playing on the links, but usually on Saturday there are from fifty to seventy-five members on the grounds.

The high school boys played basketball last evening against the Asheville school students at the Asheville school.

The second meeting of the Shriners' club will be held this evening in the Masonic temple. Arrangements will be made to charter cars to attend the picnic in Charleston during the month of April. There will be a joint pilgrimage of Omar and Oasis temples and it is probable that the local Shriners will occupy two cars to journey to Charleston.

The following monthly report of the Associated Charities was submitted by the secretary, Mrs. F. B. Wild, from the 1st of December until the 31st of December.

"The office was open daily from 9 until 12 in the morning and from 3 until 5 in the afternoon, excepting two days, when Mrs. Wild was sick, and one afternoon Mrs. Pennington attended to the office. "Special attention is given to keeping careful records of cases, and, without exception, every case is investigated before assistance is given, unless recommended by one of the directors or some responsible person. "Sixty-six applications have been made during the month, several of these only for clothing. Secured transportation for three grown people and three children. The Southern railway kindly gave a rebate. Re- fused assistance to nine. Made thirty-three visits. Secured permits for two for almshouse. Gave twenty-one or-

ders for wood and coal, some of these orders amounting to fifty cents. Twenty orders for groceries.

"Respectfully submitted, "F. B. WILD, Sec'y."

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The Friday Book club met yesterday afternoon with Miss Johns at the Home Industrial school. The next meeting, January 22nd, will be held at the residence of Mrs. F. E. Mitchell on Montford avenue, with the following program:

- Roll call, Charles Lamb. 1. The Lamb in London. 2. The Blue Coat School. Bridget Eliza and the Wednesday Evenings. Mrs. Williamson.

The social given by the Methodist Protestant church No. 4 last night was quite a success, despite the inclement weather. It was a book social. Mr. Roy Schreyer represented "Longfellow's Poems"; Mr. J. W. Barrett, "Twenty Years in the Future"; Miss Sallie Barrett, "Webster's Blue Book"; Miss Effie Barrett, "What Gold Cannot Buy"; Misses Dellinger and Williams, "Tempest and Sunshine"; Rev. J. S. Willage, "Lavender and Old Lace"; Miss Berdie McIntyre, "A Mirror and What I Saw in It"; Miss Novella McIntyre, "Penhoods"; Mr. Walter Hayner, "The Silver Butterfly"; Mr. Halcombe, "With Lee in Virginia"; Mr. Carl Langfitt, "Three Judges"; Mr. W. T. Bickett, "Fruit of the Tree"; Mr. G. H. Hall, "The Hoosier Schoolmaster"; Miss Nancy Laffon, "White Apron"; M. M. Austin, "Openings of the Chestnut Burr"; Mr. Fred Carter, "Frederick the Great"; Miss McGuire, "Rose in Bloom"; Miss Parker, "Love Letters of a Musician"; Miss Cole, "Life of a Butterfly"; Miss Swain, "Scarlet Letter"; Mr. Styles, "Hard Cash"; Miss Shepherd, "Five Little Peppers"; Miss Nancy Laffon won the prize for guessing the largest number of books. Mr. Carl McIntyre won second prize. Pickle sandwiches were served as refreshments.

The second annual reception of Weaverville college held last night in the new dormitory proved to be a great success. The "Reds," who won the membership contest, were represented by the defeated "Blues." The head waiter was Mr. Frederick Allison and the head waitress Miss Bonnie Regan. Miss Regan, Roberts, Hollister, and Williams, were waiters assisted by the following boys: Allison, Roberts, Clapp, Earnest, Walker, Eugene Weaver, Brown and Palmer.

The Young People's League of Bethel Methodist church were entertained at the home of Miss Sarah Clark, on Phifer street. Various games were played and refreshments were served.

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The marriage of Miss May Fisher to Mr. R. E. Jordan, which was celebrated at the home of the bride's mother on Atkins street, occurred Thursday evening. The ceremony, which was performed by Rev. S. M. Stikebather, was a quiet affair and was witnessed by the immediate families of the couple and a few invited guests.

ANDREWS, N. C., Jan. 15.—A handsome and elaborate reception was given at the Cover mansion in the town of Andrews at seven-thirty this evening in honor of the home coming of Mr. and Mrs. Giles W. Cover. Refreshments were served and about fifty persons enjoyed the occasion.

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The meeting of the Children of the Confederacy will be postponed until next week on account of some business matters.

Mrs. Locke Craig gives the first of a series of bridge parties this afternoon at her residence on Montford avenue. The second party will be given some time during next week.

Mrs. May Purcell has issued invitations to a dinner which will be given Sunday evening at Hollyhock cottage, Albemarle park.

Mrs. Tench Coxie entertained with an informal luncheon at Klondyke Wednesday.

Mrs. D. C. Waddell, Jr., entertained a few friends informally in her apartments at the Battery Park hotel Thursday.

Mrs. Charles L. Minor was hostess at an informal luncheon the latter part of the week.

The Friday Whist club met at the Asheville club last evening.

PERSONAL

Mr. J. S. Martin left for Cincinnati yesterday.

Miss Nell Morrison has returned from a visit with friends in Winston-Salem.

Dr. Charles Scott has returned from Greensboro.

Mr. R. W. Bingham has gone to Washington to attend the Children's congress, which is being held by the president.

Mrs. J. B. A. Bennett is visiting Mrs. King in Augusta, after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Lorillard, in Washington.

Mr. R. E. L. Hall, representing the Principe de Gales cigars, is here.

Mr. Lee Reinheimer, representative of the Cliff-Well Cigar company, of Richmond, arrived yesterday.

Miss Isabel Lazarus and Mrs. Hofmayer have gone to Atlanta, Ga.

Miss Mabel Hall of Waynesville, has arrived to spend the winter with her parents, who have leased 128 Charlotte street for the winter.

Miss Katherine Cartmell is expected to return this week from Salisbury, where she has been visiting her sister.

Miss Maria Brown and Mr. Vance Brown leave today for the East. Miss Brown sails shortly for South America and will be absent some time.

Mrs. Guy Kennard and Miss Rodley, of Cincinnati, are spending several weeks in the city.

Miss Mary Ewing and Mr. and Mrs. Bates, of Chicago, are guests at Victoria Inn.

Miss Gannan and Mrs. M. Gannan, of New York, are in the city.

Miss Amy Emmons leaves on Monday for Ruthersfordton.

Mr. Frank Carter is expected to return from a trip to Columbia and Richmond and other points on Monday.

Mrs. J. L. Bell, of St. Louis, is in the city.

Mr. W. A. James, Jr., who has been visiting at Parmelee N. C., for some time, has returned to Asheville.

Mr. James V. Throm, of South Boston, is spending a few days in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stimmer, of Morristown, Tenn., have arrived and will visit friends in the city for several days.

Mr. C. B. Ryan, of Knoxville, is at the Berkeley.

Mr. G. W. Davis, of Richmond, is here for a few days.

Mr. J. P. Thompson, of Atlanta, is here on business for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Carter, of Mansfield, Ohio, are here for a short stay with friends.

Mr. F. W. Sherman, of Jacksonville, Fla., is here for a few days.

Mr. W. L. Bloomer, of Clarin, O., is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh A. Love, of Waynesville, arrived yesterday and will spend a few days with friends in the city.

Mr. D. H. Burton, of Greensboro, is here for a short stay.

Mr. T. L. Coffin, of Cincinnati, is in town.

Mr. Charles W. Bird, of Johnson City, Tenn., is spending a few days in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis F. Stahler, of Waverly, Ohio, arrived yesterday and will spend several days with friends in the city.

Mr. James Atkins, of Waynesville, was in town yesterday.

Mr. J. R. Akers, of Knoxville, is registered at the Berkeley.

Mr. Hector McLean, of Maxton, N. C., is in the city.

Mr. R. L. Greenwood, of Fayetteville, N. C., is at the Berkeley.

Mr. R. W. Enloe, of Hillsboro, was in town yesterday.

Mr. I. D. Sellers, of Maxton, N. C., is spending a few days with Asheville friends.

Mr. Jack Coburn, who has spent several days in Asheville on business, returned to his home in Bryson City yesterday.

J. H. Tucker left yesterday for Charleston, S. C.

Sam T. Dorsett, formerly of this city, left Spencer last night for an extended visit to Florida and Cuba.

Miss Dorothy Lindow has returned from a week's visit with Miss Lena Lewis, of Hendersonville. Several parties were given in honor of Miss Lindow during her stay at Hendersonville.

Mrs. Botta and Miss Kate Wright have gone to Mississippi, where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Prof. W. H. Morton, who has spent several weeks in Spartanburg, has returned to Asheville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Haggerty and Miss Haggerty, of Philadelphia, Pa., have returned to the city to spend the winter. They are accompanied by "Bill" Haggerty.

Col. T. W. Jones, U. S. A., left yesterday after spending several days with friends in the city.

Mrs. A. L. Hitchcock left yesterday for Washington.

Mr. Frank K. Williams, of Buffalo, N. Y., is the guest of friends on Haywood street.

Mrs. Fenton left yesterday for Buffalo.

Miss Burnett, of Del Rio, Tenn., is the guest of Mrs. Canie N. Brown, on Haywood street.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Simmons, of Louisville, Ky., are in the city.

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MUCK RAKING IS CONTINUOUS

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ter's recommendation that the salary of Chief Wilkie of the secret service be raised from \$4,000 to \$6,000 a year will probably be barren of results. If Chief Wilkie retains his position very far into the Taft administration at his present salary he will be very fortunate.

In the meantime the balance of the sixtieth congress promises to be a continuation of the "do-nothing" first session. While whole days are set apart for wrangling between the republican executive supporters and his enemies, no time appears to be available for the discussion of and voting on postal bank, parcels post, corporation regulation or other popular measures. Time which might be devoted to business is being wasted day after day.

The mother of a conscientious little miss, wishing to rid her of the fear of some "cows" in a field through which she had to pass, told her to go right by and pretend she did not see them.

"But mamma," protested the small maid, "wouldn't that be deceiving the cows?" Chicago News.

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Result of Decision of United Hat Manufacturers to Discontinue Use of Label.

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—A general strike of hat makers, that may involve 25,000 workers, was inaugurated in the hat manufacturing centers of the country today as a result of a decision of the United States hat manufacturers to discontinue the use of the label in the factories represented in the association. Reports from various places received here tonight indicate that the hat makers in this vicinity including those in the factories in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut have generally obeyed the order to strike.

There were no signs of disorder anywhere, the hat makers peacefully retiring from the factories when the order to quit work was received. The manufacturers, in explaining their order to discard the union label said it was the result of the failure of the union to keep a working agreement made with the Guyer hat company of Philadelphia. Their action to discontinue the label, they declared, was unanimous.

The leaders of the hat makers on the other hand claim that the step was only the first in an organized and general plan of employers in all lines to do away with the union label and that union labor was prepared to combat it. A conference of representatives of labor unions using labels is to be called by the American Federation of Labor to consider the matter, it was declared, and a large sum of money has been appropriated to carry on the fight.

The manufacturers have called a meeting to be held here Sunday to consider the situation.

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