SOCIETY

The deacons of the First Presbyterian church gave a reception last evening in the annex for the men. The wedding was of interest to the congregation, which was the friends of the young people in attended by a great number of people this city, where they are both well ple. The object of the reception was to bring the members of the church in closer touch and that they might become better acquainted. During the evening Miss Elizabeth Barnes rendered several pleasing vocal selections. Light refreshments were served by the ladies who were the wives of the deacons and who were on the reception committee, of which the committee is a list: Dr. R. F. Campbell, and Mrs. F. E. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. McKee, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jackson, Mr. D. S. Watson, Col. and Mrs. D. M. Hodge, Mr. Claybrook James, Mr. H. Littrell and Mr. J. H. Wright.

The Wranglers have their dinner at the Woman's exchange Monday evening, after which Dr. R. G. Buckner will read a paper on "North Carolina's Claim to Distinction." The respondent will be Mr. R. R. Williams.

The weekly meeting o fThe Strollers, which is usually held on Monday evening, will be postponed next week until Tuesday evening on account of the meeting of The Wranglers, of which Mr. Jordan is a member.

Miss Bessie Lee entertained informally Thursday evening at her residence on Cumberland avenue.

The J. J. F. club has issued invitations to a dance which will be given at the Manor Tuesday evening of next week.

A small luncheon will be given by the teachers of the Normal and Collegiate school today at the Woman's exchange.

Previous to the Dutch supper and smoker that will be given at the Tahkeostee club this evening twenty-five or thirty members of the club will give a stag theatre party at the Grand opera house.

The golf tournament and tea at the Country club this afternoon will be the most important social feature of the day. The playing commences at 3 o'clock promptly. Tea will be served during the afternoon by several ladies who are members of the club. The fair weather which has prevailed this week amply makes up for the unpleasant weather which prevented the last mixed tournament, and it is expected that the members will turn out in force this afternoon.

Miss Alma Jordan entertained the members of the choir of the North Asheville Baptist church last evening at her home on Chestnut street. Various games were played and there was a short musical program, after which Miss Jordan was assisted in serving refreshments by Miss Amy Hackney. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Herren, Miss Vivian Owenby, Miss Amy Hackney, Miss Viola Owenby, Mrs. Harley, Mr. Guy Weaver, Mr. Owenby, Mr. Lindsay and Mr. Reed Regan. Potted palms and ferns and red and white flowers were used to decorate the house.

The ladies of the Christian church hold a cake sale this morning at Noland's grocery store on Pack square.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Treadway entertained with an informal luncheon the latter part of the week, which was followed by music. The guests were Rev. Mr. O'Neill, pastor of the West End Baptist church, and Mrs. O'Neill and their small daughter, Mrs. Allsop, Miss Sidney Roberts, Miss Hyder and Mr. Buckner of Bingham Heights.

A wedding of much interest owing to the prominence of the contracting parties was solemnized by Rev. John Moore at the parsonage of his church in Hendersonville January 10th. Miss Anna Tudor Patton, daughter of Mrs. P. F. Patton of Naples, N. C., was married to Mr. J. Lenoir McDanell. Mr. McDanell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McDanell of Fletcher and is one of the most prosperous young men in that vicinity. Miss Patton is a member of one of the oldest and [illegible] in the state. The wedding [illegible] of interest to the congregation, which was the friends of the young people in this city, where they are both well and favorably known.

Rev. William Lunsford, D. D., of the First Baptist church will speak at the regular vesper service of the Young Women's Christian association Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Hospital on South Main street. The special music will be in charge of Miss Daisy Smith and Miss Kennett. A special invitation is extended to all women of the city and an especial welcome to the young women of Asheville.

Rev. and Mrs. C. Lexander Grau were given a reception Thursday evening at the Depot Presbyterian Sabbath school on Ora street. Rev. and Mrs. Grau, who have but recently returned from their honeymoon, which was spent in Louisville, Ky., were presented with a handsome oak rocking chair on behalf of the teachers, officers and friends of the Sabbath school. A musical program was rendered, after which refreshments were served. Rev. and Mrs. Grau will reside at the parsonage, 37 Ora street, which will be completed within several weeks.

The Children of the Confederacy will meet this morning at 11:30 o'clock in the Confederate hall in the court house. The battle of Big Bethel will be discussed. All who are interested are invited to attend. If there is a veteran in the city who was present at the battle of Big Bethel a special invitation is extended to him to attend the meeting this morning.

Mrs. M. A. Harris entertained with a bridge party at the Knickerbocker during the week. Mrs. Jones of Buffalo won the first prize, which was a silver deposit bottle. Mrs. C. A. Raysor was awarded the second prize, a silver brooch. Mrs. Harris' guests were: Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Raysor, Mr. and Mrs. Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Guerard, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Logan, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Penland, Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Faucette, Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Hunt, Mrs Jones of Buffalo, Miss Wynn of Pittsburg, Miss Frances Hartsell, Miss Agnes Jones of Buffalo, Miss Lottie Salley, Miss Lulu Hartsell, Miss Hannah Salley, Mr. John M. Acee and Mr. Moore.

The at home given by the Misses Wallin and Sullivan at the Young Women's Christian association yesterday afternoon to the nurses of the Asheville registry was largely attended. Light refreshments were served. Among those present were: Mrs. Robinson, Misses Manville, Malarky, Preston, Camp, Colyer, Folson, Ray, Veal, Hardin, Reese, Whalen, Campbell and Bisley.

Dr. and Mrs. Rodney Rush Swope gave a reception last evening at the rectory which was largely attended by their friends, the congregation and members of the choir of All Souls' church. Dr. and Mrs. Swope were assisted in receiving their guests by Mrs. Arthur F. Rees, Mrs. J. M. Horner, Mrs. F. W. W. Graham, Mrs. Harold Swope, Mrs. C. D. Beadles, Miss Annie Williams and Miss Rees. The house was beautifully decorated with a profusion of pink carnations and palms. Mrs. Harold Rees served fruit punch. Among the many guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Settle, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. W. Graham, Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Cheesborough, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Beadles, Dr. and Mrs. John Hay Williams, Mrs. Duff Merrick, Mrs. Philip S. Henry, Mrs. Charles S. Minor, Gen. and Mrs. Theodore F. Davidson, Mrs. A. H. Doyle, Mrs. Frank Chapman, the Misses Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. M. Dunn McKee, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Ravenel, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hamilton, the Misses Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Waddell, Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Elias, Miss Margaret Penniman, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lyman, Miss Maude Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank, Miss Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Childs, Mrs. Glaser, Miss Johns, Miss Stephenson, the Misses Johnston, Miss Belknap, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur, Miss Hattie Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Field, Dr. and Mrs. Charles A. Screck, Miss Thayer, Miss Henderson, Capt. and Mrs. Lipe, Mrs. James Green Martin, Miss Edith Barclay, Rev. Stubbs, Mr. Jerome Harrington, Mr. E. I. Frost, Mr. Elsworth Lyman, Mr. Ward Gregg.

PERSONAL

Miss McKinney of Bakersville, N. C., is visiting the Misses Robson at 45 Montford avenue.

State Senator J. J. Britt is spending the week-end in town.

—:—

Hon. J. G. Grant, congressman-elect, was here yesterday from Hendersonville.

—:—

Mr. Joseph Ruggiero, who has many friends here, is in Asheville to spend the winter.

—:—

Mr. W. B. Riddell of Chattanooga is in the city for a few days on business.

—:—

Mr. W. T. Biggs of Philadelphia is in Asheville for a brief stay.

—:—

Mr. A. J. Brent of Richmond is in the city for several days.

—:—

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Johnston of Staten Ile are spending a few days in Asheville.

—:—

Mr. M. Mooks of Baltimore is in the city for a few days on business.

—:—

Mr. A. A. Caldwallader of Philadelphia is a guest at the Battery Park hotel.

—:—

Mr. A. T. Henry of Boubler, Col., is spending several weeks in the city.

—:—

Mr. T. W. Pritchard of Richmond, Va., is spending a few days in the city on business.

—:—

Mr. Charles E. Breen of Boston is in the city for a short stay.

—:—

Mr. E. DeW. Brenneman has returned to New York, after a brief stay in the city.

—:—

Miss Florence Gordon has gone to Marion to visit friends and relatives.

—:—

Mrs. F. B. Converse and Miss Ellen Converse of Louisville, Ky., are guests at the Battery Park hotel for a few weeks.

—:—

Mr. Norton of Bingham school has gone to Florida, where he accompanied a cadet who was suffering from appendicitis.

—:—

Mr. George D. Fawcett of Mt. Orange, N. C., is in Asheville for a few days.

—:—

Mr. H. W. Nash of Greensboro is in the city.

—:—

Mrs. P. H. Winston and small daughter have gone to Port Gibson, Miss., to visit the parents of Mrs. Winston for several weeks.

—:—

Miss Hattie Kerr, accompanied by little Miss Harriet Boone of Waynesville, returned from the latter city yesterday, after a week's visit.

—:—

Mr. R. S. Gibbs, Sr., and Mr. R. S. Gibbs, Jr., of Mars Hill spent Thursday in town.

—:—

Mr. D. T. Poole of Newman is in the city for a brief stay.

—:—

Mr. J. F. Fogarty of Augusta is a visitor to the city.

—:—

Miss Harriet Burnett, who has been the guest of Mrs. Caney Brown, has returned to her home in Del Rio, Tenn.

—:—

Mrs. Jones and Miss Agnes Jones of Buffalo, N. Y., are spending some time at the Knickerbocker.

—:—

Mr. J. H. Potts, formerly of the Biltmore School of Forestry, has returned to his home in Virginia.

—:—

Mrs. M. E. Barham of Birmingham is visiting her parents in the city and will be joined by Mr. Barham shortly, who is at present in New York. Mrs. Barham was formerly Miss Mattie Bentley of Asheville.

—:—

Miss Wynn of Pittsburg is at the Knickerbocker for a stay of several weeks.

—:—

Mrs. J. M. Hartsell has gone to Charleston, S. C., where she will spend several months.

—:—

Miss Rebecca Cushman left yesterday for Summerville, S. C., where she will be the guest of Mrs. Annie Hughes for a month.

—:—

Mr. J. A. Scott left yesterday for Augusta, after a short stay in the city.

—:—

Mrs. R. E. Fakes has returned from a visit to Washington, after an absence of several weeks.

—:—

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Harker are expected to return today from New York, where they have spent several weeks.

—:—

Mr. T. S. Hand has returned to New York, after a stay at the Battery Park hotel.

—:—

Mr. Brewster Chapman left yesterday for New York, after a stay of several weeks in the city.

—:—

Mrs. Bonham of Richmond, Va., who spent the summer at the Manor, has returned for the winter. Mrs. Bonham will shortly be joined by her sister, Miss Merling, who was very popular during her stay in Asheville last summer.

—:—

Mrs. J. E. Sage has returned from a trip to New York, after a week's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Skinner of Berkeley, Cal., are expected today to visit friends in the city. Mr. Skinner was formerly a student at Weaverville college, and has a number of friends in Asheville.

—:—

Mr. J. Frazier Glenn left last night for Georgia on business. He will return Monday or Tuesday.

—:—

Mrs. Ridgeley Penniman has leased "Elbeman," Victoria road, and will move from "Ridgewood" next week.

—:—

Mr. and Mrs. Philip S. Henry have taken the Reginald De Koven house in Washington, D. C., for the season and leave shortly for that city.

"BOOKY" ARRESTED; RACING STOPPED

Governor Sanders Threatens to Take Hand Unless Betting Ceased.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 22.—After contending for a week the race meet at Suburban Park, Jefferson parish, across the Mississippi river from New Orleans today was closed, at least temporarily. The announcement of suspension was made at the conclusion of the fourth race, shortly after John Sheehan, of Memphis, a bookmaker, had been arrested on the charge of violating the Locke anti-racing law. Sheehan's arrest followed a telegraphic order from Governor Sanders to the district attorney to Jefferson parish. The telegram said that unless the betting on horse races at McDonoghville, as well as the gambling at Southport, are stopped immediately I shall take a hand myself."

Turfman, Jefferson parish officers and the public surmised that if the governor's order was enforced troops would be sent both to the suburban track at McDonoghville, as well as to Southport pool rooms. District Attorney Marrero, of Jefferson Parish, had a consultation with friends as soon as the governor's order came and at the conclusion of the third race, Sheriff Marrero, father of the district attorney, had Sheehan and his clerk, W. E. Ralston, arrested. Sheehan and Ralston will be arraigned before a justice of the peace in Jefferson parish tomorrow.

The contention of the turfmen is that Sheehan and others merely pay the Suburban Racing Association $12 a day for "advance information."

NORTH CAROLINA IN CHARLESTON

CHARLESTON, S. C., Jan. 22.—The cruiser North Carolina, which is to convey President-Elect Taft to Panama, arrived in port today from Norfolk. Mr. Taft will reach here tomorrow morning from Augusta and embark Monday morning at 7.30 a. m. The cruiser Montana to convey the other members of the Taft party will come here Sunday morning.

The east coast herring fishing has been brought to a close and the boats are being rapidly made up and the crews paid off. At Yarmouth and Lowestoft the total catch has been, in round figures, 77,360 lasts, or 1,011,152,000 fish. What the retail value would be is difficult to estimate, but at three a penny—and seldom are they even hawked about the streets at a cheaper rate—the sum works out at £1,404,462.—London News.

PETITION FILED FOR RECEIVER

(By Associated Press.)

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 22.—A petition was filed in the superior court of Fulton county today asking that a receiver be appointed for the $10,000 in bonds deposited with the state treasurer by the Southern Insurance company of New Orleans, which company has been placed in the hands of a receiver through proceedings at New Orleans. Judge Ellis appointed J. L. Riley temporary receiver and set January 29 as the date for final hearing on the petition.

BRYAN A CHANCE FOR SENATORSHIP

(By Associated Press.)

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 22.—The Nebraska house today approved the report of the committee of the whole recommending the passage of the Humphrey's bill for the election of senators by the Oregon plan. This bill will pass both houses. The bill is intended, it is believed to give W. J. Bryan a chance to be elected senator.

Only One "BROMO QUININE"

That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

WHY IT SUCCEEDS

Because It's For One Thing Only, and Asheville People Appreciate This.

Nothing can be good for everything.
Doing one thing well brings success.
Doan's Kidney Pills do one thing only.
They cure sick kidneys.
They cure backache, every kidney ill.
Here is Asheville evidence to prove it.

W. F. Stoner, 26 South Main street, Asheville, N. C., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Dr. Smith's drug store, with satisfactory results and therefore, do not hesitate to recommend them as a reliable remedy. I am confident that if I had used them according to directions, I would now be entirely well. Doan's Kidney Pills, however, gave me great relief from kidney trouble for which I am grateful."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Bon Marche

Large Shipment of Ruchings Just In

The Ruching we have been looking for so long has come to hand. It is indeed beautiful and the ladies who have been waiting for it so patiently are delighted. Most of it is priced at 25c yard. There are some priced higher and some lower.

Last Day of the Muslin Underwear Sale

Today is the last chance to buy our undermuslins at such low prices. We have sold hundreds and hundreds of garments at these low prices but we have still quite an assortment to choose from.

Pretty Spring Skirts Have Been Received

Recently we received a line of extremely pretty Spring Skirts. Come in and see these—you will be surprised at the texture of the cloth and workmanship at the prices they are offered at. They are priced at $5.00 to $20.00.

M. & W. INDIAN COAL FOR SATISFACTION Always.

Carolina Coal & Ice Company

PHONE 130.

NOW OPEN
New York Lunch Room and Restaurant
For Ladies and Gentlemen
11 South Main st

Our Motto for 1909:
"Make all the new friends you can without neglecting old ones."
BURTON & HOLT,
Furniture Dealers,
Patton Ave. and Battery Park Place

M. WEBB
Millinery Importers
No. 6 Battery Park Place, Phone 1044
Asheville, N. C.

SKINNER & HUNTER
Hair Dressing Parlors, room 10, Paragon Bldg. Phone 567. We make a specialty of electrical face and scalp treatments. Latest of everything in Hair Goods and Hair Dressing. Switches and Puffs made from your combings.

MISS CRUISE
HAIR DRESSING PARLORS.
Ground Floor. 25 Hayward St.
Phone 10.
Just received a new line of Combs, Barrettes and Hair Pins in the latest styles. A full line of new Hair Goods. Save your combings and cut hair, we make them up to order.
Manicuring, 50c; Shampooing 50 and 75c; Shampooing and Hairdressing 75c and $1.00. Electric Scalp and Facial Massage. Chiropody Work for Ladies and Gentlemen.

The Asheville School of Music and Dramatic Art
THE AUDITORIUM
Phone 344

CORSETS CLEANED.
We can take a badly soiled corset and clean and freshen it until almost good as new. Prices reasonable.
Queen City Dyeing and Cleaning Works
11 Church Street. Phone 2110.

CUT PRICES PIPES.
Never were such bargains offered. $2.50 to 4.00 Pipes we offer for $1.99.
WELLS' SMOK SHOP.

La Grecque Corsets.
For every type of figure.
GREENE & CO.,
12 Church Street.

D. R. McKINNON
7 Patton Avenue
(Over Redwood's Store.)
Ladies and Gentlemens TAILOR

CHIROPRACTIC
Chiropractic adjustments (treatment) has been endorsed by Governors, many U. S. and State Senators and thousands of Citizens of other states as being the most advanced and modern method in removing abnormalities or diseases that the human body is heir to.
We court investigation.
Incurable cases our specialty.
DR. C. F. COMPTON AND DR. J. A. MATHIS, CHIROPRACTORS.
Legal Bldg. South of Fountain.
Phone 621. Asheville, N. C.

We sell the latest styles of Winter Hats cheaper than you can buy them from the big mail order houses.
Paris Millinery
7 SOUTH MAIN STREET

Strouse's High-Art Clothing

The kind that fits superbly and that holds its shape and color. We have it in generous supply—some six or eight late cuts—in the new shadings. At from $12.50 to $18. You will find great merchandise nearly up to custom work. Also Bargains at $7.50, $10, and $12.50—formerly $10, $15, and $18.
Underwear, $1.00 Fine Colored Shirts (goods of $1.25, $1.50, and $1.75 grades), Scarfs, Gloves, etc.

H. Redwood & Co.

Our constant aim is to serve Dairy Products of the highest quality, absolutely clean and sweet. We guarantee all our products and are glad of an opportunity to redeem anything found unsatisfactory. But we try to maintain such a high standard that everything will be highly SATISFACTORY, and we believe we are succeeding.

In addition to MILK and CREAM we make a specialty of FANCY CREAMERY BUTTER and EXTRA RICH ICE CREAM.

Our prices are reasonable and our service prompt and courteous. May we not serve you?

Asheville Pure Milk Company
PHONE 554.

FRESH FRUITS

This shop's heavy traffic in fruits enables us to supply the best and the freshest at prices less than the ordinary. Two hundred sweet, juicy Florida Oranges are now being sold at 25 cents a dozen. The size is much larger than the price suggests.

OWNBEY'S
25 Montford Ave. Phone 56.

New
EMBROIDERED STIFF COLLARS
Keiser Hand-Made
25cts, 50cts and $1.00

We have just received an entirely new line of stiff fold collars, hand embroidered from the Keiser shops. Full range of sizes from 12 to 14; white and colored embroidery in dainty fresh designs. The 25 cts collar deserves especial mention for its value at the price; is worth 35 cts., but we had to have a 25 cts. collar and decided on a good one.

A genuine Irish crochet stiff collar $1.50
Jabot to match $5.00
Net and lace soft collars, ruching top and bottom, ribbon band and bow 35 cts. to $1.50
Some left over special value jabots at — 39 cts., 59 cts. and 79 cts.
Lace and Ribbon Butterfly Bows .. 25 cts. to $1
Special Odds and Ends in Bows and Collars ..... 19 cts

M. V. MOORE
WOMAN'S FURNISHER
11 Patton Avenue.

"THE STORE OF MODERN WAYS"
INCORPORATED NONE PEERLESS BETTER DRY GOODS CO.
51 PATTON AVE. PHONE 336
ASHEVILLE N.C.

Our Embroidery Sale Ends Today

If you haven't attended this sale yet, come in today and buy some of these embroideries and save money.

Our Muslin Underwear Sale begins Monday morning. See list of prices in this evening's paper and also Sunday's paper.