

SOCIETY NEWS

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Miss Minnie Little and Yates Edgerton to Wed in November.
Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips Little, of Myers Park, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Minnie Everett, to Yates Edgerton, of Kenly, N. C.

News of the engagement of Miss Little and Mr. Edgerton will be of absorbing interest throughout North Carolina and especially in Rockingham, where Miss Little has spent much time, and where the Little ancestral home is.

Miss Little is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips Little, the former one of Charlotte's most prominent citizens and successful contractors. She was educated at the Fustifer School at Hendersonville, and at Queens College, in this city. During the war, Miss Little gave a great deal of her time to Red Cross work. She enlisted her car in the Women's Motor corps of the Red Cross, and also was one of the most active workers in the Charlotte canteen of the Red Cross. She is one of Charlotte's most charming young women, and is exceptionally pretty, being a petite brunette, with gracious manners and winning personality.

Mr. Edgerton is the eldest son of H. F. Edgerton and the late Mrs. Edgerton, of Kenly, N. C., the former a leading merchant of that place. Mr. Edgerton is a graduate of Trinity College, and a member of the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity. During the war, he was in the naval aviation, receiving his training at Pensacola, Fla., and being in France about a year. Mr. Edgerton is a young man of remarkable business ability. For two years he has been manager of the Carolina Corbett Company, of this city, and later held an important position with the International Harvester Company. At present he is associated with his father in the mercantile business in Kenly. Mr. Edgerton possesses sterling qualities and has made many friends during his residence in Charlotte.

Luncheon for Misses Chambers and Gibbons, Brides-Elect.

With two of October's charming brides-to-be as honorees, Miss Anne Dewey Chambers and Miss Nancy Rogers Gibbons, B. Bryant and Mrs. Heath Nisbet were luncheon hostesses at the Charlotte Country Club, having as their guests a few intimate friends of Misses Chambers and Gibbons.

The marriage of Miss Chambers to Edward Yates Keesler, on October 8, and the marriage of Miss Gibbons to John R. Pender, Jr., or Tarboro, on October 26, are two approaching nuptial events of cordial social interest in North Carolina's highest social life.

Mrs. Bryant's guests included Misses Chambers, Miss Gibbons, Mrs. Robert L. Gibbons, Miss Corinne Gibbons, Miss Sarah Mellon, Miss Helen Parker, Miss Nancy Shelton, Miss Deane Van Landingham and guest, Miss Mary Elizabeth Caldwell, of Birmingham, Miss Elizabeth Miller, Miss Charlotte Abbott, Miss Catherine Gilmer, Miss Mary Stuart Alexander, Miss Julia Baxter Scott.

Miss Gary Hartsell Bride of C. S. Byers.

Miss Gary Hartsell and C. S. Byers, both popular young people of the city, were quietly married last Tuesday evening at the home of Rev. Daniel Iverson, pastor of the Tenth Avenue Presbyterian church.

Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Byers were entertained at a dinner-party at the Selwyn hotel by a number of their friends.

Mrs. Byers wore a modish brown traveling dress, with accessories to match.

Mr. and Mrs. Byers have gone to Concord to visit relatives.

Upon their return, Mr. and Mrs. Byers expect to be here a while, after which it is very likely that they will move to Greensboro.

Mrs. Byers is to her marriage, was one of Charlotte's most popular and efficient trained nurses. She is a very pretty, charming brunette, and has a host of friends here and in Concord, her native city.

Mr. Byers is a well-known young man of the city. He came here from Gaffney, S. C., and for some time has held a position with Gilmer-Moore Shoe Company.

Mr. Van Landingham Dinner Host.

Ralph Van Landingham, Jr., was dinner host at the Charlotte Country Club Saturday evening in honor of Miss Mary Elizabeth Caldwell, of Birmingham, who is visiting Miss Deane Van Landingham, and Ben Finney, of Kingsboro, who is visiting Mr. Van Landingham, Mr. Finney, Tommy Hawkins, Randolph Scott.

Victor Bryson Shaw, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor B. Shaw are being congratulated upon the birth of a son, Victor Bryson Shaw, Jr., at the Presbyterian Hospital, on Friday.

Miss Josephine Draddy Bride of Harry O. Grose.

An interesting marriage took place last Tuesday evening, when Miss Josephine Draddy became the bride of Harry O. Grose. The ceremony took place at 8 o'clock at the rectory of St. Peter's Catholic church, the pastor, Rev. Father Anthony, officiating.

Only about twenty-five friends were present.

The bride was charmingly attired in a traveling suit of gray, fur trimmed with accessories to match, and small feather hat.

Following the ceremony, an informal reception was held at the home of the bride on East Boulevard, Dilworth.

Refreshments were served.

After the reception, Mr. and Mrs. Grose left for a short bridal trip North. They will make their home in this city in the future.

The bride is the second daughter of Mr. D. Draddy, and is originally of New York, but has been living here for the past five years, during which time she has won a host of friends. She is one of the most popular young business women of the city, being connected with the Postal Telegraph company. In type, she is a petite brunette and is vivacious and attractive.

Mr. Grose is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Grose of Charlotte. He is connected with the National Amalgam and Chemical company, and is a popular young man of the city.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding were William J. McCormack and Thomas Draddy both of New York.

Mecklenburg Chapter to Observe Chapter Day With Musical Tea.

A delightful patriotic affair of the week will be the musical tea to be given by the Mecklenburg Chapter, D. A. R., in observance of Chapter Day, on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. W. H. Belk on Hawthorne Lane.

Chapter Day is observed annually, and is always the initial gathering of the chapter for the winter season. Mrs. John R. Irwin is regent of the chapter.

Mrs. Margaret Kelly Abernethy is chairman of the program for the occasion, which is as follows:

1. "America," sung by entire chapter.
2. Solo by Miss Elizabeth Starr, teacher of voice at Queens College.
3. Piano solo by Miss Flora Brastington, graduate of Queens, and a teacher of music at that institution.
4. Solo by Miss Delphine March, New York contralto soloist here with the Made-in-Carolina Exposition.
5. "Star Spangled Banner," by chapter, with accompaniment by Mrs. I. Connor Sherrill.

Myatt-Travis Invitations.

The following invitations have been received in Charlotte:

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stanford Travis invite you to be present at the marriage of their daughter, Mary Ellen, to Mr. Troy McNeill Myatt, on Wednesday evening, the fifth of October, nineteen hundred and twenty-one, at half past eight o'clock, at Grace Episcopal church, Weldon, North Carolina.

Dining at Country Club.

Among those having guests for dinner at the Charlotte Country Club Saturday evening were Stuart Gilchrist, who entertained 4; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Monday, 8; William Deisinger, 2; Mr. and Mrs. Rogers Davis, 3; Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Alexander, 4.

Miss Boice Arrives Monday.

Miss Delta Ruth Boice, of Kings-town, N. Y., is expected to arrive in the city Monday, to spend her second winter in Charlotte, teaching dancing. She will again be at the Woman's Club, Miss Boice will resume her classes the first of October. She is a charming young woman, and was accorded a warm welcome to society last winter. She will be welcomed back by the many friends she made last winter.

Business-Professional Women to Meet.

The regular September meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club will be held Thursday of this week, the meeting being in the form of a supper in the private dining room of the Guthery apartments at 6:30 p. m. It being the first gathering of members this fall, the occasion will be made a get-together one. Miss Lois Trotter, chairman of the program committee, is arranging for several short vocational talks to members.

Miss Jeanne MacMillan, president, will preside at Thursday's meeting.

Richard Donelli to Sing.

A special feature of the Sunday evening service at the Second Presbyterian church this evening will be the solo, "The Psalmist," to be rendered by Richard Donelli, one of the artists here in connection with the Made-in-Carolina exposition.

Dr. McGeachy's subject for the sermon will be "Joseph."



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Y. W. C. A. Notes of Interest.

The Y. W. C. A. considers itself fortunate to have in a class in business, as teacher of the classes in French, of Madame W. A. Kennedy, who is a native Parisian and who is living in Charlotte at the present time because of her husband's business. She is especially well qualified to instruct in French, having been a student at the famous University of the Sorbonne in Paris as well as the pupil of the best private teachers. Her residence has been in the French capital until the last few years. There will be classes for adults for children meeting time.

The educational department of the association has arranged to have business subjects taught evenings for the benefit of girls who are occupied during the day. This season typewriting will be taught as there was such a demand for it last year. The Gregg system of shorthand will be taught, and there will also be a class in business English. The instructors in these subjects are Mrs. Myrtle Asbury, head of the business department of the Alexander Graham High School, and Miss Jennie Price.

An auto-mechanics class is being formed. Classes in current events and civics will be offered this year.

The military classes have continued through the summer, and will be carried on the entire year as the demand for them continues. Miss Emma Covington is the capable instructor of both the day and evening classes.

The educational clubs and classes will begin the week of October 10.

In addition to the distinctly educational classes, the educational department is offering this fall educational or cultural clubs. The choral club will continue under the leadership of Miss Ruth Hanna, under whom the club was such a success last year. The dramatic club will be led this season by Mrs. Galloway Ross. The club is expecting to present several one-act plays during the year under the guidance of Mrs. Ross. Plans have been made for continuing along this line. An astronomy club is in process of formation. Any girls who are interested in any of these clubs are invited to confer with the leaders.

The nurses at the Charlotte Sanatorium are having, this season, under the auspices of the Young Women's Christian Association educational department, a literary club. Its meeting time is Saturday at 7 o'clock. Talks to the club will be given by various Charlotte people, and the subjects will range from current events to a review of a current novel or play.

Many requests have come to the association for a morning Bible class and for Mrs. E. M. Cole as the leader. This class will begin on Tuesday, October 4, and will continue for eight weeks, the hour being 10:30 o'clock. This course consists in readings in the Gospel of Luke, three chapters being taken up at each weekly meeting. The discussion method will be used. All women who are interested in such a course are urged to avail themselves of this opportunity for the study of Luke.

Rev. A. A. Penick, Jr., will conduct a Bible class at the association, beginning Tuesday, October 11, at 6:30 o'clock. The course will last six weeks, and the subject will be "The Sermon on the Mount."

Miss Young Sails.

Miss Willie Young sailed Saturday from New York for England, where for a year she will study at the University of London. Miss Young is a noted artist, and has had special training some time overseas during the war with the Y. W. C. A. workers. She has held an important position in the work of the South Atlantic field for some time past, and is extremely efficient in her work. She is the only daughter of A. M. Young, of this city.

Mrs. Price to Honor Miss Davis, October Bride-Elect.

Mrs. Cameron Price will entertain at a theater party to "The Affairs of Anatol," Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in honor of Miss Sarah Adelaide Davis, a lovely bride-to-be of October, whose marriage to Randall Brookes will take place on October 6.

Mrs. Ball to Entertain For Miss Davis, Bride-Elect.

Complimenting Miss Sarah Adelaide Davis, whose marriage to Randall Brookes on October 6 is an approaching nuptial event of much interest, Mrs. James D. Ball will be bridge hostess at her home on Tenth Avenue Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Gym Notes From Y. W. C. A. Esthetic and Folk Dancing.

A new and interesting feature which has been added to the physical work of the Y. W. C. A., this year is the esthetic and folk dancing classes.

There will be a class for business women which will meet Monday evenings at 6:30 o'clock and one for children between the ages of six and ten years which will meet Saturday mornings at 11 o'clock.

The last year members of the business women's gymnasium classes of the Y. W. C. A., had a very enjoyable picnic at Lakeview Friday evening.

After the supper short business meeting took place, at which time it was decided that another contest for members in the business women's classes would be held. They are to be three teams, the "G," "Y" and "M" teams.

At the end of the contest, the two losing sides will give a banquet to the winning team. The captains elected were as follows: G team, Miss Mary Grier; Y team, Miss Louise Carr; M team, Miss Louise Erwin. The teams have already begun working and the enthusiasm is increasing rapidly.

The morning class for women looks very encouraging this year. Last year from a small beginning it grew to be a very good class and this year the prospects are still better.

Miss Withers' House Party.

Miss Bennie Withers is hostess to a delightful week-end house party at her home on 11th Avenue, the party being composed of Miss Hannah Jane Blair, of Monroe, Miss Evelyn Smith, of Wadesboro, Dr. Dennis Keel, of Rialto, and Miss Harry Keel, of Rialto.

Friday evening, Miss Withers entertained her guests at a pretty little informal dinner at the Guthery apartments dining room.

Called to Baltimore by Death of Mother.

Mr. and Mrs. James Alden Houston have been called to Baltimore, Md., by the death of Mr. Houston's mother, which occurred several days ago. Mrs. Houston will be buried in Arlington cemetery.

Mrs. Henderson to Entertain Duplicate Club.

Mrs. Thomas Henderson will be hostess to the Duplicate Bridge Club Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock at her home in Myers Park.

Dr. Brookes Addresses Teachers.

Dr. E. C. Brookes, of Raleigh, State Superintendent of Schools, was a prominent guest to the city on Monday, when he addressed the teachers' meeting at the Charlotte High School Saturday morning.

While in the city, Dr. Brookes was the guest of Superintendent of the City Schools Harry P. Harding and Mrs. Harding.

Mrs. Worth to Durham.

Mrs. Alex Worth who, for some weeks past, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Walker, on Park avenue, Dilworth, will leave Monday for Durham, accompanied by her two children, Alex, Jr., and Martha Hannah, to join Mr. Worth. The Worths have made their home in Wilmington ever since their marriage, but recently moved to Durham, Mr. Worth has been there for some time. They have rented an apartment.

Girl Scouts Like.

Troop No. One of the Girl Scouts of St. Martin's Episcopal church enjoyed a day in the country Saturday. They rode to Durham, accompanied by her two children, Alex, Jr., and Martha Hannah, to join Mr. Worth. The Worths have made their home in Wilmington ever since their marriage, but recently moved to Durham, Mr. Worth has been there for some time. They have rented an apartment.

Dance at Woman's Club After Football Game.

An interesting event of the week in the younger set will be the "script" dance at the Woman's Club Friday evening from 9 till 12. The dance will follow the football game between Charlotte High school and Baird's Preparatory school, and it is expected that a number of visitors from different high schools of neighboring towns will be in attendance.

An orchestra will furnish music and the dance promises to be one of the most enjoyable affairs of the Autumn.

Circle Meeting.

Circle No. 1 of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Miss Hattie Cooper, 204 Central avenue.

To Holton Arms.

Leaving Wednesday for the Holton Arms School at Washington will be Miss Catherine Morehead, Miss Calvine and Miss Kathryn Shelton and Miss Hamlin Landis.

This will be Miss Morehead's third and Miss Scott's second year there, while Miss Shelton and Miss Landis are to enter, the former having previously attended Mary Baldwin Seminary, Staunton, Va., and the latter St. Mary's College, at Raleigh.

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"Mystic Isles of the South Seas," by Pdererick O'Brien. Once more the author has captured between the book covers the witchery of the far South Sea Isles. The new book, like "White Shadows in the South Seas" is not more and romance and philosophy and pathos—a rich book in the fullest sense of the word.

In Honor of Miss Morrison.

Miss Sara Kelly gave a luncheon at the Charlotte Country Club in honor of Miss Ida Morrison, of Raleigh guest of Mrs. W. H. Willard, which was a very charming affair.

The guests were: Miss Morrison, Mrs. W. B. Willard, Mrs. Benjamin W. Brown, of Washington, Mrs. Samuel W. Finch of Lexington; Mrs. Harry L. Zeigler and Miss Elizabeth Conrad.

Pageant To Present.

A missionary pageant will be presented by the Epworth of the Breward Street Methodist church in the Sunday school room of Tryon Street Methodist church this evening at 7 o'clock, it was announced by Miss Ouida Moore, district secretary.

This pageant will replace the usual Sunday evening Epworth League program. It was explained that Miss Moore said the league hoped the presentation would be attended by many young people of Charlotte who are not members of the league, as well as those who are members.

Miss Robinson Improving.

Miss Edith Houser Robinson is improving following a serious operation at the Presbyterian hospital.

Berryhill Family Reunion.

The Berryhill family will hold its reunion on Wednesday, at the old Berryhill home on the Dowd road.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. John Hastings Cutter and Miss Catherine Gilmer left Saturday night for New York where they will spend a week.

Mrs. W. B. Conwell and twin daughters, Louise and Marie, of Brownsville, Pa., are spending a week in Camden, S. C., with Miss Katherine Blakely. Miss Blakely's approaching marriage to Ernest M. Spong of this city, is an approaching event of much interest in both the Carolinas.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Weldon, of Albany, Ga., arrived in the city Friday and are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hannon, the latter their daughter, at their home in Myers Park. They made the trip through the country in their car. They will be with the Hannon for several weeks.

Ben Finney, of Kingsboro, is spending several days in the city as the guest of Ralph Van Landingham, Jr., on the Plaza, Chatham Estate.

Miss Helen Freeman, of Tampa, Fla., and Miss Elizabeth Towell, of Orlando, Fla., arrived in the city Friday night from Little Switzerland where they have spent the greater part of the summer, for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Quintard at their home on East Seventh street. They will be here about a week. They will return to Little Switzerland for a short week before returning home.

Miss Grace Gorris, of Columbia, S. C., spent Friday and Saturday in city enroute to Baltimore, where she will visit her uncle, J. A. Howard.

Alex Davis, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Rogers Davis, is visiting relatives in Seagirt, N. J. On Tuesday, he will be to Tarrytown-on-the-Hudson, N. Y., to resume his studies at the Hamilton School.

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