

# SOCIETY NEWS

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## Marriage Of Interest.

Interesting a number of friends was the marriage Thursday evening of Mrs. Allie Mac Sharp Melvin and George Wilbur Taylor, which was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Sharpe, West Seventh street, Rev. Henry Grady Hardin, pastor of Tryon Street Methodist church, officiating.

The wedding company consisted of 50 guests or more representing relatives and friends of both bride and groom. Attending the bride as maid of honor was Miss Josephine Boyd, and acting as best man was S. C. Wood. The bridal music was played by D. L. Sharpe.

The bride was handsome in a suit of brown velour with mole trimmings and accessories to match. Her corsage was of roses and lilies of the valley. The house was elaborately decorated for the wedding occasion, chrysanthemums and roses being used in the ceremony room, hall and dining room.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor left immediately for Prosperity, S. C., to spend several days with Mr. Taylor's father. From there they go North on a stay of a fortnight. The bride is handsome and attractive and has a wide range of friends.

Mr. Taylor is a native of Prosperity, S. C., but has lived in Charlotte for several years, being connected with the Southeastern Express service. He commands a host of friends in both Carolinas.

## Book Clubs Meeting Friday.

Practically all of the book clubs will meet Friday afternoon. The Eclectic meets with Mrs. J. Hirschinger at her home on Louise Avenue; the Dolly Madison with Mrs. M. M. Murphy, North College street; the Research with Mrs. J. M. Jamison, Providence Road, Myers Park; the Athenae with Mrs. Margaret Kelly Abernethy, East Boulevard; the Virginia Dare with Mrs. Latta C. Johnston, North Tryon; the Renaissance with Mrs. David Clark, Myers Park; the Cheldon with Mrs. Robert L. Tate, Providence Road, Myers Park; the Cranford with Mrs. P. S. Gilchrist, Park Avenue, Dilworth.

## Mr. Smith's Condition Serious.

The condition of G. M. Smith, of Manning, S. C., who has been undergoing treatment at the Charlotte Sanatorium for several months, is regarded as serious. Mrs. Smith was here several days ago to see her husband and is expected again Saturday.

## Christmas Cake Sales.

Circle No. C, of Tryon Street Methodist church Friday inaugurated the first of several cake sales to be held by the circle during the pre-Christmas season. The sale was held at Ivey's, Mrs. J. J. Akers the directing head.

## B. C. W. Sunday School Class Entertained.

The B. C. W. Sunday School Class of Trinity Methodist Church was entertained Tuesday evening by the teacher, Miss Winnie White, at her home, 6 West Bland street.

Officers were elected for the ensuing year. Harry Carson was elected president, Mason Payne vice president, Franklin Jones, secretary and treasurer, assistant, William Redfern.

An absente committee of five were appointed, namely: Bernard Trexler, Walter Spearman, John Hester, Darius Shimer, George Ragby.

Service committee, Jack Montgomery, Norman Harton, Glenn Owen, Robert Cooke, Charles Johns, Walter Black. The class colors are purple and gold; flower, pansy, motto: "Onward." After the business was completed the evening was spent in playing games, a guessing contest, Walter Spearman and John Hester won the prizes after which a reading was given by Evelyn Scott Dean.

The rooms were decorated with yellow and white chrysanthemums. Refreshments were served by Catherine Ledwell and Evelyn Scott Dean.

## Miss Mayhew Entertains.

Miss Della Mayhew delightfully entertained the members of the girls' senior class of Villa Heights A. R. P. Sunday school and a number of friends at her home on Twenty-first street Thursday night.

After a short class meeting, games were played and refreshments served. The following were present: Misses Margaret and Minnie Potat, Thelma Grier, Annie Pyron, Gladys Chambers, Grace Miller, Sadie Belle Miller, Jessie Stickleather, Messrs. Herbert Grier, Jenks Thomas, Paul Penny, Charleston Grier, Kenneth Woodside, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Auten, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kale.

## Mrs. Wood Honors Charming Visitor.

A charming hospitality of the forenoon was a breakfast which Mrs. Wood H. Wood gave at her home on Queens Road, Myers Park, for Mrs. James Wharton, Glenn, of Winston-Salem, guest of Mrs. Eben Hutchison in the center of the table was a silver basket of lovely roses, and at each plate were name cards, dainty and pretty.

Invited to meet Mrs. Glenn were 11 of Mrs. Wood's special friends, all acquaintances of Mrs. Glenn. A course breakfast of four courses was served.

## To Arrange for Bazaar.

The Ladies of Charity will have a special meeting Friday night at O'Donoghue Hall to make arrangements for the bazaar to be held next week.

## Benedicts Give First Dance of Season Friday Night.

The Benedicts inaugurate their season Friday night with the first of three dinner dances which they give during the winter, the dates of the other two being January 6, and February 13.

The series are held at the Charlotte CoCountry club. Each event is epochal with the young married set, preparations for each dance being elaborate in gowning, in every other detail that makes the Benedict ensemble famous for elegance and social prestige.

The dinner dance will be held in the ball room of the tables accommodating four each being placed throughout the room. The decorations consist of American Beauty roses and smilax. Generous garlands of smilax are suspended from the chandelier to the corners of the room with many garlands intervening. The mantel is smothered in smilax and American Beauty roses, and on each table is a silver vase of roses, the effect beautiful and inspiring.

After the dinner, which will be an elaborate course affair, the tables will be removed for dancing. Music will be furnished throughout the evening by the southern Melody Sextette.

Before going into the dining room the ladies will draw for the lady's prize, always handsome and valuable.

The Benedicts list includes Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. W. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. John Bass Brown, Mr. and Mrs. William Jennings Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bryce, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Chatham, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Coddington, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers Davis, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Draper, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. Yates Faison, Mr. and Mrs. Lee A. Folger, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Gaston G. Galloway, Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Goff, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Graham, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hook, Mr. and Mrs. Eben N. Hutchison, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton C. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. William Myers Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Peter W. D. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lassiter, Mr. and Mrs. B. Rush Lee, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Ike C. Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel R. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wilson Moore, Mr. and Mrs. John Lindsay Morehead, Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. McAden, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. McCollough, Dr. and Mrs. M. C. White, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Oates, Mr. and Mrs. William Haskell Percher, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Van Landingham, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. VanNess, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Wadsworth, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. C. Wadsworth, Col. and Mrs. T. H. White, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilkes, Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Moore Young.

The officers of the Benedicts are: Ralph Van Landingham, president; Jeremiah Goff, vice president; Frank M. Caldwell, secretary and treasurer.

Executive committee, Ernest Ellison, Robert Lassiter, and E. C. Marshall.

Benedict members having guests for are Mr. and Mrs. Van Landingham who have with them, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shuford, of Hickory; Mr. and Mrs. Eben Hutchison, who have as guest, Mrs. James Wharton Glenn, of Winston-Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Jones, who have as guest Mrs. Walter Brookes, of Detroit.

Stags are John Hhuske, J. H. Van Ness, Jr., Charles Collins, John Durham, E. C. Griffith, Bobo Tanner, Moabane Long, Edward Dowd, Wilson Cosby, Dr. James Gibbon, W. E. Chambers, Billy Osborne, Willis Hunter, Jo O'Brien, Stuart Gilchrist.

## Mr. Henderson and Bride Arrive.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Henderson have arrived in the city from their bridal trip, and for the present, until they build, they are with Mr. Henderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Henderson at their home in Myers Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson were married in Eberston, Ga., November 18, Mrs. Henderson being, before marriage, Miss Frances Pitts, of that city. As Mr. Henderson's bride she will be royally welcomed in Charlotte.

## Personals

Mrs. H. Victor Arnau left several days ago for Florida, joining Dr. Arnau at St. Augustine, where both will remain until after the holidays. They will make a tour of the State before returning to North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Graham Fitz Simons are at present in New York, staying at the Ambassador hotel. They are expected to reach Charlotte by the first of the week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Whittman, at the Presbyterian Hospital, a daughter, Mary Alice.

Mrs. Jeremiah Goff has returned from Winston-Salem where she went to attend the funeral of Mrs. Macy E. Norfleet, mother of Mrs. Baxter Moore. Mrs. Norfleet was prominently known in Charlotte where she frequently visited.

Mrs. E. B. Dickson will make her home this winter in the Guthery Apartments. She formerly resided with Mr. and Mrs. Laurie C. Dickson, the former her son.

Julian H. Little, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Little and others of the two families have gone to Little's Mills, near Rockingham, to be at the bedside of their mother, Mrs. John P. Little, who has been exceedingly ill for several days. Mrs. Little is more than 90 years of age. Later reports as to her condition were to the effect that she is very ill.

Dr. J. E. Abernathy, new pastor of Trinity church, will address the Men's Bible class of the Central Methodist church of Monroe Friday night, delivering his famous lecture on "The Bible."

Dr. W. W. Orr, pastor of The Tabernacle, has returned from Nashville, Tenn. where he has been engaged for two weeks holding evangelistic services.

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