

# SOCIETY NEWS

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## Neal Sustare.

A marriage of interest to a wide circle of friends was that of Miss Zaida Sustare of Matthews and Claude Lewellyn Neal of Meadows, which was solemnized Wednesday evening at the parsonage of the First Baptist church, Charlotte, the pastor, Rev. Dr. Luther Little, performing the ceremony. Only relatives and a few friends of the young couple witnessed the ceremony. Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. Neal and his bride left for a bridal trip north. Upon their return, they will make their home in Meadows.

Mrs. Neal is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Sustare of Matthews, and is an attractive and popular young lady, having many friends throughout the county.

Mr. Neal is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Neal of Meadows, and is a progressive young business man of that section.

## Miscellaneous

**Shower.**  
Mrs. T. H. Campbell entertained at her home Thursday afternoon, in honor of her sister, Miss Bertha Austin, a bride-elect. The home was decorated with holly wreaths and Christmas bells. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Campbell, assisted by Miss Thelma Rucker and Miss Dora Austin.

A feature of the afternoon was the miscellaneous shower given for Miss Austin, in which she received many useful and attractive gifts from her friends. The shower was presented by her three little nieces, Iola and Geneva Campbell, and Lavellette Smith, and Master Johnnie Deaton.

The guests were Mesdames R. J. Austin, A. B. Jordan, I. G. Deaton, H. B. Hasty, S. S. Smith, Clinton Douglas, Curtis Long, Z. E. Hummeryott, Murray Crowell, George Crosby, T. G. Prophet, W. Rucker, Oscar Bartlett, R. H. Taylor, and Misses Thelma Rucker, Dora and Bertha Austin, Florence and Thelma Helms, and Fannie Hartis.

## D. A. R. Dance

Friday Evening.  
Much interest and patriotic interest is centered in the ball to be given Friday evening by the Mecklenburg chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, in the city auditorium, between the hours of 9 and 1 o'clock. Music for dancing will be furnished by the Merry-makers.

The proceeds of the ball are to be used toward building a monument on the site of Camp Greene in memory of the men who trained there during the World War. Heading the monument committee are Miss Cordelia White Phifer, Mrs. J. P. Caldwell, Miss Laura Grubbs and Mrs. Jeremiah Coff.

## Mrs. Ross Entertains.

Mrs. Edwara Stitt Ross entertained very charmingly at her home on Kings-ton avenue, Dilworth, Thursday afternoon, in honor of her sister, Mrs. Junius M. Smith of Winston-Salem, who is visiting her, and Mrs. Yates Edgerton of Kenly, formerly Miss Minnie Little of Charlotte, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Little.

Mrs. Ross greeted her guests dressed in black Chantilly lace over King's blue satin; Mrs. Smith wore black lace, and a corsage of Parma violets; and Mrs. Edgerton was attired in navy blue Canton crepe, with small tomato-colored hat, trimmed in ostrich.

The Christmas motif was prettily used in the informal decorations of the home.

The prize for the highest score was won by Miss Elizabeth Miller. The honor guests received honor prizes. The five table-prizes were cut as follows: Miss Elsie Palmer, Miss Katherine McDonald, Miss Janet Fairley of Rockingham, Miss Elizabeth Roark, and Mrs. Charles Thomas.

After the game was concluded and the prizes awarded, Mrs. Ross served a creamed chicken course with accessories.

The guests were Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Edgerton and guest, Miss Janet Fairley of Rockingham, Misses Hattie and Elizabeth Roark, Miss Julia Hagood, Miss Elizabeth Miller, Mrs. Ernest M. Spong, Mrs. Cameron Price, Mrs. Charles Thomas, Miss Alice Walker, Misses Gladys and Elsie Palmer, Miss Margaret Forke, Miss Ruth Crowell and guest, Miss Gertrude Dickinson of Dalton, Ga., Miss Katherine McDonald, Miss Virginia Ryder, Miss Ruth Chapman and Miss Alethia Bland.

## Miss Dickinson Entertains.

Miss Gertrude Dickinson entertained at her home on North College street Monday afternoon, in honor of her two cousins, Miss Annie Mary Watkins and Miss Corille Avant, of Tennille, Ga., who are spending the winter with her also Mrs. Jack Davis, a bride of the past week, who was formerly Miss Margaret Porter of Charlotte. The home was decorated with Christmas greens and Killarney roses. During the afternoon, Miss Dickinson served a salad course with accessories. Each of the honor guests received a pretty gift from the hostess.

Miss Dickinson and each of the honorees wore dark blue, and Miss Dickinson wore a corsage of sweet peas and roses. Mrs. Davis wore Brides' roses. Thirty guests enjoyed the hospitality.

## Dance At Charlotte Country Club.

There will be a dance given at the Charlotte Country Club Saturday evening, New Year's Eve, for the members of the club, their families and house-guests, which will be preceded by dinner, from 6:30 to 8 o'clock. Music for the dance will be furnished by the Southern Melody sextette, and dancing will continue until midnight.

Miss Jancy Fairley of Rockingham, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Yates Edgerton, of Kenly at the home of Mrs. Edgerton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Little, in Myers Park.



## Fashion's Forecast

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## Silver Anniversary of Dr. and Mrs. Pressly.

Attesting the esteem in which Dr. George W. Pressly, eminent surgeon of the city, and his family are held, hundreds of their friends of Charlotte called at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Pressly, 1508 Elizabeth Avenue, Thursday night to attend a reception, celebrating the 25th anniversary of their marriage. The hours were from 8 to 11 o'clock.

Eloquent tribute to Dr. Pressly among surgeons and physicians of Charlotte was a handsome chest of silver, a full 120 pieces, a gift from the surgeons and physicians of the city. Another handsome gift was a silver berry set from the officers of East Avenue Tabernacle. Another was a silver dessert set from the family of Rev. Dr. W. W. Orr, pastor of East Avenue Tabernacle, where Dr. Pressly and family are loyal members and Dr. Pressly is superintendent of the Sunday school. The Charlotte chapter of the Women's College Alumnae Association, Due West, S. C., sent a gift of a handsome silver basket of unique design. Mrs. Pressly is a member of the annual chapter. Nurses of the Presbyterian Hospital, where Dr. Pressly is a constant practitioner, sent a silver salad service; Dr. Charles P. Pressly, of Augusta, Ga., for 12 years American vice consul in Paris, sent a silver service, and the Charlotte W. C. T. U. chapter gave a handsome silver tray of elegant design. There were more than 200 gifts, aggregating several thousand dollars.

As the guests arrived they were met at the door by Miss Jean Pressly and Miss Elizabeth Hatch and James Pressly, while Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Orr met the guests at the stairway, directing them to the dining room.

In the receiving line were: Dr. and Mrs. Pressly; Charles P. Pressly, of Augusta, a., brother of Dr. Pressly; Miss Maude S. Pressly, J. L. Pressly, Misses Mary and Louise Pressly, George W. Pressly, Jr., and Charles P. Pressly, Jr., Miss Martha Pressly and Mrs. E. Wideman, the last two mentioned being nieces of Dr. Pressly; Dr. and Mrs. John P. Kennedy, Dr. and Mrs. R. LeGibson, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Crowell, Dr. and Mrs. W. O. Nisbet, Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Strong, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Montgomery.

In the gift room, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ross were in charge. In the hall Miss Ida Clanton and Mrs. D. M. Abernathy were in charge and in the dining room were Mesdames W. T. Dunlap, J. T. Chalmers, W. E. Youngs, B. F. Matthews, and Mrs. J. E. Thompson, assisted by Misses Adelaide Jones, Quinn Long, Elizabeth Wilson, and Margaret Cochran. Miss Frankie McQuinn and Miss Mary McKnight presided at the punch bowl.

The home was decorated largely in Christmas foliage and emblems, with the traditional greenery of the Yuletide season most evident in chandeliers and at other places. In the dining room the chandelier suspended over the table was a picturesque shower-and-cascade effect of white and pink, which colors were the principal note in the dining room color scheme, carried out also in the refreshments. A striking feature of the dining room decorations was a magnificent basket of narcissus and pink snap dragon.

## Simpson-Rankin Announcement.

A marriage of interest to a wide circle of friends took place Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock at the First Baptist church when Miss Elzenna Rankin, of Charlotte, became the bride of Robert Simpson, of Gastonia.

The ceremony, performed by Rev. Dr. Luther Little, pastor of the church, was impressively simple. The ring ceremony was used. There were no attendants but a large number of the friends of bride and groom were present to witness the ceremony.

Miss Rankin, who is a native of Charlotte, has been tubercular nurse at the Charlotte Health Department for some time. She was a nurse at the Charlotte Sanatorium for some time and was trained there. She ranks as one of the most capable professional nurses in the city. She is a strikingly beautiful representative of the blend type of beauty and is popular because of her winning personality and personal attractiveness.

Mr. Simpson was formerly located in Charlotte and was for some years connected with the management of the Charlotte cotton platform. He has been more recently connected with the cotton firm of Young & Tate at Gastonia. Both in Charlotte and Gastonia he has friends by the score. Mr. and Mrs. Simpson are to live in Gastonia, after a brief honeymoon sojourn.

Mrs. Ernest M. Spong has returned home from Camden, S. C., where she spent Christmas with her parents, Judge and Mrs. E. D. Blakeney.

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## Suits

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