

ROBINSON.

Mrs. A. C. Welch, who has been ill for the past few weeks, is gradually improving.

Mrs. C. B. Porter, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Welch, has returned to her home in Raleigh, West Virginia.

The past week has been crowded with gay festivities for the young people of Robinson. Of them all none was more greatly enjoyed than the musical concert at Mrs. J. L. Teeters on Friday evening, January 25.

The participants were as follows: Messrs. C. H. and Lloyd Cope, violin and harjo, accompanied by Miss Sathell Wallis on the piano.

Several entertaining recitations and musical operas were performed on the graphophone by Mr. Sam Wallis, followed with music by the above.

It is quite evident that people in this community are attempting to better the situation in which the water famine of last summer left them, for almost at any hour of the day one can hear the hum of the gasoline engine in everydirection drilling tube wells.

Miss Willie Cross has been called to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. W. P. Grier, who is sick at her home in Gastonia.

Mrs. E. F. Teeter spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Johnson, while her sister, Miss Alice Johnson, was away nursing her little niece, Nadam Frances Cochrane, of Newell.

Accounted For. "I beg your pardon, madame, but your face looks familiar."

"That is not surprising, I assure you. I am the heroine of forty short stories, five best sellers and eight serials running now. I pose for Mr. Flagbisty, the illustrator."—Life.

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By Associated Press.

New York, Jan. 27.—Announcement is made that Edward B. Alsop, a wealthy retired steel man of Pittsburgh and Washington, 75 years old, will be married to Miss Jean P. Hill, 29 years old, who came here a few months ago from Washington, Ga. Mr. Alsop's former wife, who died four years ago, was Miss Edna Hussey, a member of one of the oldest families in Pittsburgh. He has two sons, the elder a student in Harvard and the other at Groton School.

For Inspiration. "Now I want something in your happiest vein" said the editor. "Better pay me in advance then" declared the poet.—Washington Herald.

Fourth Ward Home

We have a very attractive home which we offer for sale in Fourth Ward, which is known to be one of the best wards in the city. This house has just been remodelled from foundation to roof, and in some respects is better than a new house. It has on the first floor reception hall, living room, dining room, kitchen, butler's pantry, bath room and large front and rear porch. The second floor has three nice bed rooms with large closets, and complete bath room. Has double floors both first and second floors; also is papered with high grade paper. We offer this house if taken soon at a price we consider a great bargain, and if you are interested in a Fourth Ward home, we would be glad for you to call us up.

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REMORES COMPELS SURRENDER 19 YEARS AFTER CRIME.

Eureka, Cal., Jan. 27.—Suffering remorse for a murder committed, he says, 19 years ago in Kentucky, J. W. Gray, who came here a week ago from Texas, surrendered yesterday to the local police. By a strange chance a man was found here who had knowledge of the tragedy and he identified Gray. Word was sent to Kentucky officials today.

According to Gray, he was a deputy sheriff at Sand Hill, near Mammoth Cave in Kentucky in 1893. He says he was sent to arrest a man named Ross Simmons. A fight followed. Simmons, Gray says, passed a knife to his sister, who stabbed Gray several times in the back. Thereupon Gray drew his revolver and shot Simmons. He fled from Kentucky and wandered over the country.

Gray is now about 40 years old. He carries letters and telegrams which show that he has been in touch with relatives in Kentucky recently.

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Lots 70 by 200 of property we are just developing on Rebmam Ave., leading from Interurban to Seversville car line, 1 1/2 mile of square and only 1 1/2 blocks from center of this property either way to car line, good high location, for \$350.00, \$50.00 cash, and balance to suit you. Now if you are thinking of buying your home or buying for investment why not reason this out and take the advantage of this opportunity. This property will without a doubt enhance in value very fast for many reasons of which we are able to lay before you so that you can not help but see and understand. Call on us, we will be glad to show you over this property and explain why this is an opportunity worth while.

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25 South Tryon St.

Phone 1254.

Sometimes, My Friend

I sit, and smoke and wonder at your continued stupidity. Your stewardship, what a dismal failure! You've had money at 4, and it taxable, while 6 1/2 lay at you feet, and it non taxable. You bank in the sunshine of a 6 per cent 1st mortgage, and pay Sheriff Wallace and Jno. W. Wilson 2 1/2 per cent for the privilege. This leaves you 3 5/8 per cent, and yet you think you've got sense. Why, really, you're nothing but a common, ordinary sparrow. You've actually stuck some of Little Willie's change in the Postal Savings Bank, and that's accepted evidence that there's a cell awaiting you in Raleigh. It's not safe for you to be at large. Do you know that you're actually getting, in fair weather, 2 per cent from Uncle Sam, and paying Mecklenburg and Charlotte 2 1/2 per cent for the honor? Paying for the sacred privilege of getting poorer and poorer day by day.

WHY, MANDY DEAR, that old jaybird yonder ought to have more sense than some of these wise guys about investing money. They might just as well have stuck their hoodle in an "Ice Machine" plant, "Wireless Telephone," or "Mining stock," in the Wild and Woolly West.

GET INTO THE IRONCLAD the old Mutual, and do it today, if you want to smile with beef prohibitive, bath tubs only for the gods, butter and eggs confined to royalty—yes, when there's nothing left you save religion and happiness. I'll whip the devil with the Mutual yet if time is given.

E. L. Keesler, Sec. & Treas.

Phone 344.

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For Rent

- 2 Tenth Avenue, 14 rooms \$40.00
- 507 North Brevard street, 8 rooms 25.00
- 509 Kingston Avenue, Dilworth, 7 rooms 25.00
- 700 North Poplar street, 8 rooms 25.00
- 310 East Ninth street, 7 rooms 20.00
- 208 West 12th street, 8 rooms 20.00
- 1118 South Boulevard, 6 rooms 18.00
- 601 South Church street, 5 rooms 15.00
- 307 South Poplar street, 5 rooms 10.00
- Apartment, 5 rooms, corner E. 7th and Seigle St. 10.00
- 810 North College street, 4 rooms 10.50
- 1409 East 5th street, 5 rooms 10.00
- 1425 East 5th street, 4 rooms 6.50
- 608 South Church street, 4 rooms 5.00
- 223 North College street, store rooms 5.00
- 221 North College street, 2nd floor 25.00
- East 7th & Seigle streets 20.00
- 8 Belmont Avenue 8.00
- Room North Tryon street, close in 8.00
- South Brevard street 7.00
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 - 4-room cottage 1506 North "C" St., per week 2.00
 - 3-room cottage, Seversville 1.25

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 - 4 rooms Villa Heights, per week 1.50
 - 7 rooms, modern 714 E. 4th St. \$25.00
 - 3 rooms, No. 20 S. Harrell St., Belmont 1.25
 - 7 rooms, 1204 N. Caldwell St. 12.00
 - 4 rooms, 200 S. Harrell St., Belmont 6.00
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