

# SOCIAL EVENTS

By Miss Susan Iden.

**The Closed Door.**  
I never crossed your household with a grief  
But that I went without it; never came  
Heart-hungry, but you fed me, eased the blame  
And gave the sorrow solace and relief.  
I never left you, but I took away  
The love that drew me to your side again  
Through that wide door that never could remain  
Quite closed between us for a little day.  
O, friend who gave and comforted—who knew  
So over-well the need of heart and mind,  
Where may I turn for solace now, or find  
Relief this unceasing loss of you?  
Be it for fault, for folly or for sin  
Oh, terrible my penance and most sore—  
To face the tragedy of that closed door  
Whereby I pass and may not enter in!

**Thought for the Day.**  
Truth is as impossible to be soiled by any outward touch as the sunbeam.—Milton.  
Mrs. S. J. Wilson, of Wilton, is visiting in the city.  
Miss Maude Love is spending a few days at Durham.  
Miss Corinne Heflin, of Texas, is visiting Miss Lottie Heflin.  
Miss Blanche Goss, of Durham, passed through the city today.  
Miss Undine Myatt, of Equay Springs, is visiting Miss Willie O'Quinn.  
Mrs. J. H. Shepherd has gone to Weldon to visit her mother, Mrs. Lee A. Powell.  
Mrs. J. W. Hamilton, of Clayton, passed through the city today, going to Durham.  
Mr. J. O. Jones and his bride, who was Miss Mary Stronach, have returned from their wedding trip to northern cities. They are at home with the bride's mother, Mrs. A. B.

Stronach, on North Bloodworth street.  
Mrs. M. E. Cole left today for Durham.  
Mrs. F. L. Phipps, of Enfield, returned home today after visiting Mrs. C. W. Gold.  
Miss Ballard, of Franklinton, spent a few hours in the city today going to Rocky Mount.  
Mrs. S. M. Taylor, of Salisbury, has returned home after visiting her sister, Miss Jennie Coffin.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. Beale Johnson, of Cardenas, were in the city today returning home from a visit to Elon.  
Miss Ellen Graham and Miss Eugenia Clark have gone to Durham to attend Miss Gant's house party.  
Mrs. Lucy Farris, of Wilmington, who has been visiting at Henderson, was in the city today returning home.  
The Tuesday Afternoon Club will meet at Meredith College Tuesday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock. Guests of Miss Colton and Mrs. Hagedorn.  
Mr. Robert Wyatt and his bride, who was Miss Mary Christian Kenzie, of Norfolk, are expected in the city this evening from Washington, where they spent their honeymoon.  
Mrs. W. T. Best has returned to the city from Salisbury, where she was called by the death of her mother. Mrs. Best is a newcomer to the city and will be welcomed to its social life.

low's recital given at the Peabody conservatory last week Miss Parlow is indeed a wonder—she is an artist of the first rank, with no limitations—she has brains, power, thoroughness, feeling, and personality. A rare treat is in store for the music-lovers of Raleigh this evening. The concert will begin promptly at 8:30 o'clock.  
**Literary Meeting of League.**  
"Paul Hamilton Hayne, the Laureate of the South," will be the subject of the literary meeting of the Edenton Street Epworth League this evening at 7:30 in the league room.  
Mrs. George D. Stephenson will read a sketch of the poet's life and there will be readings from his works. Miss Emma Jones will sing "A Perfect Day."  
All members of the league and the public generally are invited to attend the meeting.  
**Central League Meeting.**  
The literary meeting of the Central Epworth League this evening will be an interesting one, Paul Hamilton Hayne being the subject. The meeting will be held at 7:30 in the league room and will be followed by an informal social to which the beginners are invited.  
The literary program will be as follows:  
Violin Duet—Misses Besse and Mary Ray.  
Paper, "Paul Hamilton Hayne," Miss Ruth Stevick.  
Vocal Selection, "A Perfect Day," Miss Luella Anderson.  
Reading—Miss Frances Renfroe.  
**Dance at A. and M.**  
The Thalharian German Club of the A. and M. gave its January dance Saturday night in Pullen Hall. The dance was one of the best given by the club and a great many visitors were present. The music by Eddy's was superb and every one spent a very pleasant evening.  
The German was graciously led by Mr. C. A. Steadman, dancing with Miss Griselie Hinton. These dancing were as follows:  
First Anthony with Miss Rose Haywood, "Rubber" Jolly with Miss Sallie Galling, Dan Peterson with Miss Marion Bates, Frankie Smith with Miss Susanna Brown, Bill Grubbs with Miss Ann Alexander, Lora Hodson with Miss Gene Phanton, Felix Haber with Miss Emma Swobbe, Bill Hagedorn with Miss Nan Lacey, Walter Hammett with Miss Marian of Raleigh, Charles Johnson with Miss Young Lewis, Myrtle with Miss Ruby Hayward, Blanche Maden with Miss Flora McDonald, Dick Latham with Miss Almerine Moore, Swamp Harvey with Miss Sarah Brown, Pretty Gill with Miss Cecelia Harris, Harry Hartell with Miss Elizabeth Thompson, Silek Gwatney with Miss Martha Strimetz, Bill Hiles with Miss Lilian Fountain, Ray to brand with Miss Katherine Sherwood, "Kid" Taylor with Miss Jane Mears, of Wilmington, Hobbs Holding with Miss Nattie Rogers, Sam Forging with Miss Mary Ruffa Green of Durham, Ralph Howell with Miss Mildred Holden, Sam Larchette with Miss Elizabeth Johnson, Fred Polsson with Miss Margaret McKinnon, Thad Pace with Miss Patie Hinton, Sheep Strange with Miss De Rossette of Wilmington, Paul R. P. Laine with Miss Anna Latta, H. L. Graves with Ethel Rogers, Dr. Lewis Program with Miss Miller, F. L. Lee with Miss Wilson, J. O. Jackson with Miss Eliza Riddick, Prof. Britchard with Miss Belle Monroy, Prof. Co-burn with Miss Lewis.  
Chaperones—Mrs. Harris, Mrs. James I. Johnson, and Miss Baker.  
Stages—Messrs. Barber, Hargrove, Little, Conner, Jolly, Joffrey, Bowler, Holding, Taylor, Smith, Neider, Peacock, Jackson, Chamberlain, Phipps, Thompson, Lee, Parks, Ray, Riddick, Smith, E. C. Saunders, Barber, Jeffries, W. R. Flood, Aycock, Taylor, J. T. Donahall, J. Boushall, Jack Bell.

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**Tuesday Afternoon Club.**  
The meeting of the Tuesday Afternoon Club will be held with Miss Colton and Mrs. Hagedorn at Meredith College Tuesday afternoon.  
**Entertained at Cards.**  
Mrs. Rawley Galloway was guest of honor at a delightful card party given Saturday afternoon by Mrs. R. M. Albright.  
There were five tables and after the game a three-course luncheon was served. Corage bouquets of roses and violets were given as favors.  
**Kathleen Parlow.**  
The Palladium Sun speaks in enthusiastic praise of Kathleen Parlow.  
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# STORE CHANGES

Repairs and improvements are to be made in our store at an early date. As there will be considerable tearing up from side walk to roof it will be almost impossible to protect all the goods from damage. Our shelves should be cleared by the time work begins. That we may empty the shelves as rapidly as possible, every single article is reduced in price. This clearance sale begins at once

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Miss Wilkinson, for A. and M., and Miss Memory, for Wake Forest, led the rooting, which spurred the contestants on to victory.  
The first event pulled off was the Standing Broad Grin, won by Miss R. Cook, of the Wake Forest team.  
Second, Standing Long Grin, winner, Miss L. Collins, of Wake Forest.  
Third, Throwing the Hammer, winner, Miss A. B. Caldwell, of A. and M.  
Fourth, Putting the Shot, winner, Miss L. Middleton, Wake Forest.  
Fifth, Thirty-inch Dash, winner, Miss Hagedorn, of Wake Forest.  
Sixth, Boxing Contest, winner, Miss A. B. Caldwell, A. and M.  
Seventh, Heavy Race, A. and M.  
The first two events need no explanation, but for the sake of the feelings of the winners the length of the grin is not recorded.  
Great strength was called into play in the next event, throwing the hammer. Miss Caldwell was successful in throwing the inflated paper bag the greatest distance.  
In the next event the shot was dropped into receptacles of various sizes and shapes as the contestants trotted by, the victor being presented with a pair of eye-glasses for her keenness of vision.  
The thirty-inch dash was one of the most exciting tests, so much energy being expended in clearing up the thirty inches of string that one faltered after the attempt. From the audience the college doctor (Dr. Miss Webb), rushed to her assistance.  
The boxing contest was not strictly a field event, but was immensely amusing, as the contestants had to push each other from the ring, a foul being called on the first round for kicking.  
Unless one has tried to see a dry-soak cracker quickly they can hardly appreciate the process of A. and M. in the relay race.  
The meet was watched with interest by the faculty and students of Meredith College, who at times grew wildly excited. The thanks of all are due to the student volunteer band for arranging the track meet.

**WAKE FOREST VICTOR.**  
Wins Against A. and M. in Indoor Track Meet.  
The greatest athletic event of the season was pulled off Saturday night when A. and M. met Wake Forest in an initial indoor track meet, Wake Forest winning four out of the seven events.  
The meet was held in the auditorium at Meredith College and was attended by a great crowd of enthusiastic rooters, with pennants, banners, etc., wildly waving and cheering.  
The contestants, in sweaters of the respective colleges, trotted in and took their places on the platform.  
Miss R. Paschel, Miss G. Royser, and Miss Steele were the judges, appropriately attired for the occasion, Miss Paschel, may it be whispered, like a country swain and Miss Royser as a city clerk. Miss M.

**WHAT IS MOST EFFECTIVE WAY TO KILL A TIGER?**  
"If the people of Raleigh," remarked an old gentleman who has had much experience in trying liquor cases, "want the most effective cure for blind tigers, let them have a mass meeting and impress on the business men the importance of not routing their buildings to people for immoral purposes." This would not cure the evil altogether, but it would effectually check it, he said. Many business men—some of them officers of the church—rent their property to fellows and these use it as a place for selling liquor. To drive the blind tigers out would mean a temporary loss of revenue, but the moral effect of such a course, he declared, would be worth more

than all the money thus derived. And in the end the property-holder could get more rent.  
**NEWS FROM THOMASVILLE.**  
Mr. Varner Has White County Building and Loan.  
Thomasville, Jan. 29.—The Dorsett-Godwin Company, "The Fire Food Store," is the name of the new grocery firm just recently opened in the Burghin block on the corner of Eden and E. Guilford streets. This firm is composed of some of our town's best citizens, and their future success is assured. The principal stockholders are Judge Chas. E. Godwin, Mr. Lewis H. Dorsett and others. The company is incorporated and intends to place Thomasville one of the best equipped stocks of groceries ever offered the public in this vicinity.  
At a recent meeting of the directors of the People's Building and Loan Association it was ordered that the fourth series of stock will be opened March 1st, and every citizen in the town and community is urged to take a few shares in this series and "Help Thomasville Grow." Already this association has aided in building more than a score of homes in the town besides adding to the surplus account. It pays better than leading money and is one of the safest investments in the town.  
Davidson county has the naming of a senator from this district to go to the next state legislature. Logically Thomasville should have the naming of this candidate, and one of her sons has been frequently urged to come out and enter the race but he seems at present indisposed to enter the race, hence in this case Thomasville will make no great fight to secure the nomination and will no doubt go to the convention unopposed, and in this case will throw its entire strength to Hon. Henry B. Varner, of Lexington, who has already announced his candidacy. Mr. Varner, we believe, has done more for Davidson county than any citizen in the county, and if he seeks this little honor it is nothing but a fair recognition of his valuable services to the county that the citizens name him as their representative in the next senate.

**CAUSE OF FIRES**  
Smokers and All Others Who Handle Fire Carelessly.  
Atlanta, Jan. 29.—Smokers and all other humans who handle fire often or carelessly were called to law yesterday afternoon in the course of an interesting meeting here at which the Georgia Prevention Society was formed.  
It was attended by leading fire insurance men and other citizens from all parts of the state. One of the principal addresses was made by Governor Slaton.  
It was demonstrated that from preventable fire waste in this country, losses of \$500 every two minutes, day and night, were going on. The association is formed for organized protection against loss by fire, and the citizens in general are

asked to co-operate with the underwriters.  
Among the other speakers, in addition to Governor Slaton, were Frank G. Snyder of Louisville, and F. C. Calkins, of Atlanta.  
Mr. Calkins, address was a plea for more adequate laws to prevent fire waste, and an exhortation to merchants and property owners to guard against preventable fires.  
F. C. Calkins was elected president of the association. John H. Reine was chosen vice president and Mack N. Barrett, secretary, treasurer. Mr. Snyder, who is president of the Kentucky Fire Prevention Association, was presented with a silver loving cup.  
G. H. Hall, of the city council board of fire masters, took a prominent part in the proceedings.

**Trolley Car Ran Away.**  
St. Paul, Jan. 29.—Selby avenue trolley car ran away on grade below tunnel and crashed into another car filled with passengers. A score of persons were injured. Motorman Swanson's leg was cut off. Mark Graff suffered a crushed chest. The brakes failed to work.

**WHAT HER FRIEND ASKED**  
Mrs. Casey Was Sick in Bed, But Her Friend's Request Resulted in Prompt Cure.  
Toyah, Tex.—"For about eight years," says Mrs. R. A. Casey, of this place, "I suffered with womanly troubles. I had about given up, and thought I would always have to suffer.  
I had pains all over, and was so nervous at times I could hardly stand it to live. I had spells, when I would be in bed several days at a time.  
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