SOCIETY

By Miss Susan Iden

LEAP YEAR.

(Written for The Times.)

I would agang with thee, laddie,
Ye hae my love and heart already.
Be brave and say it will be yea,
'Tis sure I mix my manners badly.

For shame, ye wre.ched laddie!
I canna tell if ye will na woo.
I neer can live without ye,
Be fair and treat a lassie true.
I canna tell if ye will na woo,
Be fair and treat a lassie true.

* * * I found a mon and a mon he be,
Although I did the wooing,
A mon at times is afeard of thee.
But gie him a chance at doing.

Dr. E. L. M. Bristol.

Detroit, Mich.

Miss Lillian Fountain has returned from a visit to friends at Goldsboro.

Mrs. Diggs, of Portsmourth, is visiting her father, Capt. T. B. Terrell.

Miss Ruth Booe, of Mocksville, has returned home after a visit to Mrs. R. D. W. Connor.

Miss Mabel King, of Goldsboro is visiting Miss Lillian Fountain, at her home in North Blount street.

Mrs. A. C. Burgess, who was operated on for appendicitis at Rex Hospita, several days ago, has returned to her home at New Hill.

Miss Bessie Brown left today to be joined tonight in Washington by her father, Mr. Jos. G. Brown, for a ten-day's trip to New York.

Mrs. F. M. Williams, of Newton, state president of the Daughters of Confederacy, who came to attend the meeting of the monument committee appointed by Col. Ashley Horne, has returned home Mrs. Williams was the guest of Miss Flora Creech while here.

Meredith Faculty "At Home."

The faculty of Meredith College and Meredith Academy will be "at home" tomorrow, Friday afternoon, from 4:30 till 6 o'clock.

District Nurse Committee.

Mrs. William Andrews, chairman of the district nurse committee, of the Associated Charities, has called a meeting for tomorrow at 4 o'clock at the chamber of commerce.

Concert Monday Night.

Monday evening, March 4, the Meredith College orchestra, under the direction of Prof. Gustav Hagedorn, will give a concert in the Meredith auditorium to which the public is cordially invited.

Pupils Recital Tonight.

The public is invited to attend the recital to be given this evening at 8:30 by pupils of the departments of music and voice at Peace Institute. The recital was to have been given several weeks ago, but was postponed on account of the weatner.

WITH MISS TIMBERLAKE.

Entertained in Honor of Mrs. Board and Miss Jennete Daniels.

Wake Forest, Feb. 29.—On Wednesday afternoon Miss Ada Lee Timberlake charmingly entertained the young ladies of Wake Forest in honor of Mrs. B. F. Board, of Alexandria, Va., and Miss Jeanette Daniels, of Weldon. The guests were receiled by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Z. V. Peed, of Raleigh. After a pleasant hour at "trail," delightful luncheon was served. The prize was won by Miss Pearl Ray. The guest prizes were hand-made jabots.

Those present were: Misses Jeannette Daniels, Louise Himes, Lorie Potent, Ruby Reid, Bessie Dunn, Mattie Gill, Maggie Allen, Mary Caddell, Hallie Powers, Ann Lee Fender, Louise Williams, Lerthy Davis, Annie D. Crudup, Lulie Dickson, Mary Lanneau, Irene Holding, Pearl Ray, Agnes Taylor and Hattie Perry. Mesdames Board, J. C. Jackson, J. B. Powers, B. L. Powers, J. M. Brown, E. B. Earnshaw and L. R. O'Brien.

"Self-Inflicted Wounds" Theme at Christian Church Revival.

"Self-Inflicted Wounds'" was Mr. Rowland's theme last night. An appreciative audience listened to another good sermon last night. Text, Acts 9:5. Rev. Mr. Rowland explained how Saul kicked against prophecy, the identity of Christ and the awakened conscience. What remorse he suffered and what the cure for all his self-inflicted wounds. He showed how men today are kicking against early home-training, divine things and stained conscience and pointed out the remedy for all our wounds. Showed how Jesus has suffered for our transgressions. Preacher Rowland is making a lasting impression upon the people. He speaks as a man having a deep conviction of right and wrong. He goes direct to the Word of God, for his illustrations he tells the old story of love in a simple, straightforward way. He seems to be directed of the Holy Spirit to speak. His sermons are food for thought and are making a deep impress upon Christians as well as the unconverted.

The meetings are growing in interest and are well attended. Mr. Rowland will be here for several days, and the services will run into next week. Good results are expected. The people are cordially invited to attend the services and to take part in the same.

Services tonight: song service at 7:45 o'clock, and preaching at 8 o'clock.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Mr. W. S. Stephens, clerk of the court of Johnston county, was a visitor in the city today.

—Dr. B. F. Halisey, Mr. B. S. Clark and Mr. T. R. Hassell, of Roper, are attending Wake superior court.

Friends of Judge H. H. Roberts will regret to learn that he is seriously ill at his residence, 614 West North street.

CHAPTER OF DAUGHTERS.

Organized at Halifax—Twenty-four Members of Chapter.

Halifax, Feb. 29.—The organizatio nof a chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution was perfected here last Friday with twenty-four members, at the home of Miss Ursula Daniel. This modern home is situated upon a beautiful natural terrace midway between "The Grove," the home of the revolutionarp patriot, Willey Jones, and "Glen Ivy," the home of Elizabeth Montfort Ashe, a revolutionary heroine: therefore our approach anid such scenes carried us back to "ye olden time" when men fought and women weilded their influence in the cause of American freedom.

We were received by Mrs. R. H. Daniel and conducted by Miss Ursula Daniel to the library, where upon the walls hung oil portraits of five generations of ancestors. There was also an orichal photograph of "The Grove House," a black silhouette of the profile of Sarah Lichford Onshby, an ancient dame, attracted much attention. Also a box of colonial money interested not a few.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, Mrs. Florence Fenette Willcox, promptly at 1:30 o'clock with the following ladies present: Mrs. Willcox, Mrs. Kathryn Fenner, Miss Florence Fenner, Mrs. H. W. Gowen, Miss Jennie Sewell, Mrs. John Fenner, Mrs. E. L. Travis, Mrs. Henry Marshall, Mrs. J. O. Applewhite, Mrs. W. E. Daniel, Mrs. Edward Whitehead and Miss Ursula Daniel.

After a short address by Miss Daniel, as to the aims and purposes of the society, the members went at once into the work of election of officers. Miss Ursula Daniel was made regent: Mrs. Gowen, first vice regent: Mrs. Edward Travis, recording secretary; Miss Kathryn Fenner, corresponding secretary: Mrs. John Fenner, treasurer: Mrs. Walter Danley, of Weldon, historian: Mrs. Chas. Tillery, chaplain: Mrs. Henry Marshall, register.

It was decided to name the chapter "The Elizabeth Montfort Ashe Chapter." Mrs. Henry Marshall presented to the chapter a handsome gavel, historic in that it was made of oak—the handle, from the old "Colonial Church," the base, from the "Grove House," and the D. A. R. inlay from the old "Constitution House."

A motion was made and carried to meet on the fourth Thursday in each month at 1:30 o'clock.

Delicious refreshments were served. Punch was dispensed by Mrs. Edward Whitehead from an ancient handpainted punch bowl mended with silver, which dated back over two hundred years; the handsome ladle had come down through six generations, also of Miss Daniel's ancestors.

A delightful salad course was served by Mrs. Stedman and Miss Daniel while mints were passed by Miss Kathryn Fenner.

Mrs. Stedman toasted "The Ancient Punch Bowl;" Mrs. Gowen, "Elizabeth Montfort Ashe;" Mrs. Willcox, "The Daughters of the American Revolution," and the hostess, Mrs. Whitehead, "Our Ancestors."

YOUNG LADY DIES SUDDENLY

Party of Friends Had Called on Her and She Was Apparently in Best of Health.

(Special to The Times.)

Elizabeth City, N. C., Feb. 29.—The merrymaking of a crowd of young people of Woodville, Perquimans county came to a sudden end Tuesday night in a very tragic manner.

The young people of the community had planned to give Miss Dora Blanchard, a very popular lady, a surprise party at her home. They assembled at her home early in the evening and everybody was enjoying the merriment of the occasion. About nine o'clock, Miss Blanchard announced that she was going into the kitchen to make some candy for the party. A few minutes later some of the guests went into the kitchen to see what their hostess was doing and found her lying on the kitchen floor unconscious. A physician was summoned and he pronounced her dead. She was apparently in the best of health during the evening and as gay as any of the party. Her sudden death was a great shock to the community. Apoplexy was the cause of her death.

TOBACCO POOLING SOCIETY

Efforts of Burley Society to Effect Pool For Ten Years.

Lexington, Feb. 29.—Meetings under the Burley Tobacco Society's direction are being held today in 46 counties in Ohio and Indiana, furthering the campaign for a ten-year tobacco pooling agreement, which closes at midnight tonight. Efforts are being made to induce the land owners to sign a pledge to pool their product with the society for ten years. The Burley Society official estimate that forty thousand farmers, producing three hundred million pounds annually, will sign the pooling pledge before the final count.

It boosts a young man wonderfully in the estimation of a girl if his front name is the same as that of the hero in a romantic novel or play.

Wiley Wins Out Again

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which the adulterators have used from the very beginning. If we admit one injurious substitute in small quantities, we cannot with justice exclude any other. The argument of small quantities has absolutely no ethical, logical valuation and is dangerous. No more dangerous concession to the interests seeking to debase and adulterate and misbrand food products could be made. I urge the importance of refusing in any way to condone the use of saccharine in foods."

MORE TROUBLE FOR WILEY

Alleged He Joined in Abatement of Cases of Lead in Baking Powder.

Washington, Feb. 29.—A new controversy has arisen in the department of agriculture over the administration of the pure food law. The charge is made that Doctor Wiley and Doctor Doolittle, who now constitute a majority of the food and drug inspection board, have joined in the abatement of cases where the inspectors have reported the presence of lead in baking powders.

The files of abated cases are confidential and not accessible to the parties in the cases, but there is good authority for the statement that there are a number which show that dangerous adulterations of baking powders are being allowed in commerce. In all these cases, it is alleged, the record will show that Doctor Doolittle voted for abatement and Doctor Dunlap protested against this action and insisted on prosecution.

Many of the baking powder cases were begun when Solicitor McCabe was on the board.

In one of these cases citation was issued last September for an Ohio manufacturing concern, and the hearing set to take place at the Chicago laboratory. A transfer was obtained to the New York laboratory and a postponement to November 22. In the meantime McCabe was displaced on the board by Doctor Doolittle and a private hearing was held on October 30. No settlement has been made of the hearing and a memorandum in the case by Doctor Wiley says that the board has rendered no decision and it is believed that none will be made. But the hearing, it is charged, has had the effect of bringing about the abatement of all such cases against cream of tartar baking powder companies. The case against the Ohio company was canceled January 19, and three days later Doctor Dunlap filed his protest.

KNOX PROSPECTING CANAL.

Is Pleased With the Reception He Has Received in Panama.

Panama, Feb. 29. Secretary Knox left at eight o'clock this morning on a leisurely trip to Colon, with frequent stops en route to inspect the Panama canal. Knox, before departing told the party of government officers he was immensely pleased with the cordiality of the welcome he received. Knox and party return aboard the cruiser Washington this afternoon. Anchor will be weighed and the ship proceed for Port Limon, Costa Rica, where the party arrives tomorrow. The journey to San Jose will be continued immediately.

MAY OUST LEWIS.

American Bar Association Wants to Get Rid of Negro Member.

Washington, Feb. 29.—Attorney General Wickersham is seeking to prevent the American Bar Association from ousting W. H. Lewis, his negro assistant, from membership. Lewis was elected a year ago. The association's executive committee passed a resolution rescinding the negro's election.

POTTSVILLE'S POISONED PEN.

Friends of Suspected Widow Say Another Will Confess.

Pottsville, Feb. 29.—As the result of the investigation of postal inspectors of the sending of scandalous letters to members and the pastor of the Pottsville First Methodist Episcopal church, action is expected to be taken tomorrow when Inspector Valentine Schoenberger arrives here.

Thus far the result of the investigation have convinced the inspectors that a widow has been wielding the "poisoned pen" which has worried the church attendants for nearly a year. Friends of the accused woman declared today that a confession of another person will clear the widow, of whom guilt the inspectors seem now convinced, both by the identity of her handwriting and her typewriter.

Friends of the suspected woman also claim that she has been the recipient of "poisoned pen" letters, as well as have other members of the congregation. The postal inspectors declare that it is a common practice for the writers of such letters to send some of their missives to themselves.

Some of the letters sent to female members of the congregation advised them "not to make sheep's eyes at the men during worship." Another letter to the wife of a business man read: "Your only object in going to church is to show your millinery. If you should be as attentive to your own husband as you are to other women's husbands you would lead a

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be after him and be a bear or Cerberus."

Mr. [illegible] of Georgia, who was appointed [illegible] warned that [illegible] not be [illegible] upon them, and that the church [illegible] to remain [illegible].

[illegible] Doctor [illegible] writer of Halls, wrote a long letter to [illegible] scolding letter after letter until [illegible] were so distracted that [illegible] their dislike of politics and placed the case in the hands of Emperor Schoenberg.

Postmaster Joel Cary refused to speak concerning the case, explaining that the [illegible] have [illegible] Besides, he declared, [illegible] through the efforts of a sub wound, was be-

ing cremated at the Morgue today, the crematory exploded.

Deputy Coroner Black was hurled violently against a wall and seriously burned. Coroner Jamison and a number of prominent hotel proprietors, who saw the beginning of the cremation, had barely left the room when the explosion occurred. The partly incinerated body was blown to the winds, while the bottom of the crematory was blown away.

Escaping gas is thought to have assembled beneath a false bottom of the oven and ignition followed from the intense heat.

After a girl has acted as bridesmaid five or six times she begins to feel as unimportant as a former vice president.

EXPLOSION IN CREMATORY

Partly Incinerated Body of Young Girl Blown to Winds.

Portland, Feb. 29.—While the body of Minnie Massie, a young woman who died February 3rd from [illegible] was being cremated at the Morgue today, the crematory exploded.

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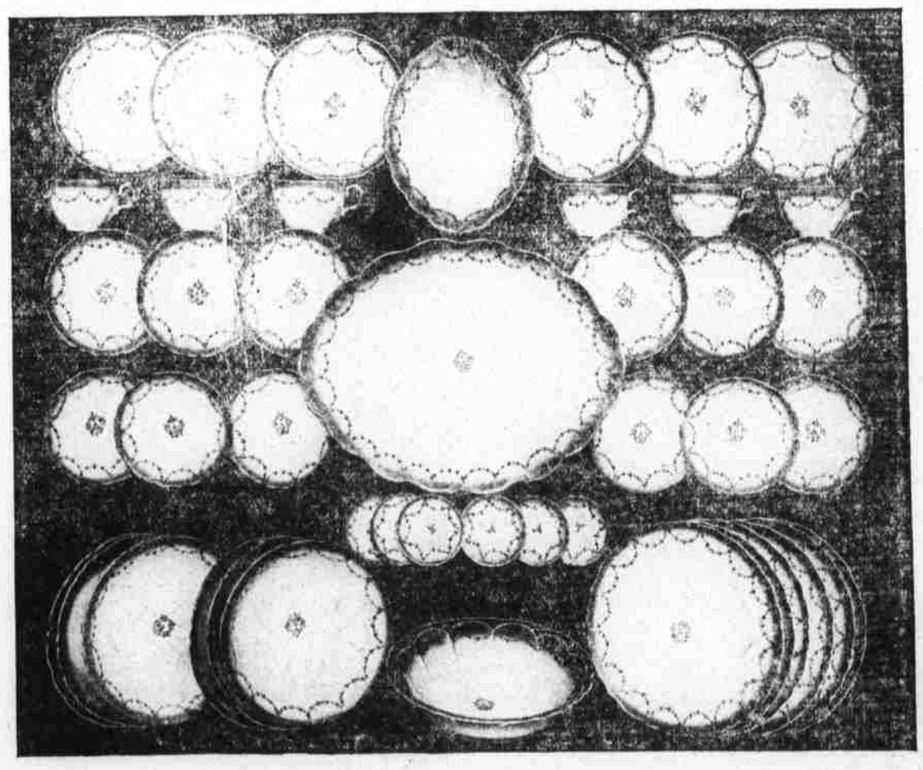

Read what one of our subscribers has to say:

Wake Forest, N. C., January 30, 1912.

The Raleigh Daily Times, Raleigh, N. C.

Gentlemen: Enclosed herewith is check in payment of the beautiful dishes. Many thanks; they were received in good order.

MRS. J. J. DUNN.