

Society

Miss Elizabeth Koonce, of Richards, is visiting Miss Pauline Williams, on North Seventh street.

Mrs. Walter S. Creasy, of Mount Olive, is the guest of her sons, Messrs. W. M. and A. H. Creasy.

Mrs. R. C. Holland has returned to her home in Columbia, S. C., after spending the holidays with her brother, Rev. G. W. McClanahan.

The Christian Endeavor Society of Immanuel Presbyterian church will hold their regular monthly business meeting tonight at 8 o'clock.

A party will be given in the gymnasium of the Y. W. C. A., by the Club Girls of Delgado this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

There will be a meeting of the Girls' Club of the Y. W. C. A. at the association building this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

The Epworth League of Grace Methodist church will meet at the church this evening at 8 o'clock. The regular monthly business meeting will also be held.

Miss Pauline Williams, who for the past several months has been teaching music in the Fayetteville schools, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Williams, on North Seventh street.

A delightful Thanksgiving social was given Wednesday by the Civic League of Castle Haynes. A program was rendered. The attendance was large.

The ladies of the Fifth Avenue Methodist church will give an oyster supper this evening from 6 to 11 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. M. J. Fowler, No. 422 South Fifth avenue. Ice cream and home-made candies will also be for sale.

Mr. Leon Sudder, of Wrightsville Beach, will leave this evening for New York, where he will spend the Christmas holidays with friends and relatives. Mr. Sudder will be pleasantly remembered for the many delightful entertainments he has given on the piano for various gatherings since the season at the beach closed.

A delightful outing was spent on Buena Vista farm, near Middle Sound, yesterday by a party of Wilmingtonians. A sumptuous Thanksgiving repast was served at the farm house after which there were a number of sports indulged in. Following are those who were in the party: Mr. and Mrs. John Rehder, Mr. and Mrs. Will Rehder, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bissinger, Rev. and Mrs. F. B. Clausen, Mr. and Mrs. G. Henry Haar, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Clayton, Mrs. Eliza Schulken, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Vollers, Miss Katherine Vollers, Miss Gladys Polvogt, Mrs. E. Bissinger, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Runge and Mrs. Glamyer.

The entertainment and mock marriage which is to be given under the auspices of the Lady Maccabees at Immanuel Hall, corner of Front and Queen streets, at 8 o'clock next Tuesday evening, promises to be a bit out of the ordinary and indications are that many will attend. Invitations reading as follows have been issued: "Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Booker request your presence at the marriage of their daughter Angelina Maud Booker to Rufus Rasmus Johnson Brown on Tuesday evening December fifth, nineteen-hs-tseen at 8 o'clock at Immanuel Presbyterian Hall."

MEETING OF LEAGUE.

Children of Masonboro rendered excellent program. Under direction of their teachers, Misses Westbrook and McLeod, the scholars of Masonboro School rendered a delightful program to the members of the Community Service League of Masonboro, who held their regular business meeting Wednesday night.

Mr. M. A. Beasley made a talk and urged regular attendance by the scholars. Mr. J. A. Orrell presided at the meeting in the absence of Mr. J. P. Herring, the president.

PERSONAL MENTION. Marsden Bellamy, Esq., spent yesterday hunting near East Arcadia. Recorder B. G. Emple went to Clarendon yesterday to hunt with a party.

Put it On the Tax Books. We learn from the Baltimore American that a Cleveland woman complained to the police of the theft of jewels valued at thirty thousand dollars and "the mean authorities immediately taxed them to that amount." If this is an accurate statement of the case, she would have been a gainer by permanently losing them.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

Like Clock-Work! (By N. B. Cook, M. D.) The machinery of the body needs to be oiled, kept in good condition just as the automobile or bicycle. Why should the human neglect his own machinery more than that if his horse or his engine? Yet most people do neglect themselves. Their tongue has a dark brown color, skin sallow, breath bad, yet they fail to see that their machinery needs attention. Everybody should take a mild laxative at least once a week. A pleasant way to clear the tongue and the highly colored water noticed in the morning is to take a laxative which will cure the inactive liver and biliousness.

A pleasant vegetable pill is made up of May-apple, leaves of aloes, and jalap, made into a tiny pellet and coated with sugar. First put up by Dr. Pierce nearly 50 years ago. Druggists sell these vegetable pellets in vials, simply ask for Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

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Masonic Temple, Dec. 1, 1916. WILMINGTON LODGE, NO. 319, A. F. & A. M.

Emergent communication this (Friday) evening, at 7:30 P. M., for work in the Entered Apprentice degree. All members are urged to attend. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to meet with us. By order of the Master. JOHN P. CLOWE, Sec'y.

AFTER 14 YEARS OF SUFFERING HANSON AND HENRY PREUSS TONIGHT

This Lady Tried Cardui. Let Her Tell You In The Following Statement The Results She Obtained.

Wise, Va.—Mrs. J. M. Elam, of this place, in writing of her female troubles, says: "This trouble went on for 14 years, often I was unable to work and suffered badly at . . . times, when I could not be on my feet at all. Really in bad health all the time during those 14 years, and was never without pain, with awful backaching, had no appetite, was nervous, but at that time my husband's sister . . . recommended that I try Cardui, which I began to take . . . and which has caused me to be in better health ever since. In a few days I felt that improvement had begun. My back got stronger and less painful. I got less nervous and my appetite began to improve. In a few weeks my improvement was noticeable, and I got into better health than I had had for 14 years. . . . My walking before had been very painful, and could not stand on my feet to do any good. After using these medicines, however, I could walk without pain and was able to do the work and housekeeping for an ordinary family. My back and appetite were better and also my nerves."

If you suffer as Mrs. Elam did, take Cardui. It may be just what you need.

German Substituted For The Reneging Greek—Mat Fans Get Entertainment.

When Fritz Hanson returned to the city today and learned that Jack Ross, the Columbia challenger, had departed for Texas to wrestle Bat Brown, regardless of his engagement for tonight, Hanson immediately got busy and arranged a match between himself and Henry Preuss, a German who has been after Ross' scalp for a long period, but who has failed up until the present time to secure a match with the Columbian. Hanson and Preuss will meet on the mat at Woolvin Hall tonight at 8:30 o'clock and fans will be treated to an excellent exhibition of the mat game.

Many are disappointed because Ross failed to keep his engagement but will learn with pleasure that Hanson is to be seen in action. It is Fritz's initial bout of the season before a local audience. Few blame Ross for leaving and none are willing to dispute his statement that there was more money in the Texas match, since the winner of tonight's bout was to take all gate receipts.

Beautiful Your Complexion.

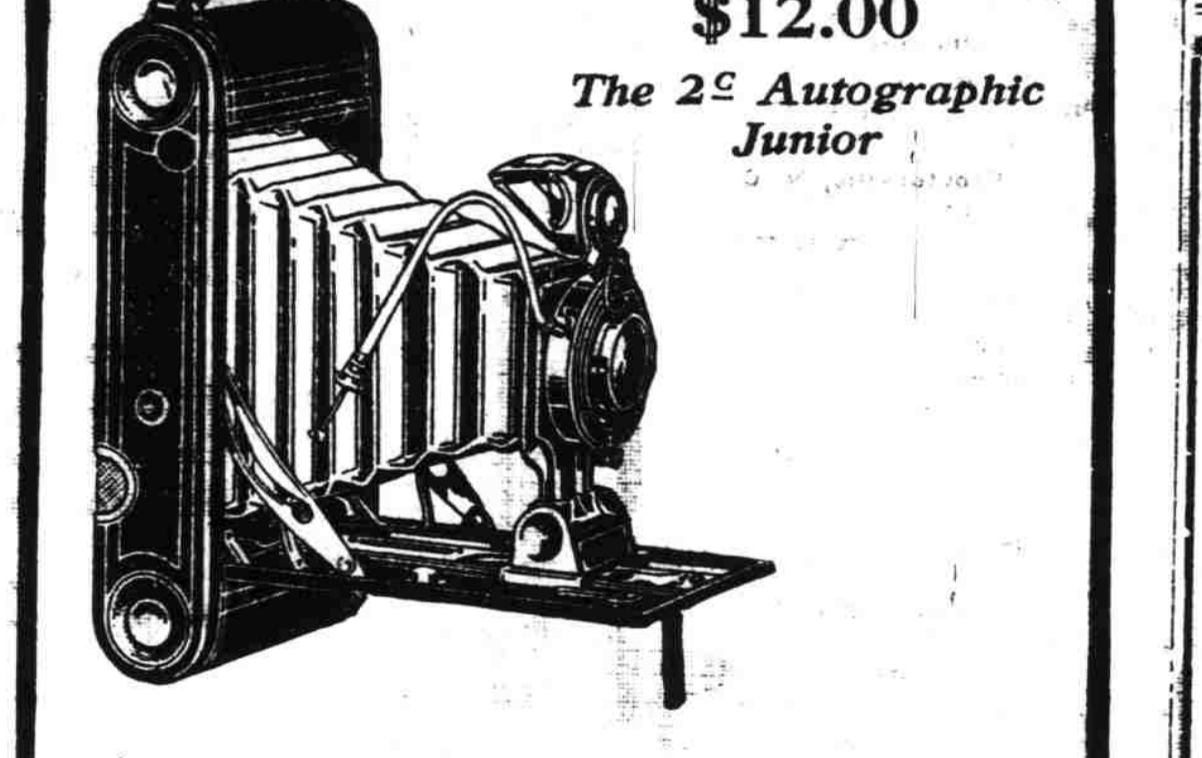
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We do not know of any more fitting way of expressing our thanks for the many good things we have received during this first year in Wilmington, than to reciprocate by offering you at an exceptional bargain, something that you will really appreciate and enjoy for several months to come.

Our Thank Offering just arrived today via express and will be placed on sale Friday beginning at 9 a. m.

There are in the lot 12 dozen large Sailor Shape Hats, Plush Hats, Hand Tailored in black and colors.

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U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	100,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure deposits	50,000.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	50,000.00
Stocks and bonds	6,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	6,200.00
Real estate	7,613.14
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer	5,000.00
CASH ON HAND AND DUE FROM BANKS	1,430,284.58
Total	\$4,121,943.14
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	127,000.00
Reserve for interest	4,112.21
Circulation	100,000.00
DEPOSITS	3,780,829.90
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