

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

(By Mrs. Madge Webb Riley, Phone 30)

Cecilia Music Club Postponed.

The Cecilia Music club which was to have met with Mrs. P. L. Hennessy, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 has been postponed.

Music and Art Postponed

The Music and Art Department of the Woman's club which was to have met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Oscar Suttle has been postponed.

Veterans to be Remembered

At the call meeting of the U. D. C. Tuesday afternoon it was decided to give the veterans in town baskets of fruit and send handkerchiefs and post cards to those in the county as a Christmas offering. Mrs. Morgan appointed the following women to serve on the basket committee: Mrs. Frank Roberts, Mrs. S. O. Andrews, Mrs. Chas. S. Young and Mrs. L. M. Hull, Mrs. Houser and Mrs. Joan Schenck to send the cards and handkerchiefs.

Mrs. Wilbur Baber Honored

Mrs. Wilbur Baber who has been showered with lovely parties as one of Shelby's most popular brides was again honored at a lovely afternoon tea given by Mrs. Roger Laughridge at her home on Saturday afternoon. Assisting Mrs. Laughridge in receiving were Mrs. George Hoyle, Mrs. Baber, Mrs. Short, Mrs. Honeycutt, Mrs. Noggles and Mrs. Ford. Mrs. Jap Suttle poured tea; Mrs. Laughridges charming little children assisted her. The afternoon was delightfully spent and delicious refreshments were served.

Crowder-Gantt Wedding

A wedding of much interest in Shelby and the Lawndale-Polkville section was that of Mrs. Dora Crowder and Mr. E. G. Gantt at the home of Rev. J. M. Ridenhour on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Mrs. Crowder is a popular woman of the Polkville community with a host of friends, while Mr. Gantt is a prominent business man of Shelby, operating a public dray Mr. and Mrs. Gantt are making their home on West Warren street. They have the best wishes of a host of friends.

Twentieth Century With Mrs. Hoyle

Mrs. George Hoyle was hostess to the Twentieth Century club on Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The program of the afternoon was given by Mrs. Leo B. Weathers, Mrs. S. O. Andrews and Mrs. O. Max Gardner. The subject, "The Stamp Act on the Cape Fear," "The Last of the Royal Governors," and "John Harvey, Organizer of Revolution," were intelligently handled by these women and much knowledge gained by the members. Mrs. Hoyle served an appetizing salad course, assisted by Mrs. Hennessy, Mrs. Baber and Mrs. McClure.

Ishpeming With Miss Ebeltoft

One of the loveliest parties ushering in the holiday season was given by Miss Elizabeth Ebeltoft when she entertained the Ishpeming club at her home on Friday afternoon at four o'clock. The living room represented the Christmas spirit in decorations and welcome. Holly, cedar and little red Christmas candles were used very artistically and a Christmas tree adorned the table, while Christmas music was played on the Victrola. The subject of the program was "Famous Women," the roll call being answered with the name of a woman of note. Mrs. George Moore read a most interesting paper showing Miss Florence Nightingale's personal side and this was followed by "The Life of Miss Helen Keller," written in her own appealing way, read by Miss Elizabeth McBrayer. Mrs. John Schenck Jr. rendered an enjoyable violin solo and Mrs. S. R. Riley read a Christmas story. The refreshments carried out the holiday decorations and were delicious. Miss Ebeltoft was assisted in serving by her mother, Mrs. T. W. Ebeltoft and Mrs. Felix O. Gee.

Don't forget Campbells great ready-to-wear sale that is now running in full blast. Everything in men's, women's and children's ready-to-wear cut to the core for these sale days. It will pay you well to see them. Ad

Son of Cleveland In "Main Street Folks"

Another Cleveland county product comes in for mention in the "Main Street Folks" feature run daily in the Gastonia Gazette as "thumb-nail sketches of people you know." This time man who took his first view of old Mother Earth in this county happens to be Charlie Hord. Says the Gazette:

"A real officer, that's Charlie Hord, one of Gastonia's pair of motorcycle cops, the flying squadron, sometimes called. What it takes to run down speeders, to go after the worst criminal in the gang, or to turn in a hard-boiled guy, Charlie Hord's got it. All his 245 pounds of brawn and muscle are there to stand for it, and the man that can put anything over on him is not around here.

Charlie is one of the finest specimens of physical man in Gaston county. He is as hard as nails and a giant in strength.

Charlie Hord has been on the city police force for some seven years. He came directly on the force from Maj. Bulwinkle's national guard outfit, old Company B, N. C., N. G. Charlie Hord was a line sergeant, and one of the best that ever wore the chevrons. His superior never had to tell him anything but once, and they knew that their orders would be carried out to the letter. Congressman Bulwinkle was captain, and Clyde Craig, first lieutenant, of the company.

Like Hugh White, Mrs. McConnell and Parker and Van Sleen, Charlie is one of these sharks when it comes to shooting. He holds all kinds of records and trophies won at national shoots. While in the national guard he won several medals and honor for his rifle shooting. Later he went to national civilian shoots at Camp Perry and to Caldwell, N. J., where he again won honors. Fair warning is hereby given all evil-doers not to get in the way of Charlie Hord's gun for he can shoot as straight as Daniel Boone was ever known to shoot. And he can draw and fire as quickly as any frontiersman ever could.

Charlie Hord is a native of Cleveland county, the son of the late Captain Hord, a noted band leader in his day, known far and wide in Lincoln and Cleveland counties. Charlie has been living in Gaston some 10 or 12 years.

He and Carl Elliott, the 'gold dust twins,' are Gastonia's motorcycle cops, efficient, courteous officers, both of them."

Kings Mountain Man And His Son Killed

Automobile Struck by Train Near Gastonia. Father Dies Trying to Rescue Son.

In an effort to save his ten-year-old son from the wheels of an oncoming train, Will Costner, of Kings Mountain, was killed Sunday afternoon about two miles west of Gastonia when his automobile was struck by the Piedmont Limited, one of the Southern Railway's fast trains.

The bodies of both Costner and his son were taken to a Gastonia undertaking establishment.

The accident is said to have happened when the automobile driven by Costner stalled on the tracks in front of the train. Seven passengers including the wife, daughter and mother-in-law of the dead man, are said to have been in the automobile at the time of the affair.

Six of the seven, including Costner, had escaped from the automobile when it was noticed that the boy was still in the machine. His father returned to the car in a frantic effort to save the child, but was unable to extricate him from the automobile before the train struck it.

He is reported to have stopped his machine in obedience to the law and to have stalled his engine after he reached the tracks and saw the train bearing down upon him.

Mr. Costner, who was about 50 years of age, was employed at the Margrace mill in Kings Mountain, and is not thought to have been related to the Costner families in this section.

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When shopping for Xmas don't forget Campbell's the yhave what you want at less money. Try and see.

THE NEW PRINCESS

Special Music Daily—Matinee 2 to 4 P. M.—Night 7:30 to 10:30

TODAY—

Paramount pictures presents one of Penrhyn Stanlaw's production with Bebe Daniels, James Kirkwood, Anna Nelson and Adolphe Menjou in one of the strongest features Miss Daniels has yet appeared in. Don't miss it. Entitled, "THE PINK GODS." A powerful domestic drama bristling with tense and crashing climax is unfolded in the picture. The setting is the colorful region of the famous Kimberly diamond mines. The heroine, a fascinating bride with somewhat of a fliriting disposition, allowing her to love for exquisite jewels to lure her in to the diamond king. It's a big picture with a big climax.

TOMORROW—SPECIAL—

William Fox presents one of his big superattractions entitled "MONTA CRISTO." This picture comes highly recommended and it is a picture containing love, romance and filled with thrills. It's a picture you have been waiting for. Admission 15c and 30c.

COMING THURSDAY—

Carl Leammel presented that dainty actress, Miss Gladys Walton in her latest special attraction entitled "THE UNTAMEABLE." Miss Walton is at her best in this special picture.

EXTRA: "THE FOX NEWS."

Coming special in connection with our big picture. A big musical comedy, "MILLION DOLLAR BABY" carrying special scenery beautiful wardrobe, good singing, dancing. Here December 24, 25, and 26th, carrying 14 people. Watch this paper for announcement FRIDAY.

Christmas Candies and Fruits

Here is the place to buy your Christmas candies. We make a quantity of loose candies and can therefore save you money. We carry all kinds. Many candies in pretty Christmas boxes.

FRUITS—Such as oranges, apples, bananas, tangerines, grapes and all kinds of nuts. This is just the place for Santa Claus to get his "goodies."

See the pretty baskets of mixed fruits. We make a specialty of them every year.

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Union Bank Building

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FOR SALE—ONE MILK COW. See Mrs. S. E. Hoey, 312 E. Marion Street. 4-7p. FOR RENT TWO STORY HOUSE front court square. Mrs. W. C. Corbett. 4-7p. COMMERCIAL AND OLD FASHIONED pound cake for Christmas season. Guaranteed to please. Best's Bakery. 2-14c. FOR SALE BICYCLE. SEE JOE C Washburn, Best's Bakery. 2-14p. CARRY YOUR ALTERING TO the sewing room over Union Trust Company. tf-2c. WANTED TO BUY SECOND hand bicycle, medium size. Must be cheap R. M. Grayson 2-18p. MORRISON TRANSFER IS SYNGYMOUS with SERVICE. Long and short distance hauling, excavating and yard filling a specialty. We do anything. tf-27c. BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS CANDIES, oranges, apples, bananas, nuts, raisins, etc., from J. N. Dellinger and save money. 2-18c. FOR RENT FRONT ROOM CLOSE in. Furnished, water and lights. Apply at Star office. tf-4p. TRY THE NEW SHOE SHOP in charge of experienced men. First class work and material Ramsey and Smith Just west of College Inn on Graham street. tf-14c. PORTRAITS THAT PLEASE can be had at The Ellis Studio. 4t-7c. PICTURE FRAMING WHILE you wait at the Ellis Studio. Oval frames with convex glass. A nice line of dresser frames at a low price. Call and see samples. 4t-7c. BEST SEALSWEET ORANGES \$3.50 per box at J. N. Dellinger's. 2-18c. MONEY TO LEND ON FARM lands at five and one-half per cent interest through Federal Land Bank. Rush Stroup 8-20c. THREE ROOMS FOR RENT ON East Graham street. Mrs. L. H. McMurry. tf-7c. WANTED YOU TO LIST YOUR real estate for sale with J. B. Nolan, Lawndale. 8-23c. FOR RENT—THREE ROOMS with or without furniture for light housekeeping. One block from square. Majestic range in kitchen. I expect to be away. Mamie Jones. tf-4c. PAINTING AND PAPERING of the better class, local or long distance, in or out of town, any place where good work is wanted. We are not too big for little jobs or too little for big ones. If it's to be painted, papered or decorated we do it. First class. Let us figure with you. Bob Mode & Co., Shelby, N. C., Phone 545. tf-26c. IF YOU WANT THE BEST FLOUR buy from J. N. Dellinger and save money. 2-18c. THE M. P. COLEY AGENCY Shenandoah Life Ins. Co., Inc., has attractive agent's contract to offer men of ability. Office Royster building, Shelby, N. C. Phone 200. 6-7c. HAVE YOUR OLD SPOTTED mirrors made like new at Shelby Mirror and plating Works, Phone 526, Ellis Studio Building. tf-8c. WANTED HICKORY LOGS, LUMBER and dimension stock. Good prices. The Ivey Manufacturing Co., Hickory, N. C. 12-23p. FOR SALE—SEVERAL USED Ford's. Practically new '22 and '23 models. D. A. Beam Motor Co. 6-7c. CAR LOAD OF SPRAYED hand picked apples at Southern Railway December 18th to 22nd. T. C. Bryson. 6-30p. IF IT'S GLASSES YOU NEED don't forget to see H. D. Wilson at Paul Webb's Drug Store. tf-7c. WE CAN HAUL ANYTHING anywhere. Let us move you, we do it better and cheaper. Morrison Transfer Co., Telephone 406. tf-6. ON SATURDAY DEC. 22, 1923, I will sell to the highest bidder at my store two miles north of—Waco the following articles: five hundred boxes candy, dishes, fruits, mill feed, flour and too many other things to mention. D. S. Nolan. 1-18p. FOR SALE ONE A NO 1 JERSEY milk cow. Dr. C. M. Peeler. tf-18c. WANTED TO LIST \$100,000 worth of good farms at medium price to show prospective customers. See me now. J. B. Nolan, Lawndale, N. C. FOR SALE 90 ACRES ON STATE highway at Beams Mill at \$115.50 per acre. 100 acres adjoining at \$65 per acre, 87 1-2 acres adjoining this at \$25 per acre. J. B. Nolan, Lawndale, N. C. 1-18c. FRUIT CAKE 50 CENTS POUND. Sizes two and three pounds. Don't bake it yourself but buy Best's fruit cake, it pleases all. 2-14c. LOST—STATE LICENSE TAG No. 101875 Return to Paul Allen, Shelby, R-5 2-18p. THE VERY BEST CANDIES AT the lowest prices at J. N. Dellinger's 1-18c. TRY STAR WANT ADS.

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