



SOCIETY

All items intended for this department must be telephoned or sent in to the Society Editor before 11 a. m., the day before publication. All news items of interest to women are welcomed.
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Mesdames Riley, Gardner And Burgess Hostesses

Mesdames S. R. Riley, O. Max Gardner and Eugene Burgess were joint hostesses with a tea on Tuesday afternoon from four to six, to a number of Shelby's younger social set, the teachers, and a few others, honoring Mrs. Charles Hoey, a recent bride and kinswoman, Mrs. J. McRae Hatch, of Thomasville, Ga., the house guest of the Webbs-Gardners, Mrs. E. Y. Webb Jr., and Miss Dorothy McBrayer, a charming fall bride to be. Sharing honors with these were Mrs. Joe Cabiness and Mrs. Graham Anthony, of Hartford, Conn. The rooms of the spacious colonial home were thrown together and charmingly and artistically decorated with fall flowers, roses and golden red. Greeting the guests at the door were Mrs. J. A. Anthony and Miss Margaret Anthony. The receiving line was formed in the parlor and consisted of Mrs. O. Max Gardner, who wore orange and yellow taffeta with cream lace trimmings, made period style. Mrs. Charles Hoey wore white chiffon trimmed in moire bands of white; Mrs. J. McRae Hatch wore orchid georgette with crystal trimmings; Mrs. E. Y. Webb Jr., wore yellow georgette crystal beaded; Miss Dorothy McBrayer wore white satin with fur trimmings; Mrs. Graham Anthony wore rose chiffon; Mrs. Joe Cabiness wore cream lace over satin; Mrs. R. M. Gidney wore peach beaded georgette; Mrs. Eugene Burgess wore yellow taffeta and tulle with rose trimmings and made robe de style and Mrs. S. R. Riley wore black taffeta embroidered in wool flowers, period style.

Inviting the guests into the dining room were Mrs. George Blanton and Mrs. J. D. Lineberger. The yellow and white color scheme was carried out in here. The table was covered with an exquisite lace cloth over yellow satin. Centering this was a large silver bowl filled with yellow and gold marigolds and gray dusty miller in all its daintiness. On the two opposite corners were placed small silver filagree baskets filled with these flowers and opposite these were silver bowls of smaller size holdings nuts. On each side of the center piece were tall silver candlesticks with crystal pendants and the candlesticks held yellow tapers. On each end of the table tall silver urns in silver trays were placed and serving coffee from these were Mrs. James L. Webb dressed in black lace and touches of yellow and Mrs. Mary E. McBrayer in black chiffon and lavender trimmings and rare old lace. Assisting in serving and entertaining in here were Mrs. W. L. Fanning, Mrs. W. F. Mitchell, Mrs. Will Arey and Miss Stella Murcheson. Chicken salad, beaten biscuit, pickles, crackers and cheese straws, were served with the hot coffee. Inviting the guests into the large library was Mrs. Louis Gardner. Serving orange and lemon ice in here were Mrs. Robert Andrews, Mrs. Gerald McBrayer, Miss Sue Andrews and Mrs. Talmadge Gardner. The large crystal punch bowl was placed on the table which was colored with a mederia and filet lace cloth, with a large vase of golden red at one end. Inviting the guests to the South parlor was Mrs. Harry Woodson. The register was provided over by Mrs. William Andrews and receiving in here were Mrs. J. J. McMurphy and Mrs. J. T. Gardner. About one hundred and fifty of Shelby's younger social set called during the hours.

Afternoon Division No. 2 To Meet
Afternoon division No. 2 of the Woman's club will meet at the club rooms tomorrow afternoon, Thursday, at four o'clock. The hostesses will be Mesdames M. H. Leverette, W. T. Alexander and Miss Ollie Hamrick.

Riding Club Enjoy Picnic
The Shelby riding club enjoyed a most delightful picnic on Monday evening riding to the Sam Lattimore farm where they had a supper served in picnic style. The winds were eaten with relish after a splendid ride. Mesdames John Wynn Doggett, John Schenck, jr., and Alfred Marshall planned and fixed the much enjoyed menu.

Mothers Club
With Mrs. D. Z. Newton
Mrs. D. Z. Newton was the charming hostess on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at her lovely home on the Cleveland Springs road, to the members of the Mothers' club. The guests assembled promptly at four, and a most interesting program was rendered after a business session. The programs were discussed and much enthusiasm was displayed over the studies they expect to learn this winter, at the conclusion of the program Mrs. Newton, served appetizing refreshments.

Cecilia Club
With Mrs. S. R. Riley
Mrs. S. R. Riley entertained the members of the Cecilia music club on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of her parents, Judge and Mrs. James L. Webb. The rooms were artistically decorated with fall flowers and golden red and pink roses. The evening was called to order by the president, Mrs. William McDaniel, and after the roll call and minutes, a business session was held this being the first meeting of the fall. Many things of importance were discussed and decided upon. When the business session was concluded the program was then taken up. The subject of the afternoon was "Early American Music." A beautiful quartet was sung by Miss Bertha Bostic, Grady Lovelace and Mrs. C. Little, jr., and Mrs. Wyeth. This was followed by an interesting paper, "The Music of Early Settlers" given by Mrs. Arey. Mrs. McCord followed with a beautiful piano solo in the absence of Mrs. DeWitt. Mrs. Ben Suttle sang lovingly the "Bayou song" and Will Harris closed, with a charming instrumental solo. The club had as its delightful visitor, Mrs. J. McRae Hatch, of Thomasville, Ga., and Mrs. Joe Cabiness, of Hartford, Conn., and Mrs. Graham Anthony, of Hartford, Conn. Mrs. Cabiness is a regular member and is always welcomed as she was one of the original music club members when she had several years ago. The conclusion of the meeting was assisted by her mother-in-law, James L. Webb, and her sister, Mrs. O. Max Gardner, and Mrs. Eugene Burgess. A salad and sweet course was served by Frank Love, of Lincoln, also present as an honorary member.

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Secret Of Farm Success in County

Gastonia Gazette.
The trip taken to Cleveland county by the group of Gaston farmers, a detailed account which is given elsewhere, ought to be very helpful. The local farmers saw something of the workings of a successful creamery, a rare thing in these parts indeed. It is all in the management. There can be only one boss and what he says must go. The trouble with most co-operative affairs is that there are about as many bosses as there are stockholders.
An examination and study of this creamery in Shelby showed the farmers that there must be a surplus of milk in a community before a creamery will pay, and, too, that they must be satisfied with less for their milk than they can get from retailing it. Some 1,200 farmers patronize the Shelby creamery, none of whom have very large dairy herds. Most of them have only five or six cows and what milk they sell is over and above what they use at home. It is collected by route drivers. The farmer sets his milk out by the side of the road and that is all he does. Much of the success depends on the skill of the collector.

The poultry business is going fire in Cleveland county. Several farmers are going into the business on rather large scale and are more than making good at it. Elsewhere is related the story of the man who is making 200 per cent profit on his broilers.

Cleveland is a big cotton-growing county. More than 40,000 bales will be raised this year, nearly 50,000. They go in for cotton and fertilize heavily.

The Shelby cold storage plant is a privately owned concern, dealing mainly in eggs. But it shows what can be done with other perishable stuff. These eggs are bought up in the early spring and summer at very low prices, shipped to this storage plant and kept there all summer. In the fall and winter they are sold on the northern markets at a fancy price.

There are but few big dairy herds in Cleveland county. Most of the milk comes from small herds. The Clevelanders raise a great deal of foodstuffs. Already they are beginning to make the annual crop of homemade molasses. On several farms we saw the cane mill in operation, the patient old mule furnishing the motive power.

Perhaps the biggest secret of the success of the Cleveland farmers consists in the aid rendered by the Cleveland board of agriculture. It is a board composed of representative men from every township and a number of business men of the town of Shelby. In this way the farmers and business men are tied together for the benefit of both.

If County Agent Altman can crystallize the sentiment resulting from the trip into something tangible for the farmers of Gaston county, we shall soon see a revolutionary change in some of the methods. A more extensive outline of the trip is given in the news columns of the Gazette.

NOTICE OF SERVICE BY PUBLICATION.
North Carolina—Cleveland county.—In the Superior court.
Cora Henry, plaintiff,
vs.
Tom Henry, Defendant.

The defendant above mentioned will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior court of Cleveland county, N. C., for the purpose of dissolving the bonds of matrimony as in case of divorce absolute on the grounds of five years separation; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the term of the Superior court of said county to be held on the first Monday of November, 1926, at the court house door of said county, in Shelby, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

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