

# SOCIETY News

MISS MAYME ROBERTS—Social Editor—Phone 256.  
News Items Telephoned Miss Roberts Will Be Appreciated.

### Business Woman's Circle.

The Business Woman's missionary society of Central Methodist church will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock with Misses Verta and Frances Hendrick at their home on South DeKalb street.

### Music and Art Meeting.

Mesdames Aaron Quinn and Tom Moore will entertain the members of the Music and Arts department of the Woman's club Wednesday afternoon with a musical at the club room at 4 o'clock.

### Presbyterian Church Notices.

Monday 4 p. m.—Circle No. 1—Mrs. L. U. Arrowood, E. Marion street.

Monday 4 p. m.—Circle No. 2—Mrs. E. Y. Webb, S. Washington street.

Monday 4 p. m.—Circle No. 3—Mrs. Jimmy Blanton, W. Warren street.

Monday 4 p. m.—Senior girls circle No. 4—Mrs. J. P. Jenkins, S. Washington street.

Monday 7:30 p. m.—Business Woman's circle at the church.

### Mrs. Draper Wood Entertains Ishpenings.

The Blue Parrot Tea room which is most attractively done in blue and yellow, was never more inviting than on Thursday afternoon when Mrs. Draper Wood was a delightful hostess to the members of the Ishpening club, with a lovely bridge party. The four tables were graced with bouquets of roses and other beautiful flowers were used in profusion.

Mrs. C. B. Suttle won the high score prize and Miss Elizabeth Ebeltoft won second high score prize. At the close of the games, a salad course followed by delicious strawberry short cake was served. Special guests of the club were Mesdames Robert Lancy and Henry Edwards.

### First Baptist Church.

Monday 3:45 p. m.—Pauline Lide circle, Mrs. J. S. Dorton, N. LaFayette street.

Monday 3:30 p. m.—Mary Archer circle, Mrs. B. T. Falls, W. Warren street.

Monday 3:30 p. m.—Attie Bostic circle, Mrs. W. A. Pendleton, S. Washington street.

Monday 3:30 p. m.—Fannie Heck circle, Mrs. S. S. Royster, S. Washington street.

Monday 3:30 p. m.—Ann Judson circle, Mrs. Paul Webb, N. Morgan street.

Monday 4 p. m.—Louise English No. 3, Mrs. Horace Eason, W. Warren street.

Monday 3:30 p. m.—Louise English No. 1, Mrs. J. W. Doggett, Cleveland Springs Estate.

### Final P. T. A. Meeting.

The Parent-Teachers association of the LaFayette street school held their final meeting of this year Tuesday evening at LaFayette St. school building.

This has been one of the most successful years and much good has been accomplished. A special program had been prepared by Mrs. Henry Edwards, teacher of the second grade, presenting her pupils in a play, "The Turic's Birthday Party." The second grade was also awarded the prize for the greatest number of parents present. After the program was given a business meeting was held and the following officers for next year were elected: President, Mrs. Everett Putnam; first vice president, Mrs. Tom Lee; second vice president, Mrs. Eward Henness; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Henry Edwards.

### Mrs. J. A. Blanton Hostess to Thursday Afternoon Club.

The home of Mrs. L. A. Blanton on South DeKalb street as a bower of beautiful roses, snapdragons, primroses and other lovely flowers, yesterday afternoon, when Mrs. Blanton was a charming hostess to the Thursday afternoon club with four tables of bridge. Each of the tables was graced with crystal vases of white and pink primroses, and a large crystal basket of red radiance roses centered the dining table. After a number of exciting progressions, the hostess was assisted by Mesdames Alton Story and Flay Hoey in serving an elegant salad course followed by ice cream and cake. Guests besides the club members were: Mrs. Jim Beam and daughter, Miss Ruth Beam and Mrs. L. L. Sloop of Cherryville, Mrs. Carl Currence of Gastonia, Mesdames J. R. Osborne and J. Y. Irvin.

### Miss McBrayer Hostess to Club.

Miss Elizabeth McBrayer charmingly entertained the members of the Ishpening club Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at her home on N. Morgan street.

A profusion of roses and other spring flowers were attractively arranged in the reception hall and living room.

A most interesting miscellaneous program was given on "Current Topics." Mrs. Pitt Beam read a paper on "The Talkies." Mrs. J. W. Doggett on "Mother's Day." Mrs. J. S. Dorton gave a sketch of the life and works of Henry Bennett and Mrs. D. W. Royster concluded the program with a paper on "The Memorial Trees on the Highways."

After a short business session, the hostess was assisted by Mesdames Paul Webb and Paul Webb, Jr. in serving a delicious salad course with accessories. Out of town guests were: Mrs. Robert Lancy, of Monroe and Ladd Hamrick of Bowling Springs.

### Mr. Hill Weds Miss Pauline Hopper.

(Charlotte Observer.) A wedding of cordial interest to a wide circle of friends in this city and Virginia was that of Miss Pauline Hopper and Mr. L. M. Hill which was quietly solemnized yesterday at high noon at St. Peter's rectory, Rev. Ambrose Gallagher, pastor of St. Peter's Catholic church officiating. The ring ceremony was used. The bride's pastor was away attending the Southern Baptist convention in Memphis.

There were no attendants. The bride wore a smart frock of powder blue chiffon and a French hat of pale pink straw and a shoulder bouquet of sweetheart roses and lilies of the valley.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Hill left via motor for a 10 days' trip to Lake Lure and Asheville. The bride traveled in a dark blue ensemble with accessories to match. On their return to the city the young couple will be at home in the Catawba apartments.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Major Hopper of Shelby and is one of the cleverest young women in the state and is petite, pretty and attractive and is much admired by a host of friends. She has resided in Charlotte for the past six years.

Mr. Hill is the son of the late John R. Hill and Mrs. Mary M. Hill of Richmond, Va. He has made his home in Charlotte for some time past and is assistant superintendent of the Atlantic and Pacific warehouse. Mr. Hill is a young business man of exceptional ability and commands a wide circle of friends in this city and Richmond.

### Garden Clubs.

The following from the Raleigh News and Observer will be of special interest to members of Garden clubs in this section:

"The annual meeting of the Garden club of North Carolina was held Wednesday at the Hotel Sir Walter, when the Raleigh Garden club was hostess to other clubs of the state.

"The meeting was called to order Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock by Mrs. R. D. Gopen, of Reidsville, president of the Garden club of North Carolina. All members of the local and visiting clubs were invited to attend the session.

"When business of the meeting had been transacted, Mrs. Albert Schwab, of New York, gave a lecture, having as her subject, "Landscaping Your Own Gardens." The lecture was illustrated by colored lantern slides on the subject.

"The state officers of the federation and the president and voting delegates of the visiting clubs were entertained at luncheon at the Hotel Sir Walter at 1:30 o'clock and at 2:45 o'clock all members of visiting clubs assembled in the ball room where groups were formed to visit the gardens of Mrs. Hubert Royster, Mrs. Clarence Shore, Dr. Della Dixon Carroll, Mrs. John Higham, Mrs. John Andrews and Mrs. Louis A. Mailer, president of the Raleigh club, who entertained the visitors at tea in the afternoon from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock at her person street residence.

Members of No. 2 Division Entertained. Mesdames Horace Grigg, W. T. Alexander and C. R. Webb were joint hostesses yesterday afternoon, entertaining the members of No. 2 division of the Woman's club and a number of guests with a very delightful social meeting. The club room on this occasion was beautifully decorated with quantities of white and pink peonies, roses and snapdragons. Mrs. D. Z. Newton, the chairman, asked the club to pause a few minutes in memory of Mrs. Sallie Southall Cotton, who is known as the mother of the state federated clubs, and was buried at her home in Farmville Monday.

Mrs. W. T. Alexander gave a very interesting report of the state federation held in Charlotte last week, which she attended.

Mrs. Horace Grigg in a very graceful manner announced the following entertaining program in rhyme: Two violin selections, the first by McDowell and "One Alone,"

from the Desert Song by Mr. W. S. Buchanan. Miss Coleman played the piano accompaniment. Miss Carobel Lever gave a humorous reading "Maggie McCarty on Reception." Mrs. W. H. Nix read a paper on "Twelve of the Greatest Men of North Carolina," emphasizing the fact that our own "Max Gardner, the present governor, ranks among the first on the list."

Mrs. George Hoyle, dressed as a negro mammy gave a negro spiritual "Nobody Knows the Trouble I See." The program was closed with a minuet given by the fourth grade pupils of Washington street school wearing the colonial costumes.

Mrs. Herman Eskridge assisted the hostesses in serving a delicious salad course with punch and candies. The invited guests were: Mesdames Oscar Palmer, Lee B. Weathers, D. D. Pou, Hugh Walker, W. B. Nix, J. F. Whisnant, Jack Palmer, George Hoyle, Joe Nash, Misses Elizabeth Coleman, Dorothy Grigg, Ettalie Moses, Kate Webb, Mayme Roberts, Mr. Buchanan and all the children who acted their parts so beautifully on the program.

### At The Theatres

The Webb is advertising "Syncope" to be continued today and tomorrow. This feature, shown, last night, drew from the crowd about the highest commendation that has been heard at the theatre in many a day. It is a talking, singing, dancing show—lively, bright, with just enough plot to carry the interest. Showing with the main attraction are Movietone and Vitaphone acts, and to fill the program to overflowing a comedy and news reel are added. Advertised as coming the first of next week is one of the most popular of them all, "The Singing Fool."

The Princess offered the public yesterday, and will repeat the program again today and tomorrow, one of the most remarkable pictures ever seen on any screen. "Behind the German Lines," is the title, giving a first hand and authentic pictorial account of the war from the German angle. It reveals such scenes as we read about, and imagine, but never see. You see men actually being shot to pieces by heavy ordnance. And you get an unforgettable idea of conditions behind the front. The picture historically is of first importance. It is released by Paramount. Clara Bow is advertised as coming Monday.

### Penny Column

HOTEL VICTOR HAS several clean, cool rooms to rent at reasonable rates, with or without meals. Call 780 for rates. 41-10c

ICE CREAM Freezers are sold by Cleveland Hardware Co. Frost King or White Mountain. 1tc

SEE CLEVELAND Hardware Co.'s line of Cotton Hoes. Good line to select from. 1tc

FOR SALE, REGISTERED Jersey bull 18 months old. Price \$50.00. Grady Daves, Mooresboro, N. C. R-2. 1t 10p

GET OUR PRICES on Nails and Builders' Hardware before you build. We will save you money. Cleveland Hardware Co. 1tc

MILK BOTTLES at wholesale prices. See Us. Cleveland Hardware Co. 1tc

Lamps are found at Cleveland Hardware Co. Phone 73. 1tc

Keep Little Ones Well and Comfortable and they'll stay happy and healthy from babyhood thru school days. Its vegetable oils are wonderfully helpful to maintain bowel regularity so essential to healthy children. At all druggists.



### WINSLOW'S SYRUP

Every Monday, Wednesday and Thursday morning, 11:05 to 11:10

After lending \$25 to a friend and finding that the latter could not

### New Non-Corrosive Metal Revealed

Pocket Device For Testing Liquor Perfected—Many Other Marvelous Inventions.

New York—New discoveries of science, ranging from a pocket liquor tester to a new non-corrosive metal, were on view today at the twelfth exposition of chemical industries in Grand Central Palace.

The new metal is called columbium and was recently isolated for the first time by Dr. C. W. Blake, formerly of the University of Illinois, who in 1912 isolated another rare metal called tantalum. Only 25 pounds of it are in existence.

The liquor tester is the invention of A. M. Matheson of North Bergen, N. J. It determines the presence of wood or denatured alcohol by mixing liquor with a chemical solution. Wood alcohol turns the mixture pink and denatured alcohol, yellow.

Other inventions. Other marvels include a device for opening garage doors by blowing a horn three times; a measuring instrument so sensitive it records the bending of a steel rail un-

der pressure of the little finger; a dye which injected into the sap of a tree colors the wood, a two-pound ice box for airplanes made of Balsa wood; and concrete made of peanut shells.

A process whereby fruits and vegetables may be shipped green from the farm and ripened for the dining table within a few hours by use of thylene gas also was demonstrated. This same gas, it

ing the buoyance of the ship because its specific gravity is little less than of air.

The exposition, which will continue through the week, was opened by televox, the mechanical man, who obeying the command of a whistle over a telephone, turned on a siren, started awashing machine, turned on a vacuum cleaner and in other ways demonstrated its use to housewives.

### Are You Happy—Healthy?

READ MRS. SNIDER'S INTERESTING LETTER

"I suffered for 20 years with nervousness, indigestion and constipation, and for two years was bothered with female trouble. Excessive and irregular periods caused me to spend much of my time in bed. I was in a general run down condition, and very discouraged. I began taking PEARSON'S HERB TONIC and SYSTEM CLEANSER, taking 10 bottles. It regulated my periods, restored my appetite and made me feel like a new woman, although I am 47 years old. I have taken many medicines, but find that PEARSON'S HERB TONIC and SYSTEM CLEANSER is the only one that will give perfect relief. I advise any person who suffers with any of the above troubles to advise their dealer for a bottle of this wonderful tonic."

MRS. W. L. SNIDER, R. F. D. No. 7, Salisbury, N. C. ALL GOOD DRUG STORES \$1.00



ANOTHER SHIPMENT OF THOSE

# WONDERFUL SILK DRESSES

At \$10.00

See Them In The Window

If you haven't seen the \$10.00 Dresses at The Paragon you've missed a treat. Its hard to believe that such lovely styles and materials can be sold so low. And now we have another lot just added to stock. Such a variety of fabrics and styles, white georgettes for graduation, little party frocks and a great assortment of them with and without sleeves in plain and printed crepes.



### SLEEVELESS GORGETTES

So Very Attractive At

\$15.00

The kind of dress you'll get loads of service from. They are neatly tailored, tiny tucks and plaits. Some have lace collars. Colors of navy, white and pastels.

Sizes Up To 44.

UNUSUAL STYLES

# WASH FROCKS

SIZES TO 46

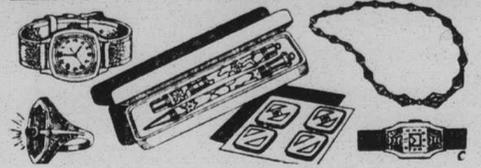
\$1.00

For One Dollar you get the best Dress possible in the neatest styles and materials. You'll buy several at this low price. We consider them much better than the average Dollar dress. ....

A GREAT VALUE IN HOUSE DRESSES

# THE PARAGON DEPT. STORE

"SHELBY'S BEST."



## SATURDAY SPECIALS

AT

# Alexander's

GENTLEMEN'S STRAP WATCHES

An Excellent Value \$6.75

LADIES' BRACELET WATCH

Equally Good Value \$6.75

LADIES' RINGS

Stone Set — white Gold. Very attractive and worth much more \$5.50

Extra Special in Gentlemen's Strap Watch

\$3.95

OUR MEEKER LINE

Don't fail to see our beautiful display of MEEKER GOODS. These are genuine steer hide Hand Bags—as enduring as they are appealing—nothing more exquisite in the store.

FOR THE GRADUATE

The graduation season is approaching once more. Come. Pick out your gift. Let us put it aside for you. We have any number of charming things that would be appropriate, from watches and diamonds, to pen and pencil sets, pearls, bracelets, bar pins, compacts, etc.

THE MONTH OF BRIDES

June is just ahead. When you get that invitation and your thoughts turn to gifts for the newly weds, remember that a gift from Alexander's will please both you and the bride.

FINE SILVERWARE — LEATHER GOODS NOVELTIES

# George Alexander

— JEWELER —