

SOCIETY

News

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News Items Telephoned Miss Roberts Will Be Appreciated.

Elliotte-Parker Engagement Announcement.
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Parker announce the engagement of their daughter, Mildred Paulette, to John Wesley Elliotte, the wedding to be solemnized in December.

Social Calendar For Week.
Wednesday 3:30 p. m.—The music and art department of the Woman's club will meet at the club room, Mrs. Jean Schenck chairman of hostess committee. All members asked to come prepared to pay club dues.

Thursday 3:30 p. m.—No I division of the Woman's club will meet at the club room, Mrs. John Suttle, chairman of hostess committee. All members are urged to bring money for Christmas seals and return un-sold seals.

Foster And Dellinger Wedding.
A wedding which was of much surprise to the communities of Kings Mountain and Waco was that of Lucy Dellinger and Dan Foster which took place last Sunday afternoon, December 8, at Gaffney. The bride was beautifully dressed in a blue flat crepe dress with accessories to match. She is the youngest daughter of John P. Dellinger of near Waco and a graduate of Waco high school last year. The groom is the oldest son of John Foster from near Kings Mountain, and a well known farmer of that section. They will make their home, at the present, at the groom's parents. Their many friends wish for them a long, happy and successful life.

Wilkins-Hennessa Invitations.
The following handsome invitations have been issued, reading, "Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Edwin Wilkins request the pleasure of your company at the marriage of their daughter, Evelyn Norwood to Mr. Meredith Hunter Hennessa on Friday, the twenty-seventh of December at 11 o'clock in the morning, three hundred South William street Goldsboro."

Miss Wilkins has been a popular teacher in the city schools for the past two years and has hosts of friends in the city. Mr. Hennessa is one of Shelby's most popular young men, having lived here all his life and has been in the furniture business for a number of years. Their marriage will be looked forward to with much interest.

Mrs. Ryburn Hostess To Chicoras.
Mrs. R. L. Ryburn was a charming hostess to the members of the Chicora club and a number of invited guests Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, entertaining at the Woman's club room, which was arranged with Christmas decorations. Mrs. Ryburn had arranged the following very entertaining Christmas program: A story of Christmas times and customs before the war, told by Mrs. Clyde R. Hoy, Mesdames Mary E. McBrayer and J. L. Webb told of Christmas in the seventies.

Mrs. W. B. Nix told of Christmas times in the early nineties, and Mrs. Madge W. Riley made a talk on the "Modern Christmas." A beautiful Christmas Carol was sung by Mesdames Al Bennett, P. L. Hennessa, R. T. LeGrand and W. B. Nix with Mrs. William McCord playing the piano accompaniment. The hostess was assisted by Mesdames F. O. Gee, W. L. Fanning and J. F. Jenkins in serving delicious sandwiches, hot tea, cookies and candy.

American Legion Auxiliary With Mrs. Hamrick.
The home of Mrs. Earl Hamrick on North LaFayette street was decorated with quantities of holly and potted plants Friday afternoon when the American Legion auxiliary met with Mrs. Hamrick. Mrs. Yates McSwain, the vice chairman, presided over the meeting. Mrs. W. A. Abernathy conducted the devotional, after which Capt. Smith led in prayer. Mrs. Harry Hudson had arranged the following delightful program on "Peace." Mrs. Hudson made a lovely talk. Capt. B. L. Smith told in a very interesting manner of "What the Nations are doing to Bring About World Peace."

In the business meeting, it was decided to send a Christmas box to the four boys at Oteen that this auxiliary looks after. Mrs. H. T. Hudson announced that she had made arrangements for the auxiliary to meet hereafter at the club room. Mrs. A. P. Karesh, district chairman of Gastonia, has been invited to be at the next meeting in January. Following the program, a social half hour was spent, and the hostess was assisted by Mesdames G. P. and Ladd Hamrick in serving a delicious sweet course, coffee and nuts. Mesdames Draper Wood, Hugh Logan and Frank Hoyle will be hostesses at the next meeting.

Erwin-Suttle Engagement.
Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Suttle announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth, to William J. Erwin of Great Falls, S. C., the wedding to take place in January. Miss Suttle is a popular member of the young social set and her marriage will be looked forward to with much interest.

Birthdays Party.
Mrs. Carl Leabetter gave a pretty party Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at her home on McBrayer street, honoring her daughter, Miss Marjorie Ledbetter in celebration of her ninth birthday anniversary. Miss Marjorie received her twenty little girl friends in a blue smoked crepe dress. The dining room was arranged in Christmas decorations. The table had as central decorations the large white birthday cake, holding nine pink candles.

Mrs. Ledbetter was assisted by Mesdames G. W. Hamrick and Jap Suttle in serving ice cream, cake and stuffed dates. Each little girl was presented with a Christmas souvenir.

Contract Bridge Club Goes To Gaffney.
Mrs. Clyde Nolan charmingly entertained the Contract Bridge club of which she is a member, Saturday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, in Gaffney, S. C., at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. H. Caldwell on Petty street. The rooms and four card tables were beautifully arranged with holly, mistletoe and other Christmas decorations. The high score prize was won by Mrs. Durham Moore and the second high prize went to Mrs. Connelly Eskridge. Mrs. Nolan was assisted by T. M. Caldwell and Miss Grace Clary in serving a delicious salad and sweet course, a color note of red and green being emphasized as in the decorations. The invited guests besides the club members were: Mesdames Cline Lackey, Ed Dobson, William Goude-

Penny Column

WE BUY JUNK AND WRECKED automobiles, Fink Iron and Metal Co., Trade Alley, rear Kendall Medicine Co., phone 580. tf 16c

FOR RENT: 6 ROOM BRICK veneer house, water, lights. Cline street. See D. H. Cline. 2t 16p

STRAY HOUND, BLACK AND tan, at my home. Owner please call. F. L. Beck, R-4, Shelby. 1t 16p

FOR SALE — ONE GOOD TWO horse wagon. D. W. Gestner, Route 6 Shelby. 2t-16p

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I WILL SELL AT MY HOME near Fallston on Thursday, December 19th, at one o'clock the remainder of my household and kitchen furniture, one Conner washing machine, corn and fodder. Mrs. Buena Hoyle. 1t 16p

BUY THE KIDDIE A DOG FOR Christmas. High bred German Police puppies for sale. See H. O. Champlon at Suttle's Drug Store. 3t-16c

TWO ASSORTMENTS OF individual Christmas cards, beautifully lined envelopes, different sentiment on each card to suit your friends. An assortment of 25 with your name printed on each card for \$2.50. An assortment of 15 cards with your name on each for \$1.75. See samples at The Star office. Immediate delivery. 4t-16p

AN ABSOLUTELY NEW GRAY wicker doll carriage, large size and child's tea party table and chairs to dispose of. Will make some child happy for Christmas. Call Phone 787-W. 1t16p

HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID for scrap copper, brass, aluminum, batteries, radiators, iron, rubber and rags. Fink Iron and Metal Co., Trade Alley, rear Kendall Medicine Co., Phone 580. tf 16c

100 ACRE FARM FOR SALE. five miles from Lincolnton, 80 acres upland, 20 acres bottom, timber, 1 mile from church, 1-4 miles from school. Must go under terms of will. See: Jonas and Jonas, Attorneys, Lincolnton, N. C. 6t 16c

Get Your Christmas hogs. See D. A. Beam. 1t-16c

lock, Alice Askins, Misses Alice Brunson, Kathleen Hord, Thelma Young, Kate Ballinger and Grace Clary.

At The Theatres

"Bulldog Drummond," starring Ronald Colman, is at the Webb today and tomorrow, and will prove to be one of the season's best pictures. It is boosted everywhere as one of the half dozen of 1929's banner productions. It is a United Artists picture, directed by Richard Jones. It is a romantic yarn, with an English setting—full of red blooded courage and action. Ronald Colman has risen to new heights in his screen career, as the top notcher of the piece. It is the sort of story to thrill you to the marrow.

A remunerative business without an investment is rarely found, but laymen realize the immense amount of money that must be invested in equipment and paraphernalia before arriving at perfection a Temple of Mystery such as will be on display at the Princess when Mysterious Smith brings his massive production for an engagement of six days, starting today.

These big illusions, such as Mr. Smith employs, are not created in wholesale quantities like shoes, hats, or "tin lizzies." Each one, as a rule, must be made separately, as they are generally owned and copyrighted by the inventor who reserves their use for himself or to some one or two of the more prominent magicians. Patterns, molds and plans cost money, and the manufacture of one item is always costly.

Popular Song Made Hubby Leave Wife

Nebraska City, Neb.—Because her husband took too seriously a phonograph record, "Goodbye, Old Man, Goodbye," and left his home, refusing to return, Mrs. Anna V. Wredt was granted a divorce from John C. Wredt by District Judge Begley.

Difficulties arose, it was testified, when Wredt came home one night and heard the phonograph grinding out the popular tune. He took the all words of the song as a personal affront, leaving his home in a huff and refusing to return.

Attempted explanations failed to soothe Wredt's feelings and his wife, who is considerably younger than himself, sued for divorce. The divorce was secured together with the custody of a minor child, to whose support Wredt must pay \$5 weekly.

On Going Home For Christmas

(By EDGAR A. GUEST)
He little knew the sorrow that was in his vacant chair. He never guessed they'd miss him, or he'd surely have been there. He couldn't see his mother, or the lump that filled her throat. Or the tears that starting falling as she read his hasty note; And he couldn't see his father, sitting sorrowful and dumb. Or he never would have written that he thought he couldn't come.

He little knew the gladness that his presence would have made, And the joy it would have stayed; He didn't know how hungry had the little mother grown. Once again to see her baby and to claim him for her own; He didn't guess the meaning of his visit Christmas Day. Or he never would have written that he couldn't get away.

He couldn't see the fading of the cheeks that once were pink, And the silver in the tresses; and he didn't stop to think; How the years are passing swiftly, and next Christmas might be. There would be no home to visit and no mother dear to see; He didn't think about it—I'll not say he didn't care, He was heedless and forgetful or he'd surely have been there.

Are you going home for Christmas? Have you written you'll be there? Going home to kiss the mother and to show her that you care; Going home to greet the father in a way to make him glad. If you're not I hope there'll never come a time you'll wish you had: Just sit down and write a letter—it will make their heart strings hum. With a tune of perfect gladness—if you'll tell them that you'll come

The Men Knew.
The female orator was raving and ranting to a small audience of men. "Women," she shrieked, "at all times have been the backbone of all nations. Who was the world's greatest hero? Helen of Troy! Who was the world's greatest martyr? Joan of Arc! Who was the world's greatest ruler? Who, I say, was the world's greatest ruler?" And simultaneously that entire crowd of men arose and answered in one voice, "My wife!"

Try Star Wants Ads.

Mrs. Hoover Is New Type Of First Lady

Washington—Lou Henry Hoover, who rode a friendly bicycle over Iowa county roads, has not changed much. In the months that have passed since the heavy responsibility as president's wife was placed on her, her acts have pictured a new type of First Lady. She has done unprecedented things and a resume of her "tenure in office" brings out sharply that hers will be a unique place in history.

She shops and drives alone. She goes to evening entertainments without the president. She brings the things in which she is interested into the daily life of the White House instead of letting it and her exalted position in the nation's life rule her. Until she became First Lady, it was an unheard of thing for the president's wife to make any trip, however short, outside the White House gates unless accompanied by a secret service man. Now a White House car often glides out of the big gate with the mistress of the mansion at the wheel. Only women friends are in the car. No scintous "other car" accompanies them. When she goes on trips out of town or to affairs where big crowds make it unwise for her to be alone, however, Mrs. Hoover conforms to custom.

The sight of Mrs. Hoover, walking buoyantly along on her low-heeled shoes, is not an unusual occurrence in Washington's shopping districts. Here, too, she is unaccompanied save by a girl secretary. Mrs. Hoover has re-arranged the White House to suit herself and in a way to make it homey and comfortable. She has planted a lovely California garden in the back yard where she entertains little groups of friends at tea. She still has intimate Sunday night suppers, just as she did on South street, with a few friends dropping in informally.

High Hat.
Uncle Mose, in spite of his illiteracy, had built up quite a competency from his white-washing and calcimining trade. During the course of some business with a notary, the latter produced a document saying, "Please sign this here." "Look heah, suh," Uncle Mose said with offended dignity, "I doesn't ever sign my name, suh. It's a business man, suh, wid no time for sich trifles. I always dictates my name, suh!"

GIFTS of TASTE For Madam

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Whiting and Davis Mesh Bags.
Fountain Pens and Desk Sets.

Cleveland Drug Store
— PHONE 65 —

This WEEK'S SPECIALS At McNEELY'S — COATS —

Fifty-Nine COATS to sell this week at 1-3 OFF REGULAR PRICE
These COATS, the season's newest and choicest, were made by New York's best manufacturers and they will give you several seasons wear.

— DRESSES —
All DRESSES specially priced for this week's selling.

— GIFTS —
Our store is filled with choice GIFTS for CHRISTMAS. We suggest something from our lines of HANDKERCHIEFS, GLOVES, HOSE, UNDERWEAR, JEWELRY, UMBRELLAS, A FOX NECK PIECE makes a delightful and acceptable gift. Come in and look over our displays of holiday novelties.

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