

SOCIETY

NEWS

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March

Beware of March, she's like a fickle maid,
A careless vamp, and mistress of her trade,
Planting her charms for whom it may concern,
She bloweth hot or cold in various turn.
Close on the heels of frozen yesterday,
Tomorrow's sun may then pretend of spring,
The songs of birds may through the forest ring
And rain will come and turn the landscape gray.
Still we love March with all her changing moods
And promise of longer, brighter days,
When we may walk by streams in waking woods
And hear the music of the thrushes' lay.
Then welcome March, for surely she doth bring
The end of winter and the breath of spring.

—ROBERT E. BAXTER

Mabel Jetton Society To Meet Thursday

The Mabel Jetton Missionary society will meet at the Central Methodist church on Thursday afternoon at 3:30.

Isbpening Club Not To Meet This Week

Attention of members of the Isbpening club is called again to the fact that the regular meeting scheduled for tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Jack Dover has been postponed. Announcement will be made later concerning the date for this meeting.

Lady Golfers Meet

A meeting of all Shelby ladies who belong to the Cleveland Golf club will be held at the club house Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Others who do not golf are invited to attend a tea at the club house at 4 o'clock. The meeting will be important, and plans will be made for a golf tournament for the ladies and other social features at the club house.

Local Girls At Kappa Delta Banquet

The Kappa Delta fraternity at Queens-Chicora college held its initiation and a banquet following it at the Hotel Charlotte on Saturday afternoon and evening. Miss Margaret Blanton is an active member of this group and Miss Ruth Laughridge, another Shelby girl, was one of those initiated at the meeting on Saturday. Both girls are prominent in college activities. Mrs. Robert Hord was among the Kappa Delta alumnae present for the occasion.

Anniversary Dinner At Boiling Springs

Mrs. Pearl Phillips, of Boiling Springs, was hostess on Sunday at an informal family dinner party in celebration of the thirty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Phillips. A delicious dinner was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Phillips and their two children, Elaine and Dwight, of Shelby; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Phillips and their son, A. W. Phillips; Miss Aretta Leaser, of Gaffney, S. C.; Miss Beatrice Phillips, Mr. Max Farie Phillips, and Mrs. Pearl Phillips.

B. Y. P. U. Social At Spangler Home

Members of the adult B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church and a few invited guests enjoyed a social meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Spangler on E. Marion street Tuesday evening. About thirty guests were present. A contest, a Blue Black spelling match, music and games furnished entertainment during the evening. In the contest Mrs. Pinkney Hamrick was winner of the first prize and in the spelling match Mrs. W. L. Packard was awarded a prize as the best speller. Mrs. T. G. Hamrick was a special guest of the organization on this occasion. Mrs. Spangler was assisted by Mrs. H. D. Wilson and Mrs. Burgin Putnam in serving a delicious salad course with punch and other accessories.

GLAD NOW HE COULDN'T GIVE HIS LOTS AWAY

Boone.—Rev. Uriah Farthing, Baptist minister here, paid \$30 each for two lots in Oklahoma City a few years ago. He got tired of paying taxes on them. Three months ago he offered to give them to a brother if the latter would pay taxes on them and two other lots, but the brother declined. Now Mr. Farthing is on his way to Oklahoma, the lots having been found to cover oil which is now paying him an income of \$924 per day.

Nixon Thinks Over Tax Penalty Idea

To the Editor,
In 1893 the six per cent law for money was enacted. Democrats and Republican advocated this measure. But now the estate of North Carolina has disregarded this law, and is charging at the rate of 12, 24, and 36 per cent for taxes due it. This in addition to other penalties amounts to more than double tax. Is our present general assembly going to remedy this? If money is owed the county or state by the poor or rich no more than six per cent should be charged. Let the tax be paid when due as any other high class debt, or parts of it, and interest charged on the balance. The United States government charges only six per cent, and allows partial payments, and does not compound interest. Local democracy must be as fair as national republicanism.

When one borrows money now to pay tax, he must pay six per cent on the loan, three per cent commissions, and 12 per cent this month on his tax, which makes it cost him 22 per cent to pay his tax, not counting in attorney's fees and other registration costs, which the borrower must pay. Everything is down from 50 to 75 or even 100 per cent, except money; but now it costs the poor man more to borrow than at any time in our history. As local property values have gone down local money has risen in price. A piece of land, located in this county, once had a loan value of \$4,000. Now it is not security for any amount. A piece of property, which cost \$40,000 as a good buy three years ago is now security for only \$7,500. This is a true statement of values as viewed by many all over Mecklenburg, in city and county. Yet we see call money in New York at 1 1/2 per cent. Charlotte, Feb. 20. Brevard Nixon

Hoover has got his back up, but it is not the back-up that the senate demanded of him.—Atlanta Constitution.

Even when Gandhi secludes himself for silent meditation, he's the biggest little noise in India.—Weston Leader.

Trinity Community News Of The Week

Number On Sick List. Joe Bridges Has Shoulder Set. Mrs. Winn Has Quilting Party.

(Special to The Star.)
Trinity, Mar. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor and family of Cliffside spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Winn.
Misses Mabel, Maude and Vornie Philbeck and Mrs. Mode of Lattimore were callers at the home Mrs. W. W. Bridges Thursday night.

Those on the sick list at this writing are Mrs. Gailther Pope, Misses Mary and Katie Lou Bridges and Master Kenneth Lall and Miss Kath Ester Harrill.
Mr. Joe Bridges, the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bridges was carried to the Shelby hospital Monday for his shoulder to be set. We are glad to know he was able to be brought back home and seems to be getting along nicely.

The W. M. S. is observing the week of prayer for state missions this week. The meetings are held each afternoon at 3 o'clock at the public school building and everybody is urged to attend and to contribute of their means.

Mr. and Mrs. Austell Lovelace and Misses Ruby, Mary Alice and Vornie Lee Lovelace were callers at the home of Mrs. Zeb Wilson of Cliffside Sunday night.

Mrs. Jane Winn entertained a number of her friends with a quilting party on Monday afternoon. Two quilts were nicely finished.

Mrs. H. W. McKinney has been spending a few days at the bedside of her mother in law, Mrs. Wilkes McKinney of Ellenboro.

Miss Effie Bridges of Henrietta has been spending a few days here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Will Hawkins, Mrs. Jane Winn, Miss Olive Winn and Mr. Guy Hawkins and Mr. and Mrs. David Jones visited relatives in Morganton last Friday.

Rev. M. M. Huntley was the Saturday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. McCluney.

Mr. Eugene Buchanan of Boiling Springs has been spending several days with relatives here.

The many friends of Miss Olive Bridges will rejoice to know that she is expected to return to her home here, early this week, from the Rutherfordton hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Crawford of Cliffside spent the past week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Covie Beason.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Hawkins and children, of Mooresboro, spent the week-end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Beason.

ZION COMMUNITY BATCH OF NEWS

G. P. Irvin Entertains Teachers And Officers. Mrs. Cornwell Gives Dinner Party.

(Special to The Star.)
Zion, Mar. 4.—Our pastor, Rev. D. G. Washburn, was present Saturday and Sunday and made real interesting talks as well as inspiring. His subject Sunday morning was taken from three different gospels, Matthew, Mark and Luke.

The W. M. S., G. A.'s, and Sunbeams will have a meeting Saturday at 2 o'clock to observe prayer week. Mr. G. P. Irvin is entertaining the teachers and officers of the Sunday school Friday night at his home. Mr. Tom Cornwell will lead the devotional and Mr. Jim Irvin will teach the Sunday school lesson. Everyone is expected to be present.

Mrs. Charlie Cabanis, jr., entertained last Thursday with a dinner party at her lovely country home. The cover was laid for the following: Mesdames Clyde and Ralph Gold, Pleas B. Cabanis, Charlie Cabanis, jr., G. T. Cabanis, Misses Minnie Gold and Nina Cabanis.

Mrs. Cletus Smart who has been quite ill for some time was taken to Shelby hospital Monday.

We are very glad to note that Miss Callie Owens was able to return home from the hospital last week where she has been taking treatment.

The Zion seventh grade played Polkville seventh grade in basketball last week. The score was 12-4 in favor of Zion.

Miss Minnie Gold visited Misses Peg and Pearl Cornwell Sunday.

Master Bill Cabanis is suffering with a sore arm. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cabanis, jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cabanis and family are expecting to move into their beautiful brick home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurel Hoyle, Elaine and John D., Miss Clare Royter were the guests Sunday of Dr. and Mrs. Edwards of Toluca.

We are expecting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cornwell to move to their farm in our community soon. We are very fortunate to have Mr. and Mrs. Cornwell back with us.

Mrs. Athel Cabanis and sons, Bob and Donald spent some time last week with Mr. and Mrs. Joan R. Hoyle and family.

If you want to draw a good laugh from a bootlegger, just tell him that drink is the cause of poverty.—Louisville Times.

The middle class is the one that is able to live in public as the rich do by living in private as the poor do.—Publishers Syndicate.

Around The Carolina Theatre

(With Apologies To RENN DRUM.)

Be sure to meet ELISSA LANDI at the Carolina Monday, with Charles Farrell, in his greatest role, "BODY AND SOUL," story by Elliott White Springs.

For the kiddies, we have another Buck Jones Friday and Saturday, and they will surely enjoy it. So be sure to send them down to see it. You can always feel that your children will be safe with us and that they will always see good clean shows.

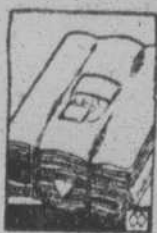
We are putting on sale Saturday morning at 11:30, twenty-five FAMILY TICKETS. These will be sold to the first twenty-five making application for them, and will be good for each change of program for the entire week of March 9th, to sell for \$1 each, regardless of the number in family (not relatives.) This is a special offer. Investigate it.

We are showing today that newcomer, Fredric March, in a real comedy, "ROYAL FAMILY OF BROADWAY." It was picked as one of the best pictures of the month by Movie Magazines. We feel you will find this show real entertaining. We have EDDIE CANTOR on the same bill in one of his acts, "COCKEYED NEWS," which should be worth the admission.

Watch for MARLENE DIETRICH in her newest picture, "DISHONORED." Did you see what The Charlotte news carried on this show?

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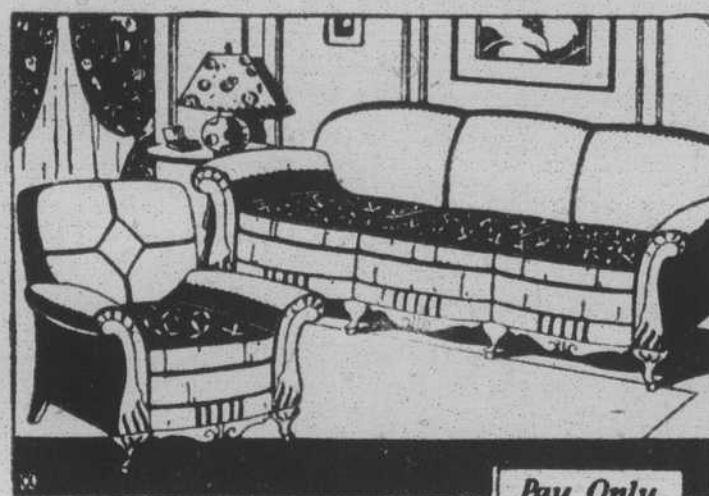
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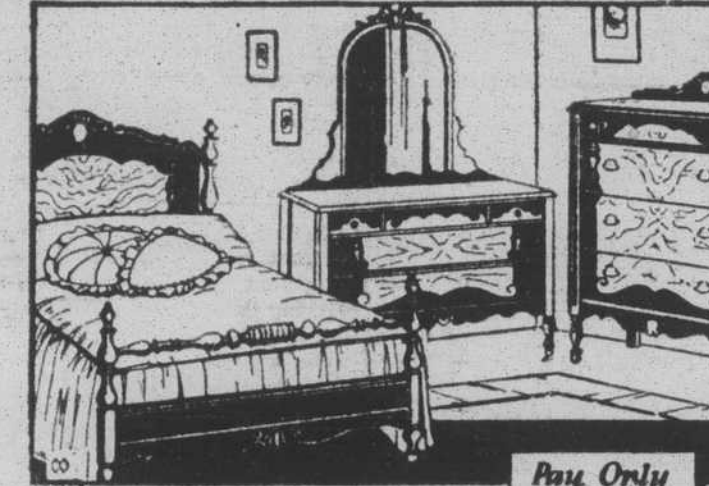
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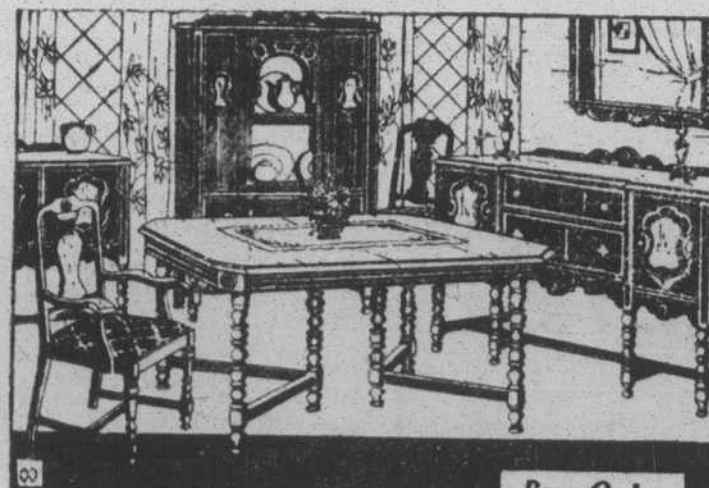
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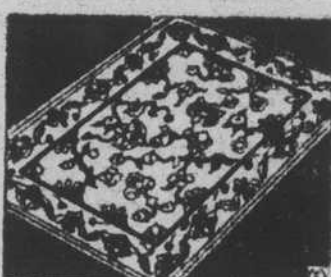
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